
The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Cheryl Horne.

DIGEST

Present law provides that any health care coverage plan which is issued for delivery, delivered, renewed, or otherwise contracted for in this state on or after January 1, 2011, shall provide coverage for step therapy or fail first protocols.

Proposed law retains present law and requires that any health care coverage plan which includes prescription benefits as part of its policy or contract provide coverage for step therapy or fail first protocols.

Effective August 15, 2011.

(Amends R.S. 22:1053(A))