

SB260_L.008

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Health & Human Services.

SB23-260 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, page 4, after line 5, insert:

2 "(f) IF FEDERAL OR STATE MONEY IS MADE AVAILABLE TO PAY FOR
3 THE ADMINISTRATION COSTS OF A PUBLICLY FUNDED VACCINE, A
4 PRACTITIONER WHO ADMINISTERS THE VACCINE MAY REQUEST PAYMENT
5 FROM THE FEDERAL OR STATE SOURCE."

6 Page 4, strike lines 10 through 13 and substitute:

7 "(5) A PRACTITIONER SHALL PROVIDE A PUBLICLY FUNDED
8 VACCINE TO ANY AGE-APPROPRIATE INDIVIDUAL WHO REGISTERS FOR AN
9 APPOINTMENT WITH THE PRACTITIONER TO RECEIVE THE PUBLICLY FUNDED
10 VACCINE WITHIN THE PRACTITIONER'S SCOPE OF PRACTICE.

11 (6) EACH PRACTITIONER IS ENCOURAGED TO ESTABLISH AN
12 ELECTRONIC LINK AND A TELEPHONE NUMBER FOR INDIVIDUALS TO USE TO
13 SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT FOR A PUBLICLY FUNDED VACCINE. TO BE
14 ACCESSIBLE, THE LINK SHOULD BE SEPARATE FROM ANY REGULAR PATIENT
15 PORTAL WITH RESTRICTED ACCESS AND THE SCHEDULING SERVICES
16 SHOULD BE ACCESSIBLE TO INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES.

17 (7) THIS SECTION DOES NOT MODIFY THE REQUIREMENTS FOR
18 PRACTITIONERS, INCLUDING INDEPENDENT PHARMACIES, SERVING CLIENTS
19 PURSUANT TO THE "COLORADO MEDICAL ASSISTANCE ACT", ARTICLES 4,
20 5, AND 6 OF TITLE 25.5, OR FEDERALLY QUALIFIED HEALTH CENTERS TO
21 MEET THE FEDERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR THESE PROGRAMS FOR THE
22 ADMINISTRATION OF PUBLICLY FUNDED VACCINES."

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