HB 2469 A STAFF MEASURE SUMMARY

Senate Committee On Human Services, Mental Health and Recovery

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WHAT THE MEASURE DOES:

Adds mental health wellness appointments to the list of behavioral health services a coordinated care organization (CCO) must offer its members.

House committee: unanimous House floor: unanimous Minimal fiscal impact; no revenue impact

ISSUES DISCUSSED:

EFFECT OF AMENDMENT:

No amendment.

BACKGROUND:

The Legislative Assembly enacted House Bill 3091 in 2017 to require coordinated care organizations (CCOs) to offer and prioritize specified behavioral health services for members, including behavioral health assessments and medically necessary treatments for individuals in crisis.

House Bill 2469 A adds mental health wellness appointments to the list of behavioral health services CCO must offer its members.

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