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<u>Present law</u> excludes treatment rendered for temporal mandibular joint (TMJ) disorders from coverage that is required to be included in every hospital, health, or medical insurance policy, or medical expense service contract, employee welfare benefit plan, health and accident insurance, a self-insurance plan, health maintenance organization, and preferred provider organization, and the Office of Group Benefits programs delivered or issued for delivery in La.

<u>Proposed law</u> requires coverage for treatment rendered for TMJ disorders in health insurance policies issued after July 1, 2016.

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