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Senate Bill 91 Sectional Analysis — Version A

Section 1

AS 08.02.130. Telehealth

Amends subsection (b) to expand who may provide health care services through telehealth. An out of state member of the physician's multidisciplinary care team may provide telehealth services under the following conditions: (1) for on-going treatment or follow-up care by the member of the physician's multidisciplinary care team if the physician and patient have an established physician-patient relationship and the physician has previously conducted an inperson visit; or (2) for a visit regarding a suspected or diagnosed life-threatening condition for which the patient has been referred to the physician licensed in another state or a member of the physician's multidisciplinary care team and the visit involves communication with the patient regarding diagnostic or treatment plan options or analysis of test results for the life-threatening condition.

Section 2

AS 08.02.130. Telehealth

Amends the definition of "health care provider" in this section to include a member of a multidisciplinary care team that includes a physician licensed in another state who meets the requirements of (b)(1) of this section.

Section 3

AS 08.02. Miscellaneous Provisions

Adds new sections AS 08.02.135: Grounds for imposition of disciplinary sanctions of out-of-state multidisciplinary care team members and AS 08.02.140: Disciplinary sanctions for out-of-state multidisciplinary care team member.