

General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6081



Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES

Introduced by: REP. KEITT, 134th Dist. REP. LEEPER, 132nd Dist. REP. MCCARTHY VAHEY, 133rd Dist.

AN ACT EXPANDING PREVENTIVE ORAL HEALTH SERVICES FOR ADULT MEDICAID BENEFICIARIES.

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

That title 17b of the general statutes be amended to expand Medicaidfunded oral health services for adults by (1) excluding preventive services such as dental cleanings and oral exams from an annual benefit cap, (2) providing coverage for periodontal treatment and a second annual dental cleaning, and (3) expanding access by increasing Medicaid reimbursement rates for providers of adult dental services.

Statement of Purpose:

To improve adult oral health for Medicaid beneficiaries by expanding preventive services and increasing reimbursement rates for dental providers who serve Medicaid beneficiaries.