



HOUSE BILL No. 5884

June 8, 2000, Introduced by Reps. Raczkowski, Ehardt, Law and Caul and referred to the Committee on Insurance and Financial Services.

A bill to amend 1956 PA 218, entitled
"The insurance code of 1956,"
(MCL 500.100 to 500.8302) by adding section 2213c.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 SEC. 2213C. (1) BY JANUARY 1, 2001, THE COMMISSIONER SHALL
2 DEVELOP A UNIFORM PRESCRIPTION DRUG INFORMATION CARD OR TECHNOL-
3 OGY TO BE USED BY EACH HEALTH PLAN THAT PROVIDES COVERAGE FOR
4 PRESCRIPTION DRUGS OR DEVICES OR ADMINISTERS A PLAN THAT PROVIDES
5 COVERAGE FOR PRESCRIPTION DRUGS OR DEVICES.

6 (2) THE UNIFORM PRESCRIPTION DRUG INFORMATION CARD OR TECH-
7 NOLOGY DEVELOPED BY THE COMMISSIONER UNDER SUBSECTION (1) SHALL
8 BE IN A FORMAT APPROVED BY THE COMMISSIONER AND BASED ON THE
9 FORMAT APPROVED BY THE NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR PRESCRIPTION DRUG
10 PROGRAMS, SHALL INCLUDE ALL OF THE REQUIRED AND CONDITIONAL OR
11 SITUATIONAL FIELDS, AND SHALL CONFORM TO THE PHARMACY

1 IDENTIFICATION CARD OR TECHNOLOGY IMPLEMENTATION GUIDE PRODUCED
2 BY THE NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR PRESCRIPTION DRUG PROGRAMS OR TO A
3 NATIONAL FORMAT APPROVED BY THE COMMISSIONER THAT INCLUDES ALL OF
4 THE FOLLOWING:

- 5 (A) ALLERGIES.
- 6 (B) CO-PAY.
- 7 (C) DATE OF BIRTH.
- 8 (D) EFFECTIVE DATE.
- 9 (E) DEPENDENTS.

10 (3) THE UNIFORM PRESCRIPTION DRUG INFORMATION CARD OR TECH-
11 NOLOGY DEVELOPED BY THE COMMISSIONER UNDER SUBSECTION (1) SHALL
12 BE ISSUED BY A HEALTH PLAN UPON ENROLLMENT AND REISSUED UPON ANY
13 CHANGE IN COVERAGE THAT IMPACTS DATA CONTAINED ON THE CARD OR
14 TECHNOLOGY.

15 (4) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "HEALTH PLAN" MEANS ALL OF THE
16 FOLLOWING:

17 (A) AN INSURER PROVIDING BENEFITS UNDER AN EXPENSE-INCURRED
18 HOSPITAL, MEDICAL, OR SURGICAL POLICY OR CERTIFICATE, BUT DOES
19 NOT INCLUDE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

20 (i) ANY POLICY OR CERTIFICATE THAT PROVIDES COVERAGE ONLY
21 FOR ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

- 22 (A) VISION.
- 23 (B) DENTAL.
- 24 (C) SPECIFIC DISEASES.
- 25 (D) ACCIDENTS.

26 (ii) HOSPITAL INDEMNITY POLICY OR CERTIFICATE.

1 (iii) DISABILITY INCOME POLICY OR CERTIFICATE.
2 (iv) COVERAGE ISSUED AS A SUPPLEMENT TO LIABILITY
3 INSURANCE.
4 (v) MEDICAL PAYMENTS UNDER AUTOMOBILE, HOMEOWNERS, OR
5 WORKER'S COMPENSATION INSURANCE.
6 (B) A MEWA REGULATED UNDER CHAPTER 70 THAT PROVIDES HOSPI-
7 TAL, MEDICAL, OR SURGICAL BENEFITS.
8 (C) A HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATION LICENSED OR ISSUED A
9 CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY IN THIS STATE.
10 (D) A HEALTH CARE CORPORATION OPERATING UNDER THE NONPROFIT
11 HEALTH CARE CORPORATION REFORM ACT, 1980 PA 350, MCL 550.1101 TO
12 550.1704.
13 (E) A THIRD PARTY ADMINISTRATOR LICENSED UNDER THE THIRD
14 PARTY ADMINISTRATOR ACT, 1984 PA 218, MCL 550.901 TO 550.962.
15 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect
16 January 1, 2001.