## Hall of the House of Representatives

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Amendment Form

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## **Subtitle of Senate Bill 347**

TO REQUIRE THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM TO INCREASE REIMBURSEMENT RATES FOR CERTAIN DENTAL SERVICES AND TO SET AN ANNUAL REIMBURSEMENT CAP FOR ADULT DENTAL SERVICES.

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## Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 347

Amend Senate Bill 347 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 28 through 36, and substitute the following:

"(a)(1) The Arkansas Medicaid Program shall increase reimbursement rates for:

- (A) Oral and maxillofacial surgeons' dental services, including anesthesia;
  - (B) Pediatric dental services, including anesthesia; and
  - (C) Dental services for adults with special needs.
- (2) Beginning on September 1, 2025, the reimbursement rates under subdivision (a)(1) of this section shall be set to sixty percent (60%) of the fiftieth percentile for national fees as determined by the annual National Dental Advisory Service Comprehensive Fee Report adjusted for the state.
- (b) Beginning on September 1, 2025, the program shall increase the annual reimbursement cap for dental services for adults with special needs from five hundred dollars (\$500) to one thousand dollars (\$1,000)."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 16



The Amendment was read	
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