By: Johnson H.B. No. 475

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

- 2 relating to Medicaid coverage and reimbursement for multisystemic
- 3 therapy services.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 32.024, Human Resources Code, is amended
- 6 by adding Subsection (oo-1) to read as follows:
- 7 (oo-1) The commission shall provide medical assistance
- 8 reimbursement to a health care provider who delivers services
- 9 classified as multisystemic therapy by the Healthcare Common
- 10 Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) code to a recipient under the
- 11 medical assistance program. The executive commissioner shall
- 12 establish a separate provider type for multisystemic therapy
- 13 providers for purposes of enrollment as a provider for and
- 14 reimbursement under the medical assistance program.
- 15 SECTION 2. If before implementing any provision of this Act
- 16 a state agency determines that a waiver or authorization from a
- 17 federal agency is necessary for implementation of that provision,
- 18 the agency affected by the provision shall request the waiver or
- 19 authorization and may delay implementing that provision until the
- 20 waiver or authorization is granted.
- 21 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2025.