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HOUSE BILL No. 1091

DIGEST OF HB 1091 (Updated January 17, 2023 10:14 am - DI 140)

Citations Affected: IC 12-15; IC 12-17.6; noncode.

Synopsis: Continuous eligibility under Medicaid and CHIP. Changes the requirements for submitting eligibility information for an individual who is: (1) less than 19 years of age; and (2) a recipient of either the Medicaid program or the children's health insurance program (CHIP) (programs). (Current law concerning the submission of eligibility information in the programs applies to individuals less than three years of age.)

Effective: July 1, 2023.

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January 9, 2023, read first time and referred to Committee on Public Health.
January 17, 2023, reported — Do Pass. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means pursuant to Rule 127.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2022 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 12-15-2-15.8, AS ADDED BY P.L.218-2007,
2 SECTION 10, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3 JULY 1, 2023]: Sec. 15.8. After an individual who is less than ~~three (3)~~
4 **nineteen (19)** years of age is determined to be eligible for Medicaid
5 under section 14 of this chapter, the individual is not required to submit
6 eligibility information more frequently than once in a twelve (12)
7 month period until the child becomes ~~three (3)~~ **nineteen (19)** years of
8 age.
9 SECTION 2. IC 12-17.6-3-3, AS AMENDED BY P.L.218-2007,
10 SECTION 42, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
11 JULY 1, 2023]: Sec. 3. (a) Subject to subsections (b) and (c), a child
12 who is eligible for the program shall receive services from the program
13 until the earlier of the following:
14 (1) The child becomes financially ineligible.
15 (2) The child becomes nineteen (19) years of age.
16 (b) Subsection (a) applies only if the child and the child's family
17 comply with enrollment requirements.

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1 (c) After a child who is less than ~~three (3)~~ **nineteen (19)** years of
2 age is determined to be eligible for the program, the child is not
3 required to submit eligibility information more frequently than once in
4 a twelve (12) month period until the child becomes ~~three (3)~~ **nineteen**
5 **(19)** years of age.

6 SECTION 3. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2023] (a) **Before September**
7 **1, 2023, the office of the secretary of family and social services shall**
8 **apply for any state plan amendment or Medicaid waiver necessary**
9 **to change the age set forth in IC 12-15-2-15.8, as amended by this**
10 **act, concerning continuous eligibility for the Medicaid program**
11 **from a Medicaid recipient who is less than three (3) years of age to**
12 **a Medicaid recipient who is less than nineteen (19) years of age.**

13 (b) **Before September 1, 2023, the office of Medicaid policy and**
14 **planning shall apply for any federal approval necessary to change**
15 **the age set forth in IC 12-17.6-3-3, as amended by this act,**
16 **concerning continuous eligibility for the children's health**
17 **insurance program from a recipient who is less than three (3) years**
18 **of age to a recipient who is less than nineteen (19) years of age.**

19 (c) **This SECTION expires December 31, 2023.**



COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health, to which was referred House Bill 1091, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to HB 1091 as introduced.)

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Committee Vote: Yeas 12, Nays 0

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