

# HOUSE BILL No. 1333

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## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 12-15-2-13.5.

**Synopsis:** Medicaid coverage for breast cancer treatment. Defines "treatment" for purposes of Medicaid eligibility under the federal breast and cervical cancer program.

**Effective:** July 1, 2012.

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January 11, 2012, read first time and referred to Committee on Public Health.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

1 SECTION 1. IC 12-15-2-13.5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.107-2009,  
2 SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE  
3 JULY 1, 2012]: Sec. 13.5. (a) As:  
4 (1) used in this section; and  
5 (2) applied to Medicaid eligibility of a woman who has been  
6 diagnosed with a molecular subtype of breast cancer for  
7 which there is no specific therapy that is:  
8 (A) intended to prevent recurrence of the specific  
9 molecular subtype of breast cancer; and  
10 (B) used after traditional treatment for breast cancer with  
11 chemotherapy or radiation;  
12 "treatment" includes follow-up imaging studies, laboratory testing,  
13 and physical examinations by a physician.  
14 (a) (b) A woman:  
15 (1) who is not eligible for Medicaid under any other section of  
16 this chapter;  
17 (2) who is less than sixty-five (65) years of age;



1 (3) who has been:  
2 (A) screened for breast or cervical cancer through the breast  
3 and cervical cancer screening program or by another provider  
4 under the federal Breast and Cervical Cancer Mortality  
5 Prevention Act of 1990 (42 U.S.C. 300k); and  
6 (B) determined to need treatment for breast or cervical cancer;  
7 (4) who is not otherwise covered under credible coverage (as  
8 defined in 42 U.S.C. 300gg(c)); and  
9 (5) whose family income does not exceed two hundred percent  
10 (200%) of the federal income poverty level for the same size  
11 family;  
12 is eligible for Medicaid.  
13 ~~(b)~~ (c) Medicaid made available to a woman described in subsection  
14 ~~(a)~~ (b) is limited to the duration of treatment required for breast or  
15 cervical cancer.

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