

SENATE BILL 1074

By Harris

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 71,  
Chapter 5, relative to medical assistance services  
for sickle cell disease.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 71-5-107(a), is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:

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(A) Sickle cell disease management services and public education campaign activities specifically related to sickle cell disease, as authorized by 42 U.S.C. § 1396d(a)(27) and (x), with reimbursement in accordance with any applicable state plan amendment;

(B) Any contract between a managed care organization (MCO) and the bureau of TennCare to provide medical assistance pursuant to this part shall be appropriately revised or amended in order to comply with the implementation of subdivision (a)(25)(A);

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect January 1, 2016, the public welfare requiring it.