

## Florida Senate - 2010

Committee	Amendment
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The Committee on Health and Human Services Appropriations (Peaden and Gaetz) recommended the following amendment:

Section: 03 **EXPLANATION:** 

Revises the proviso immediately following Specific On Page: 018

Appropriation 204 related to prepaid dental health

Spec App: 204 plans.

NET IMPACT ON:	<u>Total Funds</u>	General Revenue	<u> Trust Funds</u>	
Recurring -	0	0	0	
Non-Recurring -	0	0	0	

Positions & Amount

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DELETE

INSERT

AGENCY FOR HEALTH CARE ADMINISTRATION Program: Health Care Services Medicaid Services To Individuals 68501400

In Section 03 On Page 018 204 Special Categories 102673 Prepaid Health Plans

DELETE the proviso immediately following Specific Appropriation 204:

From the funds in Specific Appropriation 204, the Agency for Health Care Administration is authorized to contract on a prepaid or fixed-sum basis with appropriately-licensed prepaid dental health plans to provide dental services. The agency may contract with a single qualified entity to provide dental services on a regional or statewide basis that will result in greater efficiency to the state and will facilitate better access and outcomes for Medicaid beneficiaries. The contract shall be awarded through a competitive procurement. The agency may include in this contract dental services that are provided through the Medicaid fee for service and managed care delivery system, but shall exclude Miami-Dade County. If the agency includes the managed care delivery system, the agency may also include Medicaid reform counties. agency is authorized to seek any necessary state plan amendments or federal waivers to implement this provision.

Insert proviso immediately following Specific Appropriation 204:

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From the funds in Specific Appropriation 204, the Agency for Health Care Administration is authorized to contract on a prepaid or fixed-sum basis with appropriately-licensed prepaid dental health plans to provide dental services for a period not to exceed two years. The agency may contract with a single qualified entity to provide dental services on a regional or statewide basis that will result in greater efficiency to the state and will facilitate better access and outcomes for Medicaid beneficiaries. On a quarterly basis, the contracting entity shall report Medicaid beneficiary utilization data and encounter data by Current Dental Terminology (CDT) code to the agency. On an annual basis, the agency shall provide a report comparing the data provided by the contracting entity with available data from the pool of Medicaid recipients from previous years to the Speaker of the House, the Senate President and the Governor. The contract(s) shall be awarded through competitive procurement. The agency shall include in the contract(s), a provision that requires no less than 90% of the contracting fee be used to directly offset the cost of providing direct patient care as opposed to administrative costs. The agency may include in this contract dental services that are provided through the Medicaid fee for service and managed care delivery system, but shall exclude Miami-Dade County. the agency includes the managed care delivery system, the agency may also include Medicaid reform counties. The agency is authorized to seek any necessary state plan amendments or federal waivers to implement this provision.

Line item amendments are accepted as part of the amendatory process. However, due to the necessity of using computerized systems this may entail a different placement within a budget entity or the renumbering of the specific appropriation items.