



General Assembly

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Committee Bill No. 5044

LCO No. 2826

Referred to Committee on Public Health

Introduced by:
(PH)

AN ACT CONCERNING TALKING PRESCRIPTION DRUG CONTAINERS.

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

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2003*) Each individual health
2 insurance policy providing coverage of the type specified in
3 subdivisions (1), (2), (4), (11) and (12) of section 38a-469 of the general
4 statutes delivered, issued for delivery, renewed, amended or
5 continued in this state on or after October 1, 2003, shall provide
6 coverage for prescription containers that give audio recorded
7 prescription information, including prescribed dosages, when
8 specifically ordered by a licensed prescribing authority for a person
9 with a visual impairment.

10 Sec. 2. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2003*) Each group health insurance
11 policy providing coverage of the type specified in subdivisions (1), (2),
12 (4), (11) and (12) of section 38a-469 of the general statutes delivered,
13 issued for delivery, renewed, amended or continued in this state on or
14 after October 1, 2003, shall provide coverage for prescription
15 containers that give audio recorded prescription information,
16 including prescribed dosages, when specifically ordered by a licensed
17 prescribing authority for a person with a visual impairment.

