

H.F. 743

Delete everything amendment (A19-0071)

Subject Payment at allowable cost for prescription medications

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Overview

This bill prohibits a health plan company or pharmacy benefits manager from requiring an individual to pay, for a prescription medication, an amount greater than a defined allowable cost.

Summary

Section Description

1 Lowest cost to consumers.

Amends § 151.71, by adding subd. 3. (a) Prohibits a health plan company or a pharmacy benefits manager from requiring an individual to pay, for a covered prescription medication at the point of sale, an amount greater than the allowable cost to consumers as defined in paragraph (b).

- (b) Defines "allowable cost to consumers" as the lowest of: (1) the applicable copayment;
- (2) the allowable claim amount; or (3) the cost of the medication if purchased without using a health plan benefit.

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