

**SENATE  
STATE OF MINNESOTA  
NINETY-THIRD SESSION**

**S.F. No. 120**

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Introduction and first reading  
Referred to Health and Human Services

OFFICIAL STATUS

1.1 A bill for an act  
1.2 relating to insurance; limiting co-payments for prescription drugs and related  
1.3 medical supplies prescribed to treat a chronic disease; proposing coding for new  
1.4 law in Minnesota Statutes, chapter 62Q.

1.5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA:

1.6 Section 1. **[62Q.481] CO-PAYMENTS FOR PRESCRIPTION DRUGS TO TREAT**  
1.7 **CHRONIC DISEASE.**

1.8 Subdivision 1. **Co-payment limit.** A health plan that imposes co-payments on the  
1.9 coverage of prescription drugs must limit the amount of any co-payment to \$25 per  
1.10 one-month supply for prescription drugs prescribed to treat a chronic disease and related  
1.11 medical supplies necessary to administer the prescription drugs.

1.12 Subd. 2. **Definition of chronic disease.** For purposes of this section, "chronic disease"  
1.13 means diabetes, asthma, and allergies requiring the use of epinephrine auto-injectors.

1.14 **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This section is effective January 1, 2024, and applies to health  
1.15 plans offered, issued, and renewed on or after that date.