

HB 1685 -- SHORT-TERM MAJOR MEDICAL POLICIES

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This bill exempts short-term major medical policies from several health insurance mandates in Chapter 376, RSMo, and allows such policies to have a term of less than one year. Currently, the term limit is up to six months duration.

The bill requires the fact page of all short-term major medical policies to include a disclosure stating "this policy does not satisfy the individual mandate of the Affordable Care Act and you may be subject to the individual shared responsibility payment fee."

This bill is the same as HB 708 (2017).