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AHCCCS; drug treatment; testing; reporting

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SENATE BILL 1467

AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 36, CHAPTER 29, ARTICLE 1, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY
ADDING SECTION 36-2907.03; RELATING TO THE ARIZONA HEALTH CARE COST
CONTAINMENT SYSTEM.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Title 36, chapter 29, article 1, Arizona Revised
3 Statutes, is amended by adding section 36-2907.03, to read:

4 36-2907.03. Recovery support and accountability program;
5 DNA-matched drug testing; requirements; annual
6 report

7 A. THE RECOVERY SUPPORT AND ACCOUNTABILITY PROGRAM IS ESTABLISHED
8 IN THE ARIZONA HEALTH CARE COST CONTAINMENT SYSTEM TO INCENTIVIZE
9 PROVIDERS TO MONITOR AND SUPPORT MEMBERS AND INCREASE SUCCESSFUL RECOVERY.
10 ON APPROVAL BY THE CENTERS FOR MEDICARE AND MEDICAID SERVICES, IN ANY
11 SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER TREATMENT PROVIDED PURSUANT TO THIS ARTICLE, THE
12 ADMINISTRATION SHALL INCENTIVIZE PROVIDERS TO IMPLEMENT TRANSITIONAL
13 SUPPORTS, INCLUDING RANDOM DNA-MATCHED DRUG TESTING FOR A MEMBER WHO HAS
14 GRADUATED FROM AN TREATMENT PROGRAM FUNDED BY THE ADMINISTRATION, UNLESS
15 THE MEMBER IS ON PROBATION OR PAROLE. THE DRUG TESTING MUST OCCUR AT
16 LEAST TWO TIMES EACH MONTH FOR SIX MONTHS IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING GRADUATION
17 FROM THE TREATMENT PROGRAM AND INCLUDE TESTING FOR PSYCHOTROPIC
18 MEDICATIONS.

19 B. ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1, 2023 AND ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1 OF EACH
20 YEAR THEREAFTER, THE ADMINISTRATION SHALL SUBMIT A REPORT TO THE GOVERNOR,
21 THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE, THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
22 AND THE CHAIRPERSONS OF THE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEES IN THE
23 SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, OR THEIR SUCCESSOR COMMITTEES,
24 AND SHALL PROVIDE A COPY OF THE REPORT TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE. THE
25 REPORT SHALL INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION FOR THE PRECEDING YEAR
26 RELATING TO SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER TREATMENT PROGRAMS FUNDED BY THE
27 ADMINISTRATION:

28 1. THE TOTAL NUMBER OF GRADUATED MEMBERS AND THE MEMBERS'
29 EMPLOYMENT STATUS, INDICATING FULL-TIME OR PART-TIME EMPLOYMENT.

30 2. THE PERCENTAGE OF GRADUATED MEMBERS WHO RELAPSED WITHIN THE
31 SIX-MONTH TRACKING PERIOD THAT IS VERIFIED BY THE REQUIRED DNA-MATCHED
32 DRUG TESTING.

33 3. THE NUMBER OF GRADUATED MEMBERS WHO ARE THE SUBJECT OF THE
34 DEPARTMENT OF CHILD SERVICES OVERSIGHT, INCLUDING THE NUMBER OF THOSE
35 MEMBERS WHO ARE PARENTS WHO ARE ENGAGED IN REUNIFICATION OR HAVE BEEN
36 REUNIFIED WITH THEIR CHILDREN.

37 4. THE NUMBER OF GRADUATED MEMBERS WHO RETURNED TO AN
38 ADMINISTRATION-FUNDED DRUG TREATMENT PROGRAM WITHIN SIX MONTHS AFTER
39 GRADUATION.

40 5. THE NUMBER OF GRADUATED MEMBERS WHO ARE IDENTIFIED AS HOMELESS
41 OR ARE IN SUPPORTIVE SOBER LIVING.

1 Sec. 2. Conditional enactment; notice

2 A. Section 36-2907.03, Arizona Revised Statutes, as added by this
3 act, does not become effective unless on or before October 1, 2025 the
4 Arizona health care cost containment system administration receives
5 approval from the centers for medicare and medicaid services to implement
6 the recovery support and accountability program.

7 B. The Arizona health care cost containment system administration
8 shall notify the director of the Arizona legislative council in writing on
9 or before October 1, 2025 either:

10 1. Of the date on which the condition was met.

11 2. That the condition was not met.