

MEDICAID VISION AMENDMENTS

2016 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Paul Ray

Senate Sponsor: Allen M. Christensen

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill amends the Medicaid populations required to be included in certain requests for proposals.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ▶ amends the Medicaid populations that the Department of Health must include in a request for proposals for Medicaid vision services; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

Money Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

AMENDS:

26-18-19, as enacted by Laws of Utah 2013, Chapter 366

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section **26-18-19** is amended to read:

26-18-19. Medicaid vision services -- Request for proposals.

The department may select one or more contractors, in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 6a, Utah Procurement Code, to provide vision services to ~~all~~ the Medicaid populations that are eligible for vision services, as described in department rules, without

30 restricting provider participation, and within existing appropriations from the Legislature.