
DIGEST

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Abstract: Provides relative to claims and records of pharmacies and pharmacists.

Present law defines "health insurance issuer". Proposed law modifies the definition to include the agent of an insurance company. Otherwise retains present law.

Present law provides for audits of pharmacy records. Proposed law retains present law but provides for other reviews of pharmacy records.

Present law does not prohibit the review of a claim filed by a pharmacy to determine if the claim is payable or paid correctly. Provides that such review may require the pharmacy's submission of prescription copies and other documentation related to the specific claims under review.

Proposed law deletes any additional required submission of prescription copies and other documentation to provide that such review of a claim does not require the pharmacy to provide additional information.

(Amends R.S. 22:1852(A)(intro. para.) and (7) and 1856.1(B)(intro. para.) and (2)(b))