

CARRIER THAT ARISES FROM A GRIEVANCE FILED WITH THE CARRIER UNDER ITS INTERNAL GRIEVANCE PROCESS REGARDING AN ADVERSE DECISION CONCERNING A MEMBER.

~~(F)~~ (G) "HEALTH ADVOCACY UNIT" MEANS THE HEALTH EDUCATION AND ADVOCACY UNIT IN THE DIVISION OF CONSUMER PROTECTION OF THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL ESTABLISHED UNDER TITLE 13, SUBTITLE 4A OF THE COMMERCIAL LAW ARTICLE.

~~(G)~~ (H) "HEALTH CARE PROVIDER" MEANS:

(1) AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IS LICENSED UNDER THE HEALTH OCCUPATIONS ARTICLE TO PROVIDE HEALTH CARE SERVICES IN THE ORDINARY COURSE OF BUSINESS OR PRACTICE OF A PROFESSION AND IS A TREATING PROVIDER OF THE MEMBER; OR

~~(2) A HEALTH CARE FACILITY DEFINED AS:~~

~~(A) A HOSPITAL AS DEFINED IN § 19-301 OF THE HEALTH - GENERAL ARTICLE; OR~~

~~(B) AN AMBULATORY SURGICAL FACILITY IN § 19-3B-01 OF THE HEALTH - GENERAL ARTICLE.~~

~~(H) "HEALTH CARE SERVICE" MEANS A HEALTH OR MEDICAL CARE PROCEDURE OR SERVICE RENDERED BY A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER THAT:~~

~~(1) PROVIDES TESTING, DIAGNOSIS, OR TREATMENT OF A HUMAN DISEASE OR DYSFUNCTION; OR~~

~~(2) DISPENSES DRUGS, MEDICAL DEVICES, MEDICAL APPLIANCES, OR MEDICAL GOODS FOR THE TREATMENT OF A HUMAN DISEASE OR DYSFUNCTION.~~

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~~(H)~~ (J) (1) "MEMBER" MEANS A PERSON ENTITLED TO HEALTH CARE BENEFITS UNDER A POLICY, PLAN, OR CERTIFICATE ISSUED OR DELIVERED IN THE STATE BY A CARRIER.

(2) "MEMBER" INCLUDES:

(I) A SUBSCRIBER; AND