

HB 839 -- Bleeding Disorders

Sponsor: Schaaf

This bill establishes the standard of care for persons with bleeding disorders and requires the State Board of Pharmacy within the Department of Insurance, Financial Institutions and Professional Registration to establish rules governing the standard of care. Blood clotting product-related services are added to the list of covered services under the MO HealthNet Program; and all health benefit plans delivered, issued, continued, or renewed on or after August 28, 2009, are required to provide coverage for home nursing services associated with chronic bleeding disorders reliant on blood clotting products.