

SF562 • Iowa

A bill for an act relating to utilization review organizations, prior authorizations and exemptions, medical billing, and independent review organizations.

Introduced

Risk: Medium

Comprehensive

Last Action (Mar 11, 2025): Subcommittee: Driscoll, Petersen, and Warme. S.J. 492.

Summary

The bill addresses utilization review organizations, prior authorizations, and medical billing practices in Iowa.

Business Impact

If you operate in healthcare, review SF562 for potential changes in utilization review processes.

Key Provisions

- Procedures for utilization review organizations are addressed.
- Criteria for prior authorizations are established.
- Standards for medical billing and independent review organizations are set.

Compliance Checklist

- Ensure AI systems used for utilization review comply with defined criteria. | Who: Health carriers | Penalty: Potential fines or sanctions from the insurance division.
- Respond to prior authorization requests within specified timeframes. | Who: Utilization review organizations | Penalty: Complaints may be filed with the insurance division.
- Publish annual statistics on prior authorization approvals and denials. | Who: Health carriers | Penalty: Non-compliance may lead to regulatory scrutiny.

Industries Affected

Topics

AI Healthcare

Bill Sponsors

Name	Party	Role
COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE		Primary
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TRONE GARRIOTT		Primary
DONAHUE		Primary
PETERSEN		Primary
ZIMMER		Primary
WAHLS		Primary

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