

By Senator Sullivan

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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to health care contracts;
3 amending s. 627.419, F.S.; requiring certain
4 health insurance policies to pay for the
5 services of advanced registered nurse
6 practitioners; providing an effective date.

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8 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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10 Section 1. Subsection (9) is added to section 627.419,
11 Florida Statutes, to read:

12 627.419 Construction of policies.--

13 (9) Any health insurance policy that provides for
14 payment for services performed by a physician licensed under
15 chapter 458 or chapter 459, which services may be legally
16 performed by licensed advanced registered nurse practitioners,
17 shall be construed as providing for payment of such services
18 if performed by a licensed advanced registered nurse
19 practitioner. Services of an advanced registered nurse
20 practitioner must be performed in accordance with protocols
21 and under physician medical supervision or on-site medical
22 direction as required by ss. 464.012 and 395.0191.

23 Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a
24 law.

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27 SENATE SUMMARY

28 Provides that health insurance policies that provide
29 certain benefits must pay for the services of advanced
30 registered nurse practitioners.

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