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## HOUSE BILL NO. HB0173

Pharmacy benefit manager amendments.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Zwonitzer, Dn and Banks and Senator(s) Baldwin and Barlow

## A BILL

## for

1	AN ACT relating to pharmacy benefit managers; amending
2	provisions related to pharmacies and in network retail
3	pharmacies; requiring rulemaking; specifying applicability;
4	and providing for effective dates.
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6	Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:
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8	<b>Section 1.</b> W.S. 26-52-105 by creating a new
9	subsection (d) is amended to read:
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11	26-52-105. Transparency; prohibitions.
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13	(d) A person's choice of in network provider shall
14	include a retail pharmacy. The department of insurance
15	shall promulgate rules regarding network adequacy of in

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1	network retail pharmacies and pharmacy location. An insurer
2	or pharmacy benefit manager shall not use discounts in cost
3	sharing or a reduction in a copay or the number of copays
4	to incentivize a person's choice of in network pharmacy.
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б	Section 2. The department of insurance shall
7	promulgate all rules necessary to implement this act.
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9	Section 3. This act shall apply to prescription drugs
10	dispensed on or after the effective date of this act.
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12	Section 4.
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14	(a) Except as otherwise provided by subsection (b) of
15	this section, this act is effective January 1, 2025.
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17	(b) Sections 2 and 4 of this act are effective
18	immediately upon completion of all acts necessary for a
19	bill to become law as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of
20	the Wyoming Constitution.
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22	(END)

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