ILHIC Regulatory Tracking 8-30-21

Regulator Item	Description	Status	Notes/Updates
Telehealth Executive Order <u>E.O 2020-09</u>	Requires health insurers to cover the costs of telehealth services rendered by in network providers.	In effect.	ONLY SECTIONS 9 and 10 E.O. 2021-15 was extended through September 18, 2021. Section 9 was amended to include HIPAA provisions. Revisions linked here .
Producer Licensure Executive Order <u>E.O</u> 2020-29	Allows insurance producers and public adjusters to complete required coursework via webinar or other approved distance learning. Extended temporary insurance producer licenses. Suspends requirement that two-part producer examination testing must be passed within 90 days of each other.	NOT in effect.	HB 1957 (now <u>PA 102-0135</u>) took effect on 7/23/21.
Uniform Electronic Prior Authorization Form for Prescription Benefits (Proposed Amendment to 2018) beginning on pg. 14406	Requires insurers (beginning July 1, 2021) to accept and use a uniform prior authorization form for prescription benefits. Includes what must be within in the form and states that the Department will post the form on its website as a PDF.	In effect. Bulletin and Implementation PDF linked <u>here</u> .	
Minimum Benefit Standards for Diabetes Coverage (Proposed Amendment to 2019) beginning on pg. 14416	established a \$100 cap on cost-sharing per 30-day supply of insulin, which applies to group and individual policies that cover prescriptions. Clarifies that group voluntary health services plans offered by limited	Adopted June 11, 2021	

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	health services		
	organizations apply to		
	the 215 ILCS 5/356z.41.		
Extension of Corporate	The proposed rule	First Notice	ILHIC submitted a
Name Disclosure	makes changes to		comment letter on
Requirements to	allowable incentive for		December 21, 2020.
Excepted Benefits	wellness programs, as		
(Proposed Amendment	well as extends		DOI has not yet issued
to Part 2001) beginning	corporate name		a response to ILHIC
on pg. 17603	disclosure		comments.
	requirements applied		
	under Section 2001.13		
	to comprehensive		
	medical policies		
	(effective August 28,		
	2020) to excepted		
	benefit policies and		
	short-term limited		
	duration policies.		
	These changes include		
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	prohibiting reference		
	to DBAs (Doing		
	Business As) and		
	providing the		
	corporate name in the		
	footer of every policy		
	page.		
Policy Form Filing	The proposed	Rule died procedurally	ILHIC (in conjunction
Requirements	amendment would	on 4/24/21. If	with ACLI) submitted a
(Proposed Amendment	require life and health	interested in pursuing	<u>comment letter</u> on
to 916) beginning on	insurance companies	the rule change, the	June 8, 2020.
pg. 6211	to submit complete	Department must	
	policy forms for all	restart the rulemaking	DOI did not issue a
	products by prohibiting	process.	response to ILHIC/ACLI
	matrix pages, insert		comments
	pages, or modular		
	filings.		
Construction and Filling	Prohibiting insurers	<u>Introduced in</u>	Anticipates First Notice
of Life Insurance and	from filing life and	Regulatory Agenda	Spring 2021 (Late).
Annuity Forms 2021	annuity contracts on a		
DOI Regulatory Agenda	Matrix Insert Page		
beginning on pg. 819.	Basis. Clarifying		
	misstatements of age.		
	Adding requirements		
	for graded death		
	benefit policies.		
SB 147	Provides that, if an	PA 102-0142	The DOI will NOT
	individual is at least 65		provide a uniform
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years of age but no more than 75 years of age and has an existing Medicare supplement policy, the individual is entitled to an annual open enrollment period lasting 45 days, commencing with the individual's birthday, and the individual may purchase any Medicare supplement policy with the same issuer that offers benefits equal to or lesser than those provided by the previous coverage.

There is a question regarding the permissive language in as to DOI providing a template form for insurers before the 1/1/22 effective date?

notice for the annual open enrollment that Med Supp carriers will be required to use per the requirements set forth in the in P.A. 102-0142 (SB 147). Carriers will be required to provide the notice of the annual open enrollment upon initial application of a Med Supp policy per P.A. 102-0142, but they do not have to file the notification for approval with the Department.