

- Subject Commerce Health Insurance Policy Bill
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Overview

This bill makes changes to Medicare supplement policy and the nonrenewal or discontinuation of an individual health insurance policy.

Summary

Section Description

1 [Subdivision 1r.] Community rate.

Allows Medicare supplement policy to factor in late enrollment and reenrollment when determining premiums. Requires that a premium increase of ten percent be applied for an individual who enrolls in a supplement policy outside of their initial enrollment period in Medicare Part B and is not eligible for a guaranteed issue period.

2 **Open enrollment.**

Corrects cross-reference.

3 Applicability.

Removes obsolete reference.

4 Guaranteed renewal.

Lists circumstances under which an individual health plan can not be renewed.

5 Discontinuing individual health plan.

Requires health carriers that want to discontinue a particular type of individual health plan follow notice and offer requirements and allows the commissioner to disapprove the discontinuation.

6 **Coverage cancellation; nonrenewal.**

Adds cross-references.

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- 7 **Cancellation of nonrenewal notice.** Adds cross-references.
- 8 **Replacement coverage.** Makes technical changes.



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