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31A-8a-102 Definitions.

As used in this chapter:

- (1) "Fee" means any periodic charge for use of a discount program.
- (2) "Health care provider" means a health care provider as defined in Section 78B-3-403, with the exception of "licensed athletic trainer," who:
 - (a) is practicing within the scope of the provider's license; and
 - (b) has agreed either directly or indirectly, by contract or any other arrangement with a health discount program operator, to provide a discount to enrollees of a health discount program.
- (3)
 - (a) "Health discount program" means a business arrangement or contract in which a person pays fees, dues, charges, or other consideration in exchange for a program that provides access to health care providers who agree to provide a discount for health care services.
 - (b) "Health discount program" does not include a program that does not charge a membership fee or require other consideration from the member to use the program's discounts for health services.
- (4) "Health discount program marketer" means a person, including a private label entity, that markets, promotes, sells, or distributes a health discount program but does not operate a health discount program.
- (5) "Health discount program operator" means a person that provides a health discount program by entering into a contract or agreement, directly or indirectly, with a person or persons in this state who agree to provide discounts for health care services to enrollees of the health discount program and determines the charge to members.
- (6) "Marketing" means making or causing to be made any communication that contains information that relates to a product or contract regulated under this chapter.
- (7) "Value-added benefit" means a discount offering with no additional charge made by a health insurer or health maintenance organization that is licensed under this title, in connection with existing contracts with the health insurer or health maintenance organization.

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