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H 3351 General Bill, By Lucas, Neilson, Davenport, J. Hines, McGee, Cobb-Hunter, Spearman, Lourie, M. McLeod, Bales, Phillips, Altman, Ott, McMahand, McKay, Harris, Lee, Rutherford, Jennings and Gilham Similar (S 0382, H 3417)

Summary: Health insurance plans, coverage for alcohol or drug abuse, mental illness; Medical, Managed care
A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 38-71-285 SO AS TO
REQUIRE HEALTH INSURANCE PLANS TO PROVIDE COVERAGE FOR TREATMENT OF MENTAL ILLNESS OR
ALCOHOL OR SUBSTANCE ABUSE, TO ALLOW A PLAN THAT DOES NOT PROVIDE FOR MANAGEMENT OF CARE OR
THE SAME DEGREE OF MANAGEMENT OF CARE FOR ALL HEALTH CONDITIONS, TO PROVIDE COVERAGE FOR
SUCH TREATMENT THROUGH A MANAGED CARE ORGANIZATION, TO ESTABLISH TREATMENT CONDITIONS TO
QUALIFY FOR COVERAGE, AND TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE TO REPORT TO THE GENERAL
ASSEMBLY ON THE FISCAL IMPACT.

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