

Subject Limits on Drug Copayments

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Overview

The bill places limits on the copayment that a health plan can require an enrollee to pay at the point of sale.

Summary

Section	Description
1	<p>Limits on prescription drug copayments.</p> <p>Adds § 62Q.495.</p> <p>Prohibits a health plan that provides prescription drug coverage from requiring an enrollee to pay a copayment at the point of sale that is greater than the lesser of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">(1) the allowable claim amount the pharmacy will receive from the health plan company or pharmacy benefit manager; or(2) the amount an individual would pay for the drug at the pharmacy without using health coverage or any other source of drug coverage benefits or applicable discounts. <p>States that the section is effective August 1, 2019, and applies to health plans issued or renewed on or after that date.</p>