

SB1575



101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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SB1575

Introduced 2/15/2019, by Sen. Antonio Muñoz

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

305 ILCS 5/5-36 new

Amends the Medical Assistance Article of the Illinois Public Aid Code. Provides that coverage required under a Medicaid managed care plan for custom prosthetic and orthotic devices shall be no less favorable than the terms and conditions that apply to substantially all medical and surgical benefits provided under the plan or coverage. Requires the Department of Healthcare and Family Services to set a rate of reimbursement payable by contracted managed care organizations to contracted, in-network providers for custom prosthetic and orthotic devices at a rate no less than the Medicare rate for the year minus 6%. Provides that the provisions of the amendatory Act shall not be construed to allow the Department or its contracted managed care organizations to enter into sole source contracts for the provision of custom prosthetic or orthotic devices to recipients of medical assistance or Medicaid managed care enrollees.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT
MAY APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning public aid.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Illinois Public Aid Code is amended by
5 adding Section 5-36 as follows:

6 (305 ILCS 5/5-36 new)

7 Sec. 5-36. Custom prosthetic and orthotic devices; managed
8 care coverage.

9 (a) The coverage required under a Medicaid managed care
10 plan for custom prosthetic and orthotic devices shall be no
11 less favorable than the terms and conditions that apply to
12 substantially all medical and surgical benefits provided under
13 the plan or coverage.

14 (b) The Department shall set a rate of reimbursement
15 payable by contracted managed care organizations to
16 contracted, in-network providers for custom prosthetic and
17 orthotic devices at a rate no less than the Medicare rate for
18 the year minus 6%.

19 (c) Notwithstanding any other law or any other contract
20 terms and conditions, nothing in this Section shall be
21 construed to allow the Department or its contracted managed
22 care organizations to enter into sole source contracts for the
23 provision of custom prosthetic or orthotic devices to

1 recipients of medical assistance or Medicaid managed care
2 enrollees.