

# INDEX

	Chapter	Page
Dental services, added as medical assistance benefit for pregnant women; increased access to dental services for all Medicaid enrollees and establishment of a 5-year Oral Health Care Plan with utilization targets and an Office of Oral Health, required .	112	1129
Directories of participating providers or hospitals, inclusion of name and contact points of State agencies for discussing issues of quality of care, complaints, and billing disputes, requirements added .....	113	1176
External review by Health and Mental Hygiene Department of the quality of health care services provided to HMO members, frequency requirements altered .....	126	1255
General anesthesia for dental care, coverage requirements added .	116	1190
Hospital emergency facility services required by Federal Emergency Medical Treatment and Active Labor Act, reimbursement of facility and provider required .....	398	2004
Insurance Administration funding mechanism altered; Insurance Regulation Fund and annual assessment of insurers, provisions added; agent and broker fees and form filing fees, altered; use of insurance product forms and term of office of Insurance Commissioner, provisions altered .....	605	2977
Maintenance drugs, 90-day supply in single dispensing of prescription, provisions amended and termination date repealed	606	2981
Mandated health insurance services, review and report by Health Care Access and Cost Commission, requirements added; Interdepartmental Committee on Mandated Health Insurance Benefits, provisions repealed .....	774	3580
Patient care costs in medical clinical trials for life-threatening diseases, coverage requirements added; Workgroup on Insurance Coverage for Patient Care Cost in Clinical Trials, established .....	672	3215
Prescription contraceptive drugs and devices, coverage required .	588	2916
Reimbursement of health care practitioner for cost of oncology drugs used to treat patients in the office, provisions added .....	118	1194
<b>Health Occupations --</b>	119	1200
Assigning, transferring, or subcontracting a health care provider's contract by a health insurance carrier without provider's consent, or retaliation for nonconsent, prohibited .....	117	1192
Audiology, qualifications altered for license to practice; limited licenses to practice audiology or speech-language pathology or provide hearing aid services, provisions altered; speech language pathologist assistant, provisions added; violation of consumer protection laws prohibited .....	192	1414
<b>Boards --</b>		
Adoption of regulations prohibiting and disciplining sexual misconduct, requirements added .....	417	2056
Codes of conduct for members and investigators, studies and reports, requirements added .....	44	612
	130	1262
	129	1261