

BY: Health and Government Operations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 122

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike “and Nathan-Pulliam” and substitute “Nathan-Pulliam, Benson, Boteler, Boutin, Bromwell, Costa, Donoghue, Goldwater, Hurson, Kach, Mandel, McDonough, Murray, Oaks, Pendergrass, Rosenberg, Rudolph, Smigiel, V. Turner, and Weldon”; in line 2, strike “Children” and substitute “Young Adults”; strike beginning with “health” in line 3 down through “insurance” in line 19 and substitute “insurers, nonprofit health service plans, and health maintenance organizations, within a certain time before a child who is covered under a parent’s group health insurance policy as a full-time student attains a certain age, to provide a certain notification and certain information; requiring the Maryland Insurance Administration to provide certain information on its website and in printed form, on request; and generally relating to information regarding insurance coverage for adult children”; in line 22, after “15-416” insert “and 15-1313”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On pages 2 and 3, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 3 on page 2 through line 32 on page 3, inclusive, and substitute:

“(A) THIS SECTION APPLIES TO INSURERS, NONPROFIT HEALTH SERVICE PLANS, AND HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATIONS THAT DELIVER OR ISSUE FOR DELIVERY IN THE STATE INDIVIDUAL, GROUP, OR BLANKET HEALTH INSURANCE POLICIES AND CONTRACTS.

“(B) AT LEAST 60 DAYS BEFORE A CHILD AGE 19 AND OLDER WHO IS COVERED UNDER A PARENT’S INDIVIDUAL, GROUP, OR BLANKET HEALTH INSURANCE POLICY OR CONTRACT AS A FULL-TIME STUDENT ATTAINS THE LIMITING AGE SPECIFIED IN THE POLICY OR CONTRACT FOR A FULL-TIME STUDENT, AN ENTITY SUBJECT TO THIS SECTION SHALL:

(Over)

(1) NOTIFY THE PARENT OF THE IMPENDING LOSS OF THE CHILD'S COVERAGE; AND

(2) PROVIDE INFORMATION REGARDING:

(I) ANY OTHER POLICIES THAT MAY BE AVAILABLE TO THE CHILD FROM THE ENTITY; AND

(II) THE AVAILABILITY OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FROM THE ADMINISTRATION REGARDING INDIVIDUAL POLICIES IN THE STATE.

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THE ADMINISTRATION SHALL PROVIDE ON ITS WEBSITE AND IN PRINTED FORM ON REQUEST A LIST OF CARRIERS, INCLUDING CONTACT INFORMATION FOR EACH CARRIER, THAT OFFER INDIVIDUAL HEALTH BENEFIT PLANS IN THE STATE.”.