May 12, 2010

H1692. MEDICAID DENTAL/SPECIAL NEEDS POPULATION. Filed 5/12/10. TO REQUIRE THE DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE, AND THE DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH, IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, TO EXPLORE ISSUES RELATED TO PROVIDING DENTAL SERVICES TO THE SPECIAL NEEDS POPULATION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING.

As title indicates. Requires that the divisions include in the study: (1) the feasibility and anticipated impact of expanding Medicaid reimbursement to cover evidence-based fluoride and periodontal therapies for high risk adults and (2) the feasibility and anticipated impact of implementing facility code policies to allow certified providers to bill for each long-term care or group home patient on the date of service. Requires the agency to report to the North Carolina Study Commission on aging by November 15, 2011.

Intro. by Farmer-Butterfield, Weiss, Pierce, England.

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Adds that DHHS must also report its findings and recommendations from the study to the Public Health Study Commission by November 15, 2011. Makes clarifying linguistic changes and makes a conforming change to the title.

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