

- 1.1 moves to amend H.F. No. 2962, the first engrossment, as follows:
- 1.2 Page 1, line 18, after "prescribe" insert "under section 151.216:"
- 1.3 Page 1, line 19, delete the comma and insert a semicolon and delete the comma and
1.4 insert a semicolon and delete "under section"
- 1.5 Page 1, line 20, delete "151.216"
- 1.6 Page 3, line 31, after "prescribing" insert "under section 151.216:"
- 1.7 Page 3, line 32, delete the comma and insert a semicolon and delete the comma and
1.8 insert a semicolon and delete "pursuant to section 151.216"
- 1.9 Page 4, line 3, after "is" insert ":(1)"
- 1.10 Page 4, line 5, after "States" insert ";(2) included on the list of travel medications
1.11 approved by the Board of Pharmacy under section 151.216, subdivision 2, paragraph (a);
1.12 and (3) prescribed to an individual for the specific purpose of traveling outside the United
1.13 States"
- 1.14 Page 4, line 8, after "prescribe" insert a colon
- 1.15 Page 4, lines 9 and 10, delete the comma and insert a semicolon
- 1.16 Page 4, line 19, delete "(d)" and insert "Subd. 2. Protocols. (a)"
- 1.17 Page 4, line 20, after the period insert "The protocol for travel medications must include
1.18 a list of travel medications approved by the board as appropriate to be prescribed by
1.19 pharmacists for individuals traveling outside of the United States."
- 1.20 Page 4, line 24, delete "(e)" and insert "(b)"

2.1 Page 4, delete lines 27 to 30 and insert:

2.2 "Sec. 5. Minnesota Statutes 2016, section 256B.0625, subdivision 13h, is amended to
2.3 read:

2.4 Subd. 13h. **Medication therapy management services.** (a) Medical assistance covers
2.5 medication therapy management services for a recipient taking prescriptions to treat or
2.6 prevent one or more chronic medical conditions. For purposes of this subdivision,
2.7 "medication therapy management" means the provision of the following pharmaceutical
2.8 care services by a licensed pharmacist to optimize the therapeutic outcomes of the patient's
2.9 medications:

2.10 (1) performing or obtaining necessary assessments of the patient's health status;

2.11 (2) formulating a medication treatment plan;

2.12 (3) monitoring and evaluating the patient's response to therapy, including safety and
2.13 effectiveness;

2.14 (4) performing a comprehensive medication review to identify, resolve, and prevent
2.15 medication-related problems, including adverse drug events;

2.16 (5) documenting the care delivered and communicating essential information to the
2.17 patient's other primary care providers;

2.18 (6) providing verbal education and training designed to enhance patient understanding
2.19 and appropriate use of the patient's medications;

2.20 (7) providing information, support services, and resources designed to enhance patient
2.21 adherence with the patient's therapeutic regimens; ~~and~~

2.22 (8) coordinating and integrating medication therapy management services within the
2.23 broader health care management services being provided to the patient; and

2.24 (9) prescribing products or medications as permitted under section 151.216, in accordance
2.25 with standardized protocols developed by the board of pharmacy.

2.26 Nothing in this subdivision shall be construed to expand or modify the scope of practice of
2.27 the pharmacist as defined in section 151.01, subdivision 27.

2.28 (b) To be eligible for reimbursement for services under this subdivision, a pharmacist
2.29 must meet the following requirements:

2.30 (1) have a valid license issued by the Board of Pharmacy of the state in which the
2.31 medication therapy management service is being performed;

3.1 (2) have graduated from an accredited college of pharmacy on or after May 1996, or
3.2 completed a structured and comprehensive education program approved by the Board of
3.3 Pharmacy and the American Council of Pharmaceutical Education for the provision and
3.4 documentation of pharmaceutical care management services that has both clinical and
3.5 didactic elements;

3.6 (3) be practicing in an ambulatory care setting as part of a multidisciplinary team or
3.7 have developed a structured patient care process that is offered in a private or semiprivate
3.8 patient care area that is separate from the commercial business that also occurs in the setting,
3.9 or in home settings, including long-term care settings, group homes, and facilities providing
3.10 assisted living services, but excluding skilled nursing facilities; and

3.11 (4) make use of an electronic patient record system that meets state standards.

3.12 (c) For purposes of reimbursement for medication therapy management services, the
3.13 commissioner may enroll individual pharmacists as medical assistance providers. The
3.14 commissioner may also establish contact requirements between the pharmacist and recipient,
3.15 including limiting the number of reimbursable consultations per recipient.

3.16 (d) If there are no pharmacists who meet the requirements of paragraph (b) practicing
3.17 within a reasonable geographic distance of the patient, a pharmacist who meets the
3.18 requirements may provide the services via two-way interactive video. Reimbursement shall
3.19 be at the same rates and under the same conditions that would otherwise apply to the services
3.20 provided. To qualify for reimbursement under this paragraph, the pharmacist providing the
3.21 services must meet the requirements of paragraph (b), and must be located within an
3.22 ambulatory care setting that meets the requirements of paragraph (b), clause (3). The patient
3.23 must also be located within an ambulatory care setting that meets the requirements of
3.24 paragraph (b), clause (3). Services provided under this paragraph may not be transmitted
3.25 into the patient's residence.

3.26 (e) Medication therapy management services may be delivered into a patient's residence
3.27 via secure interactive video if the medication therapy management services are performed
3.28 electronically during a covered home care visit by an enrolled provider. Reimbursement
3.29 shall be at the same rates and under the same conditions that would otherwise apply to the
3.30 services provided. To qualify for reimbursement under this paragraph, the pharmacist
3.31 providing the services must meet the requirements of paragraph (b) and must be located
3.32 within an ambulatory care setting that meets the requirements of paragraph (b), clause (3)."

3.33 Renumber the sections in sequence and correct the internal references

3.34 Amend the title accordingly