

**SENATE BILL No. 217**

By Committee on Ways and Means

2-25

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1 AN ACT concerning insurance; relating to health insurance; requiring the  
2 state healthcare benefits program to accept participation as a provider  
3 by any willing pharmacist.  
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5 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

6 Section 1. (a) This section shall be known and may be cited as the  
7 Greg Lewis prescription accessibility act.

8 (b) Any state health benefits plan under the state healthcare benefits  
9 program administered by the Kansas state employees healthcare  
10 commission that is delivered, issued for delivery, amended or renewed on  
11 or after January 1, 2020, shall accept participation as a provider in such  
12 state health benefits plan by any licensed pharmacist in the state of Kansas  
13 willing to accept reasonable contract terms offered by such state health  
14 benefits plan.

15 Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its  
16 publication in the statute book.