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CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

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Representative Jones offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 561 and 562, insert:

Section 16. Subsection (5) of section 409.982, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

409.982 Long-term care managed care plan accountability.-

In addition to the requirements of s. 409.967, plans and providers participating in the long-term care managed care program must comply with the requirements of this section.

(5) PROVIDER PAYMENT.-

(a) Managed care plans and providers shall negotiate mutually acceptable rates, methods, and terms of payment. Plans

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14 shall pay nursing homes an amount equal to the nursing facility-
 15 specific payment rates set by the agency; however, mutually
 16 acceptable higher rates may be negotiated for medically complex
 17 care. Plans shall pay hospice providers through a prospective
 18 system for each enrollee an amount equal to the per diem rate
 19 set by the agency. For recipients residing in a nursing facility
 20 and receiving hospice services, the plan shall pay the hospice
 21 provider the per diem rate set by the agency minus the nursing
 22 facility component and shall pay the nursing facility the
 23 applicable state rate. Plans must ensure that electronic nursing
 24 home and hospice claims that contain sufficient information for
 25 processing are paid within 10 business days after receipt.

26 (b) Managed care plans shall pay assisted living
 27 facilities within 10 days after the submission of an electronic
 28 claim. For recipients residing in and receiving services from an
 29 assisted living facility, a plan shall pay the facility a rate
 30 that reflects the medical acuity and complexity associated with
 31 the residents based upon a three-tiered reimbursement payment
 32 system for care. The plan shall ensure that special payments are
 33 made for residents who are diagnosed with serious mental
 34 illnesses and who require complex care as a result of dementia
 35 or residents who require greater supervision to ensure their
 36 safety.

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Remove line 59 and insert:
program under certain circumstances; amending s.
409.982, F.S.; requiring that managed care plans pay
assisted living facilities within a specified period
after the submission of an electronic claim; requiring
that a plan pay a facility a certain rate based upon a
three-tiered reimbursement payment system and ensure
that special payments are made for certain residents;
amending s.