



# Alaska State Legislature

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### House Bill 25

### Sectional Analysis —Version O

#### Section 1.

##### *Sec. 21.42.427. Coverage for contraceptives.*

Requires a health care insurer to provide coverage for prescription contraceptives and to provide reimbursement to a health care provider or dispensing entity for dispensing prescription contraceptives intended to last for a 12-month period for subsequent dispensing.

#### Section 2.

##### *Sec. 39.30.090. Procurement of group insurance.*

Clarifies that group health insurance policies covering employees of a participating governmental unit are subject to the requirements of Section 1.

#### Section 3.

##### *Sec. 39.30.091. Authorization for self-insurance and excess loss insurance.*

Clarifies that a self-insured group medical plan covering active state employees provided under this section is subject to the requirements of Section 1.

#### Section 4.

##### *Sec. 47.07.065. Payment for prescribed drugs.*

Requires the Department of Health and Social Services to pay for prescription contraceptives intended to last for a 12-month period for subsequent dispensing for eligible recipients of medical assistance, if prescribed to and requested by the recipient, as well as pay for specified related services.

#### Section 5.

##### *Uncodified law - applicability*

Requires the Department of Health and Social Services to amend and submit for federal approval a state plan for medical assistance coverage consistent with Section 4 of this Act.

#### Section 6.

##### *Uncodified law - applicability*

Provides that Section 4 of this Act takes effect only if the provisions of Section 4 of this Act receive federal approval.

#### Section 7.

##### *Uncodified law – effective date*

Provides for an effective date for Section 4 of this Act.

#### Section 8.

##### *Uncodified law -effective date*

Except for Sec. 7 of this Act, provides for a January 1, 2018 effective date.