

2016 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 52

BY SENATOR MILLS

MEDICAID. Provides for the creation of a single preferred drug list for reimbursement of Medicaid covered outpatient drugs. (gov sig)

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact the introductory paragraph of R.S. 46:153.3(B)(2)(a), relative to the
3 Medicaid pharmacy program; to provide for an effective date; and to provide for
4 related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. The introductory paragraph of R.S. 46:153.3(B)(2)(a) is hereby amended
7 and reenacted to read as follows:

8 §153.3. Medical vendor reimbursements; allowable restrictions; peer-based
9 prescribing and dispensing practice patterns; Medicaid
10 Pharmaceutical and Therapeutics Committee

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12 B.

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14 (2)(a) The department ~~may~~ shall establish a **single preferred** drug list that
15 ~~utilizes~~ may utilize a prior approval process or any other process or combination of
16 processes that prove to be cost-effective in the medical assistance program. **This**
17 **single preferred drug list shall be developed by the department and utilized in**

