

ARKANSAS SENATE
89th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2013
Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 1384

TO REQUIRE THAT CAREGIVERS FOR THE MEDICAID INDEPENDENTCHOICES PROGRAM BE
TESTED FOR ILLEGAL DRUG USE AND UNDERGO CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS.

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1384

Amend House Bill No. 1384 as engrossed, H2/27/13 (version: 02/27/2013 09:49:27 AM)

Add Senator Irvin as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete lines 8 and 9 and substitute the following:

"AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT IN-HOME CAREGIVERS WHO ARE PAID THROUGH THE MEDICAID PROGRAM BE TESTED FOR ILLEGAL DRUG"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 15 and 16 and substitute the following:

"TO REQUIRE THAT IN-HOME CAREGIVERS WHO ARE PAID THROUGH MEDICAID BE"

AND

Page 1, line 25, delete "IndependentChoices" and substitute "In-home"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 28 and 29 and substitute the following:

"responsibility for the protection, in-home care, or custody of a Medicaid enrollee as a result of assuming the responsibility by contract or"

AND

Page 2, delete line 4 and substitute the following:

"least one (1) time every five (5) years.

(iii) A caregiver who has been tested through a home health agency within the previous five (5) years for the use of illegal drugs may satisfy the testing requirement under this subsection (b) by providing verification of the home health agency test."



AND

Page 2, line 8, delete "under the IndependentChoices Program" and substitute "paid with Medicaid funds"

AND

Page 2, line 15, delete "under the IndependentChoices"

AND

Page 2, line 16, delete "Program" and substitute "paid with Medicaid funds"

AND

Page 3, line 1, delete "under the"

AND

Page 3, delete line 2 and substitute the following:
"paid with Medicaid funds; or"

AND

Page 3, line 3, delete "under the"

AND

Page 3, delete line 4 and substitute the following:
"paid with Medicaid funds."

AND

Page 3, line 7, delete "in the" from the end of the line

AND

Page 3, delete line 8 and substitute the following:
"to provide services paid with Medicaid funds"

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and _____

By: Senator Irvin

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Secretary