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Abstract: Requires state Medicaid health plans to provide coverage benefits for medically necessary pasteurized donor breast milk upon prescription of an infant's pediatrician.

Proposed law requires Medicaid health plans to provide coverage benefits for medically necessary pasteurized donor breast milk upon prescription of an infant's pediatrician stating that the infant is medically or physically unable to receive maternal breast milk or participate in breastfeeding, or the infant's mother is medically or physically unable to produce maternal breast milk in sufficient quantities.

Proposed law authorizes the La. Dept. of Health to seek approval of a federal Medicaid waiver and state plan amendments in implementation of proposed law.

(Adds R.S. 46:977.31)