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By Representative Hunter

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1 AN ACT Relating to payments by the health care authority to managed
2 health care systems; and amending RCW 70.47.110.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 70.47.110 and 2011 1st sp.s. c 15 s 84 are each
5 amended to read as follows:

6 The health care authority may make payments to ~~((participating))~~
7 managed health care systems, as defined in RCW 74.09.522 or in this
8 chapter, on behalf of any ~~((enrollee))~~ person who is a recipient of
9 medical care under chapter 74.09 RCW, ~~((at))~~ up to the maximum rate
10 allowable for federal matching purposes under Title XIX of the social
11 security act. Any enrollee on whose behalf the health care authority
12 makes such payments may continue as an enrollee, making premium
13 payments based on the enrollee's own income as determined under the
14 sliding scale, after eligibility for coverage under chapter 74.09 RCW
15 has ended, as long as the enrollee remains eligible under this chapter.
16 Nothing in this section affects the right of any person eligible for
17 coverage under chapter 74.09 RCW to receive the services offered to
18 other persons under that chapter but not included in the schedule of
19 basic health care services covered by the plan. The director shall

1 seek to determine which enrollees or prospective enrollees may be
2 eligible for medical care under chapter 74.09 RCW and may require these
3 individuals to complete the eligibility determination process under
4 chapter 74.09 RCW prior to enrollment or continued participation in the
5 plan. The director shall adopt procedures to facilitate the transition
6 of plan enrollees and payments on their behalf between the plan and the
7 programs established under chapter 74.09 RCW.

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