



940750

LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate

.

House

.

.

Floor: WD/2R

.

04/03/2014 04:35 PM

.

.

Senator Garcia moved the following:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

Delete lines 232 - 238

and insert:

Section 7. Effective upon this act becoming a law,
paragraph (d) of subsection (1) and subsection (7) of section
409.975, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

409.975 Managed care plan accountability.—In addition to
the requirements of s. 409.967, plans and providers
participating in the managed medical assistance program shall



940750

11 comply with the requirements of this section.

12 (1) PROVIDER NETWORKS.—Managed care plans must develop and
13 maintain provider networks that meet the medical needs of their
14 enrollees in accordance with standards established pursuant to
15 s. 409.967(2)(c). Except as provided in this section, managed
16 care plans may limit the providers in their networks based on
17 credentials, quality indicators, and price.

18 ~~(d) Each managed care plan must offer a network contract to~~
19 ~~each home medical equipment and supplies provider in the region~~
20 ~~which meets quality and fraud prevention and detection standards~~
21 ~~established by the plan and which agrees to accept the lowest~~
22 ~~price previously negotiated between the plan and another such~~
23 ~~provider.~~

24
25 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

26 And the title is amended as follows:

27 Delete line 18

28 and insert:

29 requirement that a managed care plan offer a network
30 contract to home medical equipment and supplies
31 providers that contains certain provisions, and that a
32 managed care plan accept certain