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By Representative Rodne

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 On page 2, line 3, after "contact" insert ", and must reimburse an originating site for the infrastructure and preparation of the patient for the telemedicine services,"

 On page 2, line 25, after "to," insert "utilization review,"

 On page 2, line 28, after "plan" insert ": To reimburse an originating site for professional fees,"

 On page 2, line 29, after "plan" insert ","

 On page 2, line 35, after "telemedicine" insert ", which prepares the patient for the telemedicine services and provides the infrastructure for the telemedicine services to occur"

 On page 3, line 11, after "contact" insert ", and must reimburse an originating site for the infrastructure and preparation of the patient for the telemedicine services,"

 On page 3, line 35, after "to," insert "utilization review,"

 On page 4, line 1, after "carrier" insert ": To reimburse an originating site for professional fees,"

 On page 4, line 3, after "plan" insert ","

 On page 4, line 7, after "telemedicine" insert ", which prepares the patient for the telemedicine services and provides the infrastructure for the telemedicine services to occur"

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|  |  EFFECT: Requires a health plan to reimburse an originating site for the infrastructure and preparation of the patient for the telemedicine service. Allows a health plan to deny coverage to the originating site for professional fees. Narrows the definition of "originating site" to include only a site that prepares the patient for the telemedicine services and provides the infrastructure for the telemedicine services to occur. Allows a health plan to subject telemedicine services to utilization review. |

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