

House File 766

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1 Amend House File 766 as follows:

2 1. Page 79, after line 35 by inserting:

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4 THIRD-PARTY PAYMENT OF COVERAGE BENEFITS FOR CHILDREN'S MENTAL  
5 HEALTH SERVICES PROVIDED AT A SCHOOL

6 Sec. \_\_\_\_ . NEW SECTION. 514C.35 **Mental health services**  
7 **provided at a school — coverage.**

8 1. As used in this section, unless the context otherwise  
9 requires:

10 a. *"Facility"*, *"health care professional"*, and *"health care*  
11 *services"* mean the same as defined in section 514J.102.

12 b. *"Mental health services"* means services provided by a  
13 health care professional operating within the scope of the  
14 health care professional's practice which address mental,  
15 emotional, medical, or behavioral conditions, illnesses,  
16 diseases, or problems.

17 c. *"School"* means a public or private school that provides  
18 premises for teaching any grade from kindergarten through grade  
19 twelve.

20 2. Notwithstanding the uniformity of treatment requirements  
21 of section 514C.6, if a policy, contract, or plan providing for  
22 third-party payment or prepayment of health or medical expenses  
23 includes coverage for mental health services provided in a  
24 facility, the policy, contract, or plan may provide coverage  
25 for the same or similar mental health services provided at a  
26 school.

27 3. This section applies to the following classes of  
28 third-party payment provider policies, contracts, or plans  
29 delivered, issued for delivery, continued, or renewed in this  
30 state on or after January 1, 2020:

31 a. Individual or group accident and sickness insurance  
32 providing coverage on an expense-incurred basis.

33 b. An individual or group hospital or medical service  
34 contract issued pursuant to chapter 509, 514, or 514A.

35 c. An individual or group health maintenance organization

1 contract regulated under chapter 514B.

2 *d.* A plan established pursuant to chapter 509A for public  
3 employees.

4 4. This section shall not apply to accident-only,  
5 specified disease, short-term hospital or medical, hospital  
6 confinement indemnity, credit, dental, vision, Medicare  
7 supplement, long-term care, basic hospital and medical-surgical  
8 expense coverage as defined by the commissioner, disability  
9 income insurance coverage, coverage issued as a supplement  
10 to liability insurance, workers' compensation or similar  
11 insurance, or automobile medical payment insurance.

12 5. The commissioner of insurance, in collaboration with the  
13 state board of education, may adopt rules pursuant to chapter  
14 17A as necessary to administer this section.>

15 2. By renumbering as necessary.

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