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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate	.	House
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02/29/2012	.	
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The Committee on Budget (Bennett) recommended the following:

1 **Senate Amendment to Amendment (616172) (with title**
2 **amendment)**

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4 Delete lines 93 - 104
5 and insert:

6 3. Reimbursement for services provided by each type of
7 licensed medical provider authorized to render such services
8 under subparagraph 2. is limited to the lesser of 24 treatments
9 or to services rendered within 24 weeks after the date of the
10 initial treatment, whichever comes first, unless the insurer
11 authorizes additional services.

12 4. Medical benefits include massage as defined in s.
13 480.033 or acupuncture as defined in s. 457.102. However,



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14 massage and acupuncture services may not be reimbursed under
15 this section unless such services are rendered by a licensed
16 massage therapist or licensed acupuncturist who is under the
17 direct supervision of a physician licensed under chapter 458 or
18 chapter 459, or a chiropractic physician licensed under chapter
19 460.

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21 Delete line 420

22 and insert:

23 Services, relating to applicable modifiers, to determine the

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25 Delete lines 680 - 694

26 and insert:

27 1. An entity wholly owned by a physician licensed under
28 chapter 458 or chapter 459, by a chiropractic physician licensed
29 under chapter 460, or by the physician or chiropractic physician
30 and the spouse, parent, child, or sibling of the physician or
31 chiropractic physician;

32 2. An entity wholly owned by a dentist licensed under
33 chapter 466, or by the dentist and the spouse, parent, child, or
34 sibling of the dentist;

35 3. A hospital or ambulatory surgical center licensed under
36 chapter 395; or

37 4. An entity that wholly owns or is wholly owned, directly
38 or indirectly, by a hospital or hospitals licensed under chapter
39 395.

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

42 And the title is amended as follows:



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43 Delete lines 923 - 925
44 and insert:
45 providing that massage and acupuncture services that
46 are rendered by specified licensees, under certain
47 circumstances, may be reimbursed under the motor
48 vehicle no-fault law; requiring that an insurer repay