

# HOUSE BILL 709

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By: **Delegates Costa and Kipke**

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Assigned to: Health and Government Operations

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## A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Health Insurance – Special Services, Procedures, or Reports –**  
3 **Reimbursement**

4 FOR the purpose of prohibiting certain carriers from denying reimbursement for  
5 certain services, procedures, or reports under certain circumstances; requiring  
6 certain carriers to pay certain claims in accordance with certain provisions of  
7 law; providing that certain provisions of law are applicable to health  
8 maintenance organizations; defining certain terms; and generally relating to  
9 reimbursement for services, procedures, or reports by health insurance carriers.

10 BY adding to

11 Article – Health – General  
12 Section 19–706(ppp)  
13 Annotated Code of Maryland  
14 (2005 Replacement Volume and 2007 Supplement)

15 BY adding to

16 Article – Insurance  
17 Section 15–1009.1  
18 Annotated Code of Maryland  
19 (2006 Replacement Volume and 2007 Supplement)

20 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF  
21 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

22 **Article – Health – General**

23 19–706.

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EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.

[Brackets] indicate matter deleted from existing law.





1           SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect  
2    July 1, 2008.