

HB 1632 -- INSULIN AND EPINEPHRINE

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This bill requires insurers that provide coverage for epinephrine auto-injectors or prescription insulin drugs to limit the total amount that an insured is required to pay for a 30 day supply of covered epinephrine auto-injectors or prescription insulin drugs to an amount not to exceed \$35 for insulin and \$100 for epinephrine injectors, regardless of the quantity or type of covered prescription insulin drug used to fill the insured's prescription. The limit can increase yearly based on a percentage equal to the percentage change from the preceding year in the medical care component of the Consumer Price Index.

The Department of Commerce and Insurance, in conjunction with the Department of Health and Senior Services and the Department of Social Services, shall make a report available to the public of findings from each department as specified in the bill by October 31, 2024.

This bill is similar to HCS HB 342 (2023).