

House Amendment 8034

Amendment Text

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1 1 Amend [House File 2080](#) as follows:
1 2 #1. Page 1, line 1, by striking the words
1 3 "BIOLOGICALLY BASED" and inserting the following:
1 4 "SERIOUS".
1 5 #2. Page 1, by striking lines 8 through 10 and
1 6 inserting the following:
1 7 "1993 Iowa Acts, chapter 158, shall provide mental
1 8 health and substance abuse treatment coverage benefits
1 9 and shall not impose limitations on financial terms
1 10 for coverage of services for serious mental illnesses
1 11 or substance abuse if similar limitations are not
1 12 imposed on the coverage benefits for services for
1 13 medical or surgical conditions, and if either of the
1 14 following is satisfied:"
1 15 #3. Page 1, line 26, by striking the words
1 16 "biologically based" and inserting the following:
1 17 "serious".
1 18 #4. Page 1, line 27, by striking the words
1 19 "biologically based" and inserting the following:
1 20 "serious".
1 21 #5. Page 1, by inserting after line 35 the
1 22 following:
1 23 "3A. For purposes of this section, "substance
1 24 abuse" means a pattern of pathological use of alcohol
1 25 or a drug that causes impairment in social or
1 26 occupational functioning, or that produces
1 27 physiological dependency evidenced by physical
1 28 tolerance or by physical symptoms when the alcohol or
1 29 drug is withdrawn."
1 30 #6. Page 2, line 2, by striking the words
1 31 "biologically based" and inserting the following:
1 32 "serious".
1 33 #7. Page 3, by inserting after line 11 the
1 34 following:
1 35 "7A. A group policy is exempt from this section
1 36 upon submission to the commissioner of evidence
1 37 demonstrating a premium increase for the policy term
1 38 in excess of three percent as a result of the
1 39 requirements of this section."
1 40 #8. Page 3, by inserting after line 15 the
1 41 following:
1 42 "9. This section is repealed effective July 1,
1 43 2003."
1 44 #9. Title page, by striking line 2 and inserting
1 45 the following: "costs for serious mental illness and
1 46 substance abuse treatment".
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1 50 [OSTERHAUS](#) of Jackson
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2 4 [WITT](#) of Black Hawk
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2 12 [MYERS](#) of Johnson

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