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SB 108 Reengrossed

2018 Regular Session

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Present law requires the La. Department of Health (LDH) to produce an annual report on the Medicaid managed care program and provides requirements for the content of the report.

Present law requires that the report include certain data concerning a specific set of health outcomes. Proposed law deletes present law and requires instead that the report include a copy of the annual external quality review technical report produced pursuant to federal Medicaid managed care regulations.

Proposed law provides for quarterly reporting by LDH on the Medicaid expansion population and certain service utilization data, with a collective summary to be included in the annual Medicaid managed care report.

Proposed law provides for quarterly reporting by LDH on the Medicaid managed care organizations' pharmacy benefit managers, with a collective summary to be included in the Medicaid managed care annual report.

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 40:1253.2(A)(1)(h) and (B); Adds R.S. 40:1253.2(C) and (D))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Senate Floor Amendments to engrossed bill

1. Provides for quarterly reporting by LDH on certain Medicaid expansion population and service utilization data.
2. Provides for quarterly reporting by LDH on certain funding categories of Medicaid managed care organization pharmacy benefit managers.
3. Provides for annual reporting by LDH on any managed care program providing dental benefits.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to the reengrossed bill:

1. Make technical, corrective, and clarifying changes.