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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1255

By: Representative Wooldridge

By: Senator B. Davis

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND THE COVERAGE OF A CONTINUOUS GLUCOSE MONITOR IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO AMEND THE COVERAGE OF A CONTINUOUS GLUCOSE MONITOR IN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 20-77-148(c), concerning the coverage of a continuous glucose monitor within the Arkansas Medicaid Program, is amended to read as follows:

(c) Coverage for a continuous glucose monitor under the Arkansas Medicaid Program shall allow the beneficiary to obtain a continuous glucose monitor through:

(1) A prescription at a pharmacy and be eligible for rebates as a pharmacy benefit; or

(2)(A) A written order from a ordering practitioner for durable medical equipment provided by a durable medical equipment provider and be eligible as a durable medical equipment benefit.

(B) A durable medical provider shall not be required to submit a National Drug Code as part of any claim submission under this section.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 20-77-148, concerning coverage of



continuous glucose monitors within the Arkansas Medicaid Program, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(d) Regardless of whether the coverage for a continuous glucose monitor is provided through a pharmacy or a durable medical equipment provider, the Department of Human Services shall:

(1) Implement consistent approval requirements; and

(2) Reimburse for a continuous glucose monitor provided by a durable medical equipment provider at no less than the Medicare reimbursement under the Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System.

/s/Wooldridge

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