



SYNOPSIS

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HOUSE BILLS INTRODUCED MARCH 4, 2019

HB 1420 Chair, Health and Government Operations Committee (By Request – Departmental – Health)

MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH – SERVICES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES – FEE-FOR-SERVICE PAYMENT PILOT PROGRAM

Requiring the Maryland Department of Health to establish a fee-for-service payment pilot program; authorizing providers that provide waiver program services to certain eligible individuals with a developmental disability may participate in the pilot program; requiring the Department to determine, establish, and publish certain rates for certain services in a certain manner; requiring certain providers to submit a claim for payment for certain services to the Department in a certain manner; etc.

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2019

HG, § 7-101 - amended and § 7-308 - added

Assigned to: House Rules and Executive Nominations

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HB 1421 Chair, Health and Government Operations Committee (By Request – Departmental – Health)

MARYLAND HEALTH BENEFIT EXCHANGE – FUNCTIONS AND OUTREACH

Requiring the Maryland Health Benefit Exchange to conduct outreach and education activities to increase health literacy and to educate consumers about the Exchange and insurance affordability programs; and requiring the Exchange to perform certain functions for Maryland Medical Assistance programs, as requested by the Maryland Department of Health and approved by the Board of Trustees for the Exchange, for the efficient administration of Maryland Medical Assistance programs.

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2019

IN, § 31-101(h) - added and § 31-108(b) - amended

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HB 1422 Delegate Barve

MOTOR VEHICLES – HIGHWAY WORKER SAFETY

Prohibiting a person from committing certain acts while operating a motor vehicle in a highway work zone or on a bridge or highway that is under construction if a highway worker is present; providing that a person may not be convicted for a violation under the Act if the violation was due to a mechanical failure of the vehicle or the negligence of a highway worker or another person; establishing certain penalties for certain violations of the Act; etc.

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TR, § 21-802.1 - amended

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