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Representative(s) Joyner offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

On page 11, between lines 17 and 18,

insert:

Section 8. Effective July 1, 2002, subsections (1), (12) and (23) of section 409.906, Florida Statutes as amended by Section 3 of chapter 2001-377, Laws of Florida, are amended to read:

409.906 Optional Medicaid services.--Subject to specific appropriations, the agency may make payments for services which are optional to the state under Title XIX of the Social Security Act and are furnished by Medicaid providers to recipients who are determined to be eligible on the dates on which the services were provided. Any optional service that is provided shall be provided only when medically necessary and in accordance with state and federal law. Optional services rendered by providers in mobile units to Medicaid recipients may be restricted or prohibited by the agency. Nothing in this section shall be construed to prevent

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1 or limit the agency from adjusting fees, reimbursement rates,
2 lengths of stay, number of visits, or number of services, or
3 making any other adjustments necessary to comply with the
4 availability of moneys and any limitations or directions
5 provided for in the General Appropriations Act or chapter 216.
6 If necessary to safeguard the state's systems of providing
7 services to elderly and disabled persons and subject to the
8 notice and review provisions of s. 216.177, the Governor may
9 direct the Agency for Health Care Administration to amend the
10 Medicaid state plan to delete the optional Medicaid service
11 known as "Intermediate Care Facilities for the Developmentally
12 Disabled." Optional services may include:

13 (1) ADULT DENTURE SERVICES.--The agency may pay for
14 dentures, the procedures required to seat dentures, and the
15 repair and reline of dentures, provided by or under the
16 direction of a licensed dentist, for a recipient who is age 21
17 or older. However, Medicaid will not provide reimbursement for
18 dental services provided in a mobile dental unit, except for a
19 mobile dental unit:

20 (a) Owned by, operated by, or having a contractual
21 agreement with the Department of Health and complying with
22 Medicaid's county health department clinic services program
23 specifications as a county health department clinic services
24 provider.

25 (b) Owned by, operated by, or having a contractual
26 arrangement with a federally qualified health center and
27 complying with Medicaid's federally qualified health center
28 specifications as a federally qualified health center
29 provider.

30 (c) Rendering dental services to Medicaid recipients,
31 21 years of age and older, at nursing facilities.

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1 (d) Owned by, operated by, or having a contractual
2 agreement with a state-approved dental educational
3 institution.

4 ~~(e) This subsection is repealed July 1, 2002.~~

5 (12) ~~CHILDREN'S~~ HEARING SERVICES.--The agency may pay
6 for hearing and related services, including hearing
7 evaluations, hearing aid devices, dispensing of the hearing
8 aid, and related repairs, if provided to a recipient ~~under age~~
9 ~~21~~ by a licensed hearing aid specialist, otolaryngologist,
10 otologist, audiologist, or physician.

11 (23) ~~CHILDREN'S~~ VISUAL SERVICES.--The agency may pay
12 for visual examinations, eyeglasses, and eyeglass repairs for
13 a recipient ~~under age 21~~, if they are prescribed by a licensed
14 physician specializing in diseases of the eye or by a licensed
15 optometrist

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18 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

19 And the title is amended as follows:

20 On page 1, line 22 after the semicolon,

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22 and insert:

23 amending s. 409.906, F.S.; revising guidelines
24 for payment for certain services; revising
25 eligibility for certain Medicaid services;

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