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Senate Bill 107 (as introduced 2-26-25)

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## **CONTENT**

The bill would amend Chapter 34 (Disability Insurance Policies) of the Insurance Code to require an insurer that delivered, issued for delivery, or renewed in Michigan a health insurance policy that provided coverage for immunization agents to provide coverage for all of the following, beginning January 1, 2026:

- -- A qualified immunizing agent listed on the Immunization Schedules of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention that was administered by a pharmacist under Section 17724 of the Public Health Code, at a pharmacy within the insurer's network.
- -- A qualified laboratory test ordered by a pharmacist under Section 17724a of the Code, at a pharmacy within the insurer's network.
- -- A drug dispensed by a pharmacist as provided under Section 17724a of the Code, at a pharmacy within the insurer's network.

(Section 17724 of the Public Health Code allows a pharmacist to order and administer a qualified immunizing agent, without acting under the direction of a physician, to an individual who is three years old or older. "Qualified immunizing agent" means an immunizing agent that is a vaccine recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration (FDA).

Section 17724a of the Code allows a pharmacist to order and administer a qualified laboratory test if the test is classified as waived by the FDA, requires specimen collection only by nose, mouth, or finger, and is used to screen for COVID-19, influenza, or a respiratory infection.)

The coverage required above would be subject to a health insurance policy's utilization management, prior authorization, or precertification requirements. An insurer described above could subject coverage required above to applicable cost-sharing, including deductible, co-insurance, or co-pay provisions of the insurer's health insurance policy.

Proposed MCL 500.3406ss

Legislative Analyst: Alex Krabill

## **PREVIOUS LEGISLATION**

(This section does not provide a comprehensive account of previous legislative efforts on this subject matter.)

The bill is a reintroduction of Senate Bill 993 of the 2023-2024 Legislative Session. Senate Bill 993 passed by the Senate but received no further action.

## **FISCAL IMPACT**

The bill would have no fiscal impact on State or local government.

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