

H.F. 921

As introduced

Subject Dental Administrator

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Overview

This bill directs the commissioner of human services to contract with up to two dental administrators to administer dental services for MA and MinnesotaCare recipients.

Summary

Section Description

1 Contract for dental administration services.

Adds § 256B.0375. (a) Directs the commissioner of human services, effective January 1, 2020, to contract with up to two dental administrators, to administer dental services for all recipients of MA and MinnesotaCare.

- (b) Requires the administrator to provide administrative services, including but not limited to:
 - 1) provider recruitment, contracting, and assistance;
 - 2) recipient outreach and assistance;
 - 3) utilization management and medical necessity review for dental services;
 - 4) dental claims processing;
 - 5) coordination with other services;
 - 6) management of fraud and abuse;
 - 7) monitoring access to dental services;
 - 8) performance measurement;
 - 9) quality improvement and evaluation requirements; and
 - 10) management of third-party liability.
- (c) Sets payments to contracted dental providers at the rates established under § 256B.76 (the MA reimbursement rate).



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