

1981 Senate Bill 201

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AN ACT to create 632.78 (5) of the statutes, relating to maternity coverage for dependent children under group disability insurance policies.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. 632.78 (5) of the statutes is created to read:

632.78 (5) MATERNITY COVERAGE FOR DEPENDENT CHILDREN. Every group disability policy which provides coverage of dependent children and maternity coverage for any individual shall provide maternity coverage for dependent children. Coverage required under this subsection may not be subject to exclusions or limitations which are not applied to other maternity coverage under the policy.

SECTION 2. Initial applicability. This act applies to group disability policies issued or renewed on or after the effective date of this act. For purposes of this act, a group disability policy is renewed on a date specified in the policy as a renewal date or when the rate of premium is changed.
