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DIGEST

Heitmeier (SB 489)

<u>Present law</u> provides the Department of Health and Hospitals (DHH) shall submit an action plan, after consulting with and receiving comments from the medical director of each of its contracted Medicaid partners, to the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare and the House Committee on Health and Welfare no later than February first of each year.

<u>Proposed law</u> amends <u>present law</u> to provide DHH shall include within the annual diabetes action plan the most current editions of the standards of medical care in diabetes by the American Diabetes Association and the American Association of Clinical Endocrinologists.

Effective August 1, 2014.

(Amends R.S. 46:2616(intro para); adds R.S. 46:2616(B))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

<u>Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Health and Welfare to the</u> <u>original bill</u>

1. Changes "health care provider" to "health care professional".

Senate Floor Amendments to engrossed bill

- 1. Deleted the particularized provisions of information to be included in the annual diabetes action plan.
- 2. Inserted language to adhere to the most recent standards of medical care for diabetes as provided by the American Diabetes Association and the American Association of Clinical Endocrinologists.