

Bill No.: HB0059 **Effective:** 7/1/2016

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Chapter No.: 20

Prime Sponsor: Joint Labor, Health & Social Services Interim Committee

Catch Title: Health care-statutory compliance.

Subject: Statutory compliance for healthcare-related statutes.

Summary/Major Elements:

- This bill makes a number of statutory changes to obsolete language related to health care and administration of the Department of Health.
- The bill specifies the Department of Health shall administer a state supplemental security income program.
- The bill expands the places and means for making application for medical assistance.
- The bill specifies the Department of Health shall administer claims against an estate for medical assistance provided through Medicaid.
- The bill updates a definition in the child health insurance program statutes to include dental care as a covered benefit under the term “private health insurance.”
- The bill clarifies statutory language to specify when the word “department” refers to the Department of Family Services or the Department of Health.
- The bill repeals provisions allowing parents and guardians of children in the child health insurance program to qualify for benefits.

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