

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law.

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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 593

By: Senator J. Cooper

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO REFORM THE HEALTHCARE DELIVERY SYSTEM  
WITHIN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM FOR SERVICES TO  
INDIVIDUALS WITH BEHAVIORAL HEALTH DIAGNOSES AND  
DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES; TO ESTABLISH PARTNERSHIPS  
BETWEEN PROVIDER ORGANIZATIONS AND MANAGED CARE  
ORGANIZATIONS OR ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES  
ORGANIZATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

TO REFORM THE HEALTHCARE DELIVERY SYSTEM  
WITHIN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM FOR  
SERVICES TO INDIVIDUALS WITH BEHAVIORAL  
HEALTH DIAGNOSES AND DEVELOPMENTAL  
DISABILITIES.

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

SECTION 1. The purpose of this act is to reform the healthcare delivery system within the Arkansas Medicaid program for services to individuals with behavioral health diagnoses and developmental disabilities and to establish partnerships between provider organizations and managed care organizations or administrative services organizations.

