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3 By Senators Quigley, Fairley, Moyer, Wood Winsley

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5 On page 6, after line 11, insert the following:

6 "(16) No later than July 1, 1996, the administrator shall implement
7 procedures whereby hospitals licensed under chapters 70.41 and 71.12
8 RCW, rural health care facilities regulated under chapter 70.175 RCW,
9 and community and migrant health centers funded under RCW 41.05.220,
10 may, at no remuneration, expeditiously assist patients and their
11 families in applying for basic health plan or medical assistance
12 coverage, and in submitting such applications directly to the health
13 care authority or the department of social and health services. The
14 health care authority and the department of social and health services
15 shall make every effort to simplify and expedite the application and
16 enrollment process."

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