
By Mr. Foley, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 558) of Daniel J. Foley for legislation to authorize group dental insurance coverage for persons in the service of counties, cities, towns and districts and their dependents. Insurance.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Six.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE GROUP DENTAL INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF COUNTIES, CITIES, TOWNS AND DISTRICTS, AND THEIR DEPENDENTS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 1 of chapter 32B of the General Laws is
2 hereby amended by striking therefrom the words "surgical
3 and medical" and substituting therefor the words "surgical,
4 medical, dental and other health".

1 SECTION 2. Subparagraph (j) of section 2 of chapter 32B of
2 the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after the
3 word "surgical," appearing therein the word "dental,".

1 SECTION 3. The first sentence of the first paragraph of sec-
2 tion 3 of chapter 32B of the General Laws is hereby amended
3 by striking, after the words "non-profit", the words "hospital
4 or medical" and substituting therefor the words "hospital,
5 medical, dental or other", and by striking therefrom the words
6 "surgical and medical" and substituting therefor the words
7 "surgical, medical and dental".

1 SECTION 4. The second paragraph of section 3 of chapter
2 32B of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after
3 the words "or one hundred and seventy-six B" appearing there-
4 in the words "and any dental service corporation organized
5 under chapter one hundred and seventy-six E".

1 SECTION 5. The first sentence of the first paragraph of sec-

tion 4 of chapter 32B of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after the words “hospital, surgical, medical” appearing therein the words “ , dental and other health”.

SECTION 6. The second paragraph of section 4 of chapter 32B of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after the words “hospital, surgical, medical” appearing therein the words “ , dental and other health”.

SECTION 7. The second sentence of section 5 of chapter 32B of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after the words “hospital, surgical, medical” appearing therein the words “ , dental and other health”.

SECTION 8. The first paragraph of section 9 of chapter 32B of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after each of the two places where the words “hospital, surgical, medical” appear in said paragraph the words “ , dental and other health”.

SECTION 9. The first sentence of the fourth paragraph of section 9 of chapter 32B of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking therefrom the words “medical and surgical” and substituting therefor the words “medical, surgical, dental and other health”.

SECTION 10. Section 9A of chapter 32B of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking therefrom the words “surgical and medical” appearing in the town ballot question therein and substituting therefor the words “surgical, medical, dental and other health”.

SECTION 11. The first paragraph of section 9B of chapter 32B of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking therefrom the words “surgical and medical” and substituting therefor the words “surgical, medical, dental and other health”.

SECTION 12. The second paragraph of section 9B of chapter 32B of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking therefrom the words “surgical and medical” and substituting therefor the words “surgical, medical, dental and other health”.

1 SECTION 13. The fourth paragraph of section 9C of chapter
2 32B of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after
3 the word "group" the words "hospital, surgical, medical, dental
4 and other".

1 SECTION 14. The first sentence of the first paragraph of sec-
2 tion 9D of chapter 32B of the General Laws is hereby amended
3 by inserting after the words "hospital, surgical, medical" ap-
4 pearing therein the word " , dental".

1 SECTION 15. The second sentence of the first paragraph of
2 section 9D of chapter 32B of the General Laws is hereby
3 amended by inserting after the words "hospital, surgical, med-
4 ical" appearing therein the word " , dental".

1 SECTION 16. The second sentence of section 9E of chapter
2 32B of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting prior
3 to the word "health" the words "group hospital, surgical, med-
4 ical, dental and other".

1 SECTION 17. The first sentence of the first paragraph of
2 section 10 of chapter 32B of the General Laws is hereby
3 amended by inserting after the words "hospital, surgical, med-
4 ical" appearing in the town ballot question therein the word
5 " , dental".

1 SECTION 18. The first sentence of the first paragraph of sec-
2 tion 11 of chapter 32B of the General Laws is hereby amended
3 by striking therefrom the words "surgical and medical" and
4 substituting therefor the words "surgical, medical, dental and
5 other".

1 SECTION 19. Section 11B of chapter 32B of the General Laws
2 is hereby amended by striking therefrom the words "and med-
3 ical" and substituting therefor the words "medical, dental and
4 other health" and by striking therefrom the words "and med-
5 ical" appearing in the town ballot question therein and sub-
6 stituting therefor the words "medical; dental and other
7 health".

1 SECTION 20. The first sentence of the first paragraph of sec-
2 tion 11C of chapter 32B of the General Laws is hereby amend-
3 ed by inserting after the word "medical" appearing therein
4 the word " , dental".