

LOUISIANA – 2017 STATE REQUIRED BENEFITS

A Name of Required Benefit	B Market Applicability	C Year of Enactment	D Citation Number
Ambulatory surgery centers	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1039
Emergency room service	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:242, 1821
Transportation by ambulance for an ill or injured newly born and for the temporarily disabled mother of the ill newly born	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1024
Maternity minimum stay	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1065, 1075
Severe mental illness	HMO, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1043
Outpatient rehabilitation services	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1042
Autism spectrum disorder	Small Group, Large Group	2012 or later ¹	La. R.S. 22:1050
Hearing aids for minors	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1038
Bone mass measurement	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1032
Pap test for cervical cancer	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:242, 1028
Colorectal cancer screening	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1029
Prostate cancer screening	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1028
Immunizations for children up to age six	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1030
Osteoporosis	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1032(B)(2)
Mammography screening	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:242, 1028
Routine foot care	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1034
Rehabilitative speech therapy	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1042
Rehabilitative occupational and rehabilitative physical therapy	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1042
Diabetic supplies, equipment, out-patient self management training & education to include medical	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1034
Prosthetic devices and prosthetic services	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1049
Breast reconstruction	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:272, 1077
Clinical trials (cancer) *Except phase 1	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1044
PKU/metabolic disorder	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:246, 1035
Dental anesthesia	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1040
Coverage for the use and service of drugs in the treatment of cancer	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:999
Cleft lip and palate	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1026
Attention deficit disorder	HMO, Individual, Small Group, Large Group	Before 2012	La. R.S. 22:1031

¹ HB 771 (2012) changed the applicability of the mandate from plans issued or delivered after January 1, 2009 to plans issued or delivered after January 1, 2014, thus eliminating the mandate for pre-2012 plans. HB 771 also changed the age requirement for mandatory coverage from less than 17 years of age to less than 21 years of age.