

HOUSE BILL No. 4120

February 7, 1991, Introduced by Reps. Berman, Byrum, Bouchard, Gubow, Martin, Bartnik, Nye, Anthony, Ouwinga, Hunter, Emerson, Olshove, Baade, Gire and DeMars and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

A bill to amend Act No. 368 of the Public Acts of 1978, entitled as amended "Public health code," as amended, being sections 333.1101 to 333.25211 of the Michigan Compiled Laws, by adding section 21054u.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 Section 1. Act No. 368 of the Public Acts of 1978, as
2 amended, being sections 333.1101 to 333.25211 of the Michigan
3 Compiled Laws, is amended by adding section 21054u to read as
4 follows:

5 SEC. 21054U. UPON ISSUANCE OR RENEWAL OF AN INDIVIDUAL OR
6 GROUP CONTRACT THAT PROVIDES OR OFFERS TO PROVIDE COVERAGE FOR A
7 FAMILY MEMBER OF THE SUBSCRIBER, A HEALTH MAINTENANCE
8 ORGANIZATION SHALL PROVIDE COVERAGE IN THAT CONTRACT UPON THE
9 SUBSCRIBER'S ELECTION FOR THE SUBSCRIBER'S ADOPTED CHILDREN

1 BEGINNING FROM THE DATE OF PLACEMENT FOR THE PURPOSE OF ADOPTION
2 AND CONTINUING UNTIL THE CONTRACT IS CANCELED OR DISCONTINUED OR
3 THE PLACEMENT IS DISRUPTED PRIOR TO LEGAL ADOPTION AND THE CHILD
4 IS REMOVED FROM PLACEMENT. COVERAGE UNDER THIS SECTION FOR THE
5 ADOPTED OR PLACED CHILD SHALL BE THE SAME AS COVERAGE FOR THE
6 SUBSCRIBER'S OTHER DEPENDENTS OR, IF THE SUBSCRIBER HAS NO DEPENDENTS,
7 SHALL BE THE SAME AS COVERAGE FOR DEPENDENTS AND SHALL NOT
8 CONTAIN ANY PREEXISTING CONDITION LIMITATIONS, INSURABILITY, ELI-
9 GIBILITY, OR HEALTH UNDERWRITING APPROVAL PROVISIONS THAT ONLY
10 PERTAIN TO ADOPTED CHILDREN.