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DIGEST

SB 421 Original

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Present law requires an employer to use state, federal, and public or private facilities to provide treatment to injured employees.

Proposed law provides that when an injured worker requires and is entitled to a surgical procedure that requires the use of an implant, only the hospital or ambulatory surgery center where the procedure is to be performed can order and purchase the implant based on the surgeon's specifications.

Proposed law provides the reimbursement procedure for surgical implants.

Proposed law defines the term "bill price".

Effective August 1, 2022.

(Adds 23:1034.2(G))