



General Assembly

**Substitute Bill No. 1295**

*January Session, 2001*

**AN ACT REQUIRING STANDARDIZED PRESCRIPTION DRUG  
INFORMATION CARDS.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1       (NEW) Each insurer, health care center, hospital or medical service  
2 corporation, fraternal benefit society or other entity delivering, issuing  
3 for delivery, amending, renewing or continuing a health insurance  
4 policy or plan in this state on or after October 1, 2002, shall issue its  
5 insureds and enrollees a card or other technology containing uniform  
6 prescription drug information that conforms with regulations that the  
7 Insurance Commissioner shall adopt in accordance with chapter 54 of  
8 the general statutes. The regulations (1) shall require the inclusion of  
9 any standardized information required by the federal Health Insurance  
10 Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, as amended from time to  
11 time; and (2) may conform to the pharmacy identification card or  
12 technology implementation guide produced by the National Council  
13 for Prescription Drug Programs, as amended from time to time.

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