

~~BY adding to~~

~~Article - Insurance~~

~~Section 15-126~~

~~Annotated Code of Maryland~~

~~(1997 Volume and 1998 Supplement)~~

~~BY adding to~~

~~Article - Health - General~~

~~Section 19-706(ff)~~

~~Annotated Code of Maryland~~

~~(1996 Replacement Volume and 1998 Supplement)~~

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Health - General

Section 19-1508(c)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1996 Replacement Volume and 1998 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

**Article - Insurance**

~~15-126.~~

~~(A) (1) IN THIS SECTION THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.~~

~~(2) "AUTHORIZED PRESCRIBER" HAS THE MEANING STATED IN § 12-101 OF THE HEALTH OCCUPATIONS ARTICLE.~~

~~(3) "FORMULARY" MEANS A LIST OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS THAT ARE COVERED BY AN ENTITY SUBJECT TO THIS SECTION.~~

~~(4) (1) "MEMBER" MEANS AN INDIVIDUAL ENTITLED TO HEALTH CARE BENEFITS UNDER A POLICY OR CONTRACT DELIVERED OR ISSUED FOR DELIVERY IN THE STATE BY AN ENTITY SUBJECT TO THIS SECTION.~~

~~(H) "MEMBER" INCLUDES A SUBSCRIBER.~~

~~(B) THIS SECTION APPLIES TO:~~

~~(1) INSURERS AND NONPROFIT HEALTH SERVICE PLANS THAT:~~

~~(i) PROVIDE COVERAGE FOR PRESCRIPTION DRUGS UNDER HEALTH INSURANCE POLICIES OR CONTRACTS THAT ARE DELIVERED OR ISSUED FOR DELIVERY IN THE STATE TO EMPLOYERS OR INDIVIDUALS ON A GROUP OR INDIVIDUAL BASIS; AND~~

~~(ii) LIMIT COVERAGE OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS TO THOSE IN A FORMULARY; AND~~