



PEHP Response

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HB0425 - Physician Certification

Any Fiscal Impact - no

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HB425 would prevent a managed care organization or other third party, like PEHP, from requiring a physician certification from a nationally recognized accrediting organization that specializes in a specific area of medicine that includes continuous reexamination. In other words, if a board certified specialty requires continuous reexamination to maintain board certification, then another party cannot require board certification in that specialty for any reason.

Only a few specialties require continuous reexamination in order to maintain board certification. PEHP does not require board certification in creating its provider networks. As such, this bill would have no fiscal impact on the State Risk Pool.