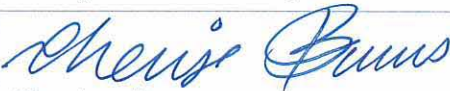


MEMORANDUM

DATE	February 28, 2017
TO	Policy and Advocacy Committee
FROM	 Cherise Burns Central Services Manager
SUBJECT	Agenda Item #7 (a)(iii)(N) – SB 538 (Monning) Health Care Service Plans

Background:

This bill makes technical nonsubstantive changes to provisions related to Department of Managed Health Care authority over health care service plan contracts and health care service plans' ability to charge subscribers copayments, deductibles, or other cost sharing mechanisms, and create limitations on the maximum coverage of basic health care services.

Location: Senate

Status: 02/16/2017 Introduced

Action Requested:

No action is required at this time. Staff will be watching SB 247 (Moorlach) to determine its effects on the Board and its licensees, specifically watching for any impacts on telepsychology reimbursement.