

**ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
SELECT JOINT COMMISSION ON
MEDICAID OVERSIGHT**



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I. STATUTORY DIRECTIVE

The Indiana General Assembly enacted legislation directing the Commission to do the following:

- (1) Determine whether the contractor for the Office of Medicaid Policy and Planning under IC 12-15-30 that has responsibility for processing provider claims for payment under the Medicaid program has properly performed the terms of the contractor's contract with the state.
- (2) Study and propose legislative and administrative procedures that could help reduce the amount of time needed to process Medicaid claims and eliminate reimbursement backlogs, delays, and errors.
- (3) Oversee the implementation of a case mix reimbursement system developed by the Office of Medicaid Policy and Planning and designed for Indiana Medicaid certified nursing facilities.
- (4) Study and investigate any other matter related to Medicaid.
- (5) Study and investigate all matters related to the implementation of the Children's Health Insurance Program established by IC 12-17.6.

The Commission received no additional charges from Legislative Council.

II. SUMMARY OF WORK PROGRAM

The Commission is permitted by IC 2-5-26-10 to meet any time during the calendar year. The Commission met four times during the 2003 interim between legislative sessions, on June 2, 2003, August 12, 2003, September 22, 2003, and October 15, 2003.

The Commission is not required to file a final report.