

HOUSE BILL No. 4076

February 2, 1989, Introduced by Reps. Berman, DeMars, Rocca, Hertel, Dolan, Brown, Emerson, Munsell, Stabenow, Jondahl, Johnson, Krause, Saunders, Emmons, Crandall, Gire, Runco, Gubow and Kilpatrick and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

A bill to amend Act No. 350 of the Public Acts of 1980, entitled
"The nonprofit health care corporation reform act,"
as amended, being sections 550.1101 to 550.1704 of the Michigan
Compiled Laws, by adding section 416.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Section 1. Act No. 350 of the Public Acts of 1980, as
2 amended, being sections 550.1101 to 550.1704 of the Michigan
3 Compiled Laws, is amended by adding section 416 to read as
4 follows:

5 SEC. 416. (1) A HEALTH CARE CORPORATION SHALL PROVIDE, UPON
6 ISSUANCE OR RENEWAL, IN EACH GROUP AND NONGROUP CERTIFICATE IF
7 ORDERED BY THE PERSON'S ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, BENEFITS FOR BREAST
8 CANCER DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES, BREAST CANCER TREATMENT, AND BREAST
9 CANCER REHABILITATIVE SERVICES.

1 (2) A HEALTH CARE CORPORATION SHALL PROVIDE, UPON ISSUANCE
2 OR RENEWAL, IN EACH GROUP AND NONGROUP CERTIFICATE IF ORDERED BY
3 THE PERSON'S ATTENDING PHYSICIAN, BENEFITS FOR BREAST CANCER
4 SCREENING MAMMOGRAPHY, AS FOLLOWS:

5 (A) FOR 1 SCREENING MAMMOGRAPHY EXAMINATION IF PERFORMED ON
6 A WOMAN 35 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER AND UNDER 40 YEARS OF AGE.

7 (B) FOR 1 SCREENING MAMMOGRAPHY EXAMINATION EVERY 12 MONTHS
8 IF PERFORMED ON A WOMAN 40 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER.

9 (3) THIS SECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO SERVICE-SPECIFIC
10 CERTIFICATES.

11 (4) AS USED IN THIS SECTION:

12 (A) "BREAST CANCER DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES" MEANS A PROCEDURE
13 INTENDED TO AID IN THE DIAGNOSIS OF BREAST CANCER, DELIVERED ON
14 AN INPATIENT OR OUTPATIENT BASIS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO
15 MAMMOGRAPHY, SURGICAL BREAST BIOPSY, AND PATHOLOGIC EXAMINATION
16 AND INTERPRETATION.

17 (B) "BREAST CANCER REHABILITATIVE SERVICES" MEANS A PROCE-
18 DURE INTENDED TO IMPROVE THE RESULT OF, OR AMELIORATE, THE DEBIL-
19 ITATING CONSEQUENCES OF TREATMENT OF BREAST CANCER, DELIVERED ON
20 AN INPATIENT OR OUTPATIENT BASIS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO,
21 RECONSTRUCTIVE PLASTIC SURGERY, PHYSICAL THERAPY, BREAST PROSTHE-
22 SIS, AND PSYCHOLOGICAL AND SOCIAL SUPPORT SERVICES.

23 (C) "BREAST CANCER SCREENING MAMMOGRAPHY" MEANS A STANDARD
24 2-VIEW PER BREAST, LOW-DOSE RADIOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE
25 BREASTS, USING EQUIPMENT DESIGNED AND DEDICATED SPECIFICALLY FOR
26 MAMMOGRAPHY, IN ORDER TO DETECT UNSUSPECTED BREAST CANCER.

1 (D) "BREAST CANCER TREATMENT SERVICES" MEANS A PROCEDURE
2 INTENDED TO TREAT CANCER OF THE HUMAN BREAST, DELIVERED ON AN
3 INPATIENT OR OUTPATIENT BASIS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, SUR-
4 GERY, RADIATION THERAPY, CHEMOTHERAPY, HORMONAL THERAPY, AND
5 RELATED MEDICAL FOLLOW-UP SERVICES.

6 (E) "SERVICE-SPECIFIC CERTIFICATE" MEANS A GROUP OR NONGROUP
7 CERTIFICATE PROVIDING COVERAGE SOLELY FOR 1 OF THE FOLLOWING:
8 DENTAL CARE, HEARING CARE, VISION CARE, PRESCRIPTION DRUGS, OR
9 ANOTHER TYPE OF HEALTH CARE BENEFIT.