

review program, (4) hospital charge audit program, ~~(5)-audit of-mental--nervous---claims---in excess-of-ten-visits,-and-(6)~~ (5) accounts specific management reporting capabilities. Further, provided that the employee contribution levels for the two three plans to be offered to State employees under this new program should be established as follows: (1) preferred provider plan -- the State's share will be established at 95% of the costs, the employee's share to be set at 5% of cost, (2) the high option plan and the full service plan -- the State's share for the full service plan shall be set at 85% ~~-95%-of--the--preferred--provider plan-cost~~ and the State share for the high option plan or any other plan shall be set at 85% of the full service plan and the employee's share shall be the balance of cost for ~~this these~~ plan plans. The above contribution rates shall be in effect during fiscal year 1985. The General Assembly continues to be concerned about the large increases in both cost and utilization of employee health insurance benefits. The proposed preferred provider plan, and other similar approaches are being developed as cost-containment alternatives while still providing an employee with an adequate level of health services. The Secretary of Personnel and the Secretary of Budget and Fiscal Planning shall develop additional cost incentives and employee health insurance plan alternatives, which will encourage state employees to select more cost-efficient programs and to utilize health care benefits more efficiently. Additional alternative plans and cost containment initiatives shall be provided to the Budget Committees