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Section

1 Reimbursement for evidence-based public health nurse home visits. Adds § 256B.7635. For services provided on or after January 1, 2018, sets MA payment rates for prenatal and post-partum follow-up home visits, provided by a public health nurse or a registered nurse, supervised by a public health nurse using evidence-based models, at a minimum of \$140 per visit. Requires follow-up home visits to be administered by home visiting programs that meet specified criteria. Requires home visits to target mothers and their children beginning with prenatal visits through age three for the child.