

House \_\_\_\_\_ Amendment NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Offered By \_\_\_\_\_

1 AMEND House Committee Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 718,  
2 Page 1, Section 338.202, Line 16, by inserting immediately after said section and line the following:

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4 "376.1197. 1. As used in this section, the following terms shall mean:

5 (1) "Covered person", a policyholder, subscriber, enrollee, participant, or other individual  
6 covered by a health benefit plan;

7 (2) "Health benefit plan", the same as defined under section 376.1350;

8 (3) "Health care provider", the same as defined under section 376.1650;

9 (4) "Health carrier", the same as defined under section 376.1350; and

10 (5) "Hormonal contraceptive", a medication taken to prevent pregnancy by means of  
11 ingestion of hormones, including medications containing estrogen or progesterone, that is self-  
12 administered, requires a prescription, and is approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration  
13 for such purpose.

14 2. Any health benefit plan that is amended, renewed, or delivered on or after January 1,  
15 2019, that provides coverage for hormonal contraceptives shall cover up to a twelve-month supply  
16 of hormonal contraceptives when dispensed or furnished at one time for a covered person by a  
17 provider, pharmacy, or at a location licensed or otherwise authorized to dispense drugs or supplies.

18 3. Nothing in this section shall be construed to require a provider to prescribe, furnish, or  
19 dispense twelve months of self-administered hormonal contraceptives at one time.

20 4. A health benefit plan that provides coverage for hormonal contraceptives, in the absence  
21 of clinical contraindications, shall not impose utilization controls or other forms of medical  
22 management limiting the supply of hormonal contraceptives that may be dispensed or furnished by a  
23 provider, pharmacy, or at a location licensed or otherwise authorized to dispense drugs or supplies to  
24 an amount that is less than a twelve-month supply.

25 5. This section shall not be construed to exclude coverage for hormonal contraceptives as  
26 prescribed by a provider, acting within the scope of the provider's practice, for reasons other than  
27 contraceptive purposes.

28 6. Nothing in this section shall be construed to require a health carrier to cover hormonal  
29 contraceptives provided by a provider, pharmacy, or at a location licensed or otherwise authorized to  
30 dispense drugs or supplies that does not participate in the health carrier's provider network, except  
31 as otherwise authorized or required by state law or by the plan's policies governing out-of-network  
32 coverage."; and

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34 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references  
35 accordingly.

Action Taken \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_