



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 425

LCO No. 2111

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Referred to Committee on Insurance and Real Estate

Introduced by:
(INS)

**AN ACT ENSURING PAYMENT FOR HEALTH CARE SERVICES
RENDERED TO CONNECTICUT RESIDENTS WITH AN ELEVATED
BLOOD ALCOHOL CONTENT.**

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

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2006*) No insurer that delivers,
2 issues for delivery, amends, renews or continues an automobile, life or
3 health insurance policy in this state on or after October 1, 2006, shall
4 deny coverage for any injury or loss sustained by any person when
5 such injury or loss is alleged to have occurred or occur under
6 circumstances in which (1) such person has an elevated blood alcohol
7 content, as defined in subsection (a) of section 14-227a of the 2006
8 supplement to the general statutes, or (2) such person has sustained
9 such injury or loss while under the influence of intoxicating liquor or
10 any drug or both.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>October 1, 2006</i>	New section
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Statement of Purpose:

To ensure payment for health care services rendered to state residents who have an elevated blood alcohol content or who are under the influence of intoxicating liquor or any drug or both.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]