The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Yoursheka George.

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Present law provides for a reimbursement schedule in the La. Workers' Compensation Law for drugs, supplies, hospital care and services, medical care and surgical treatment, and any nonmedical treatment recognized by law.

Proposed law provides that payment for medical expenses is limited to the amount payable under the reimbursement schedule provided in present law, and provides that if the plaintiff pays those expenses directly to the healthcare provider, the plaintiff's recovery for medical expenses is limited to the amount that would have been paid under the schedule.

Effective August 1, 2020.

(Adds R.S. 9:2800.25)