



Committee: House Health and Government Operations Committee

Bill Number: House Bill 383

Title: Maryland Medical Assistance Program and Health Insurance – Coverage for2
Orthoses (So Every Body Can Move Act)

Hearing Date: January 30, 2025

Position: Support

The Coordinating Center supports *House Bill 383 – Maryland Medical Assistance Program and Health Insurance - Coverage for Orthoses and Prostheses*. This bill will require Medicaid and private insurance coverage for orthoses.

Our organization provides care coordination through to clients enrolled in Community First Choice and many of Maryland Medicaid's home and community-based service waivers. Many of our clients face challenges in mobility and activities of daily living. Our goal is to support our clients in living as independently as possibility in their own communities. Some clients need orthoses to support their mobility and ability to navigate activities of daily living.

Please vote favorably on this legislation. If we can provide any further information, please contact Robyn Elliott at relliott@policypartners.net.