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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 1277

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 1277 by replacing
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Illinois Insurance Code is amended by
5 changing Section 356z.25 as follows:

6 (215 ILCS 5/356z.25)

7 Sec. 356z.25. Coverage for treatment of pediatric
8 autoimmune neuropsychiatric disorders associated with
9 streptococcal infections and pediatric acute onset
10 neuropsychiatric syndrome. A group or individual policy of
11 accident and health insurance or managed care plan that is
12 amended, delivered, issued, or renewed after July 18, 2017 (the
13 effective date of Public Act 100-24) ~~this amendatory Act of the~~
14 ~~100th General Assembly~~ shall provide coverage for treatment of
15 pediatric autoimmune neuropsychiatric disorders associated
16 with streptococcal infections and pediatric acute-onset

1 neuropsychiatric syndrome, including, but not limited to, the
2 use of intravenous immunoglobulin therapy.

3 For billing and diagnosis purposes, pediatric autoimmune
4 neuropsychiatric disorders associated with streptococcal
5 infections and pediatric acute onset neuropsychiatric syndrome
6 shall be coded as autoimmune encephalitis until a code is
7 assigned.

8 If, at any time, the Secretary of the United States
9 Department of Health and Human Services, or its successor
10 agency, promulgates rules or regulations to be published in the
11 Federal Register or publishes a comment in the Federal Register
12 or issues an opinion, guidance, or other action that would
13 require the State, pursuant to any provision of the Patient
14 Protection and Affordable Care Act (Public Law 111-148),
15 including, but not limited to, 42 U.S.C. 18031(d)(3)(B) or any
16 successor provision, to defray the cost of any coverage for
17 pediatric autoimmune neuropsychiatric disorders associated
18 with streptococcal infections and pediatric acute onset
19 neuropsychiatric syndrome outlined in this Section, then the
20 requirement that an insurer cover pediatric autoimmune
21 neuropsychiatric disorders associated with streptococcal
22 infections and pediatric acute onset neuropsychiatric syndrome
23 is inoperative other than any such coverage authorized under
24 Section 1902 of the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C. 1396a, and
25 the State shall not assume any obligation for the cost of
26 coverage for pediatric autoimmune neuropsychiatric disorders

1 associated with streptococcal infections and pediatric acute
2 onset neuropsychiatric syndrome.

3 (Source: P.A. 100-24, eff. 7-18-17; revised 9-15-17.)

4 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
5 becoming law.".