

SENATE BILL No. 329

March 1, 2007, Introduced by Senator PATTERSON and referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

A bill to amend 1980 PA 350, entitled
"The nonprofit health care corporation reform act,"
(MCL 550.1101 to 550.1704) by adding section 416e.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 SEC. 416E. A HEALTH CARE CORPORATION THAT ISSUES OR RENEWS IN
2 THIS STATE ON OR AFTER JANUARY 1, 2008 A GROUP OR NONGROUP
3 CERTIFICATE THAT PROVIDES COVERAGE FOR MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES SHALL
4 PROVIDE FOR BOTH OF THE FOLLOWING:

5 (A) THAT COST-SHARING REQUIREMENTS AND BENEFIT OR SERVICE
6 LIMITATIONS FOR OUTPATIENT MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES DO NOT PLACE A
7 GREATER FINANCIAL BURDEN ON THE MEMBER AND ARE NOT MORE RESTRICTIVE
8 THAN THOSE REQUIREMENTS AND LIMITATIONS FOR OUTPATIENT MEDICAL
9 SERVICES.

10 (B) THAT COST-SHARING REQUIREMENTS AND BENEFIT OR SERVICE

1 LIMITATIONS FOR INPATIENT HOSPITAL MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES DO NOT
2 PLACE A GREATER FINANCIAL BURDEN ON THE MEMBER AND ARE NOT MORE
3 RESTRICTIVE THAN THOSE REQUIREMENTS AND LIMITATIONS FOR INPATIENT
4 HOSPITAL MEDICAL SERVICES.