

2032

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Brief Title: Adopting a patient bill of rights.

HB 2032 - DIGEST

Declares an intent that patients covered by health plans receive quality health care and that they: (1) Have sufficient and timely access to appropriate health care services;

(2) have choice among providers;

(3) are assured that health care decisions are made by appropriate medical personnel;

(4) have access to information regarding their health plans;

(5) have access to a quick and impartial process for appealing plan denials;

(6) are protected from unnecessary invasions of health care privacy;

(7) are assured that personal health care information will be used appropriately; and

(8) are protected from unfair and deceptive practices.