

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 48A, § 468C(a)(1).

Defined terms: "Carrier" § 15-901

"Medicare supplement policy" § 15-901

15-905. RESTORATION OF BENEFITS.

A CARRIER SHALL RESTORE ANY BENEFIT THAT WAS ELIMINATED FROM A MEDICARE SUPPLEMENT POLICY BECAUSE OF THE FEDERAL MEDICARE CATASTROPHIC COVERAGE ACT OF 1988.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section was formerly Art. 48A, § 468BA.

The only changes are in style.

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15-906. POLICY PROVISIONS.

(A) MINIMUM BENEFITS.

AT A MINIMUM, A MEDICARE SUPPLEMENT POLICY SHALL PROVIDE:

(1) TO THE EXTENT NOT COVERED BY MEDICARE, COVERAGE OF MEDICARE PART A ELIGIBLE EXPENSES FOR HOSPITALIZATION FROM THE 61ST DAY THROUGH THE 90TH DAY OF A MEDICARE BENEFIT PERIOD;

(2) TO THE EXTENT NOT COVERED BY MEDICARE, COVERAGE OF MEDICARE PART A ELIGIBLE EXPENSES INCURRED AS DAILY HOSPITAL CHARGES DURING USE OF MEDICARE'S LIFETIME HOSPITAL INPATIENT RESERVE DAYS;

(3) AFTER ALL MEDICARE HOSPITAL INPATIENT COVERAGE IS EXHAUSTED, INCLUDING LIFETIME RESERVE DAYS, SUBJECT TO THE LIFETIME MAXIMUM BENEFIT OF AN ADDITIONAL 365 DAYS, COVERAGE OF ALL MEDICARE PART A ELIGIBLE EXPENSES FOR HOSPITALIZATION NOT COVERED BY MEDICARE PAID AT THE RATE OF THE DIAGNOSTIC RELATED GROUP (DRG) DAY OUTLIER PER DIEM OR, IF APPLICABLE, THE PER DIEM APPROVED BY THE HEALTH SERVICES COST REVIEW COMMISSION;

(4) COVERAGE FOR THE COINSURANCE AMOUNT OF MEDICARE ELIGIBLE EXPENSES UNDER MEDICARE PART B REGARDLESS OF HOSPITAL CONFINEMENT;

(5) UNLESS REPLACED IN ACCORDANCE WITH FEDERAL REGULATIONS OR ALREADY PAID FOR UNDER MEDICARE PART B, COVERAGE UNDER MEDICARE PART A FOR THE REASONABLE COST IN A CALENDAR YEAR OF THE FIRST 3 PINTS OF BLOOD OR, AS DEFINED BY FEDERAL REGULATIONS, EQUIVALENT QUANTITIES OF PACKED RED BLOOD CELLS; AND

(6) UNLESS REPLACED IN ACCORDANCE WITH FEDERAL REGULATIONS OR ALREADY PAID FOR UNDER MEDICARE PART A AND SUBJECT TO THE MEDICARE PART B DEDUCTIBLE AMOUNT, COVERAGE UNDER MEDICARE PART B FOR THE