By: Guerra, et al. (Senate Sponsor - Watson) (In the Senate - Received from the House May 13, 2015; May 13, 2015, read first time and referred to Committee on Health and Human Services; May 22, 2015, reported adversely, with favorable Committee Substitute by the following vote: Yeas 8, Nays 1; May 22, 2015, sent to printer.) 1-1 1-2 1-3 1-4 1-5 1-6

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COMMITTEE VOTE

1-8		Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-9	Schwertner	Х			
1-10	Kolkhorst		Х		
1-11	Campbell	Х			
1-12	Estes	Х			
1-13	Perry	Х			
1-14	Rodríguez	Х			
1-15	Taylor of Collin	Х			
1-16	Uresti	Х			
1-17	Zaffirini	Х			

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR H.B. No. 3519

By: Zaffirini

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

1-21 relating to reimbursement for home telemonitoring services under 1-22 Medicaid. 1-23

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-24 SECTION 1. Section 531.02176, Government Code, as amended 1-25 by S.B. No. 219, Acts of the 84th Legislature, Regular Session, 1-26 1-27 2015, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 531.02176. EXPIRATION OF MEDICAID REIMBURSEMENT FOR 1-28 PROVISION OF HOME TELEMONITORING SERVICES. Notwithstanding any 1-29 other law, the commission may not reimburse providers under Medicaid for the provision of home telemonitoring services on or 1-30 1-31

after September 1, <u>2019</u> [2015]. SECTION 2. If before implementing any provision of this Act a state agency determines that a waiver or authorization from a federal agency is necessary for implementation of that provision, 1-32 1-33 1-34 the agency affected by the provision shall request the waiver or authorization and may delay implementing that provision until the 1-35 1-36 1 - 37waiver or authorization is granted.

1-38 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

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