

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 5-30.3 as follows:

6 (305 ILCS 5/5-30.3 new)

7 Sec. 5-30.3. Managed care; automatic assignment. The
8 Department shall, within a reasonable period of time after
9 relevant data from managed care entities has been collected and
10 analyzed, but no earlier than January 1, 2017, develop and
11 implement within each enrollment region an algorithm
12 preserving existing provider-beneficiary relationships that
13 takes into account quality scores and other operational
14 proficiency criteria developed, defined, and adopted by the
15 Department, to automatically assign Medicaid enrollees served
16 under the Family Health Plan and the Integrated Care Program
17 and those Medicaid enrollees eligible for medical assistance
18 pursuant to the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act
19 (Public Law 111-148) into managed care entities, including
20 Accountable Care Entities, Managed Care Community Networks,
21 and Managed Care Organizations. The quality metrics used shall
22 be measurable for all entities. The algorithm shall not use the
23 quality and proficiency metrics to reassign enrollees out of

1 any plan in which they are enrolled at the time and shall only
2 be used if the client has not voluntarily selected a primary
3 care physician and a managed care entity or care coordination
4 entity. Clients shall have one opportunity within 90 calendar
5 days after auto-assignment by algorithm to select a different
6 managed care entity. The algorithm developed and implemented
7 shall favor assignment into managed care entities with the
8 highest quality scores and levels of compliance with the
9 operational proficiency criteria established, taking into
10 consideration existing provider-beneficiary relationship as
11 defined by 42 CFR 438.50(f)(3) if one exists.