

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2097

Sponsor: REPRESENTATIVE MAYES

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1 Amend Bill, page 1, lines 1 through 12, by striking out all
2 of said lines and inserting

3 Amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), entitled "An
4 act to consolidate, editorially revise, and codify the public
5 welfare laws of the Commonwealth," in public assistance,
6 providing for coverage for blood pressure monitors.

7 Amend Bill, page 1, lines 15 through 21; page 2, lines 1
8 through 12; by striking out all of said lines on said pages and
9 inserting

10 Section 1. The act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), known
11 as the Human Services Code, is amended by adding a section to
12 read:

13 Section 443.15. Coverage for Blood Pressure Monitors.--(a)
14 A government program shall provide coverage for medically
15 necessary home blood pressure monitors that have been validated
16 for clinical accuracy for pregnant or postpartum enrollees for
17 each pregnancy.

18 (b) As used in this section, the following words and phrases
19 shall have the meanings given to them in this subsection unless
20 the context clearly indicates otherwise:

21 "Enrollee." An individual entitled to receive health care
22 services under a government program.

23 "Government program." A program of government-sponsored or
24 government-subsidized health care coverage, including:

25 (1) The children's health insurance program under Article
26 XXIII-A of the act of May 17, 1921 (P.L.682, No.284), known as
27 "The Insurance Company Law of 1921."

28 (2) Subdivision (f) of Article IV.

29 "Postpartum." Within one year of delivery or the end of
30 pregnancy.

31 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.