

1 AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

4 Section 5. The Illinois Insurance Code is amended by adding  
5 Section 356z.24 as follows:

6 (215 ILCS 5/356z.24 new)

7 Sec. 356z.24. 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 the effective date  
13 of this amendatory Act of the 99th General Assembly shall  
14 offer, for an additional premium and subject to the insurer's  
15 standard of insurability, optional coverage for treatment of  
16 pediatric autoimmune neuropsychiatric disorders associated  
17 with streptococcal infections and pediatric acute-onset  
18 neuropsychiatric syndrome, including, but not limited to, the  
19 use of intravenous immunoglobulin therapy.

20 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon  
21 becoming law.