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Sponsor(s): Senators Brown, Swecker and Thibaudeau

Brief Description: Qualifying for prescription drug discounts negotiated by the health care authority.

SB 6504 - DIGEST

Provides that, in negotiating price discounts with prescription drug manufacturers for state purchased health care programs, the health care authority shall also negotiate such discounts for any Washington resident who is enrolled in an entity organized as a nonprofit for the purpose of providing charity health care services to individuals: (1) Who are uninsured for health services;

(2) Who are not receiving medicaid; and

(3) Whose gross family income does not exceed two hundred percent of the federal poverty level as adjusted for family size and determined annually by the federal department of health and human services.

Provides that an individual seeking to qualify under the eligibility requirements of this act shall attest, in a submission to the administration, that he or she is enrolled in an entity that meets the requirements of this act.