

CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1216

Chapter 168, Laws of 2013

63rd Legislature
2013 Regular Session

INSURANCE--EOSINOPHILIA GASTROINTESTINAL ASSOCIATED DISORDERS

EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/28/13

Passed by the House April 18, 2013
Yeas 89 Nays 5

FRANK CHOPP

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Passed by the Senate April 12, 2013
Yeas 46 Nays 0

BRAD OWEN

President of the Senate

Approved May 8, 2013, 2:14 p.m.

JAY INSLEE

Governor of the State of Washington

CERTIFICATE

I, Barbara Baker, Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives of the State of Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL 1216** as passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on the dates hereon set forth.

BARBARA BAKER

Chief Clerk

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May 8, 2013

**Secretary of State
State of Washington**

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AS AMENDED BY THE SENATE

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By House Health Care & Wellness (originally sponsored by Representatives Habib, Clibborn, Jenkins, McCoy, Springer, Morrell, Goodman, Appleton, Tarleton, Ryu, Tharinger, and Fey)

READ FIRST TIME 02/12/13.

1 AN ACT Relating to eosinophilia gastrointestinal associated
2 disorders; and creating new sections.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** The department of health shall, using the
5 procedures and standards set forth in chapter 48.47 RCW, conduct a
6 sunrise review of the proposal, as set forth in House Bill No. 1216
7 (2013), requiring health carriers to include formulas necessary for the
8 treatment of eosinophilia gastrointestinal associated disorders,
9 regardless of the delivery method of the formula. The department shall
10 report the results of the review no later than thirty days prior to the
11 2014 legislative session.

12 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** Each carrier shall continue to apply a
13 timely appeals and grievance process as outlined in RCW 48.43.530 to
14 ensure medically necessary treatment is available. Expedited appeals
15 must be completed when a delay in the appeal process could jeopardize
16 the enrollees' life, health, or ability to regain maximum function.

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