

Sixty-eighth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2030

Introduced by

Legislative Management

(Health Care Committee)

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 50-24.6-09 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to value-based purchasing for medical assistance.

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 50-24.6-09 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **50-24.6-09. Maximum allowable costs and use of edits.**

- 7 1. To promote efficiency and savings in the department's service to eligible medical
8 assistance program recipients, the department shall create and implement the
9 broadest possible list of drugs that can be paid at the maximum allowable costs. To
10 further promote efficiency and savings, the department shall maximize use of edit
11 programs that pertain to payment of medical assistance program pharmaceutical
12 claims. Upon request of a member of the legislative assembly, the department shall
13 provide to that member a summary of edit programs available to the medical
14 assistance program and a description of the department's progress in implementing
15 the edit programs.
- 16 2. The department shall participate in current and future innovative rebate and other
17 program options, including value-based purchasing programs, as feasible, reasonable,
18 and cost-effective for the state.