

Session of 2016

SENATE BILL No. 341

By Committee on Public Health and Welfare

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1 AN ACT concerning the Kansas medical assistance program; relating to
2 the electronic claims management system; removing certain limitations
3 thereunder; amending K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 39-7,121 and repealing the
4 existing section.

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6 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

7 Section 1. K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 39-7,121 is hereby amended to read as
8 follows: 39-7,121. (a) The department of health and environment shall
9 establish and implement an electronic pharmacy claims management
10 system in order to provide for the on-line adjudication of claims and for
11 electronic prospective drug utilization review.

12 (b) The system shall provide for electronic point-of-sale review of
13 drug therapy using predetermined standards to screen for potential drug
14 therapy problems including incorrect drug dosage, adverse drug-drug
15 interactions, drug-disease contraindications, therapeutic duplication,
16 incorrect duration of drug treatment, drug-allergy interactions and clinical
17 abuse or misuse.

18 ~~(c) The department of health and environment shall not utilize this~~
19 ~~system, or any other system or program to require that a recipient has~~
20 ~~utilized or failed with a drug usage or drug therapy prior to allowing the~~
21 ~~recipient to receive the product or therapy recommended by the recipient's~~
22 ~~physician.~~

23 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 2015 Supp. 39-7,121 is hereby repealed.

24 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its
25 publication in the statute book.

(c) The department of health and environment shall not utilize the system established under this section, or any other system or program, to require that a recipient has utilized or failed with a drug usage or drug therapy prior to allowing the recipient to receive any product or therapy recommended by the recipient's physician if such recommended drug usage or drug therapy commenced on or before July 1, 2016.