

# HOUSE BILL No. 1248

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## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 12-15-2-13.

**Synopsis:** Postpartum Medicaid for pregnant women. Provides that Medicaid is available to an eligible pregnant woman for the duration of the pregnancy and for the one year postpartum period that begins on the last day of the pregnancy, without regard to any change in income of the family of which she is a member during that time.

**Effective:** July 1, 2020.

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January 7, 2020, read first time and referred to Committee on Public Health.

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Second Regular Session of the 121st General Assembly (2020)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

1 SECTION 1. IC 12-15-2-13, AS AMENDED BY P.L.85-2017,  
2 SECTION 56, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
3 JULY 1, 2020]: Sec. 13. (a) A pregnant woman:  
4 (1) who is not described in 42 U.S.C. 1396a(a)(10)(A)(i); and  
5 (2) whose family income does not exceed the income level  
6 established in subsection (b);  
7 is eligible to receive Medicaid.  
8 (b) A pregnant woman described in this section is eligible to receive  
9 Medicaid, subject to subsections (c) and (d) and 42 U.S.C. 1396a et  
10 seq., if her family income does not exceed two hundred percent (200%)  
11 of the federal income poverty level for the same size family.  
12 (c) Medicaid made available to a pregnant woman described in this  
13 section is limited to medical assistance for services related to  
14 pregnancy, including prenatal, delivery, and postpartum services, and  
15 to other conditions that may complicate pregnancy.  
16 (d) Medicaid is available to a pregnant woman described in this  
17 section for the duration of the pregnancy and for the ~~sixty (60) day~~ **one**



- 1     **(1) year** postpartum period that begins on the last day of the pregnancy,
- 2     without regard to any change in income of the family of which she is
- 3     a member during that time.

