

**§4233-B. Mandatory offer to extend coverage for dependent children up to 26 years of age**

**1. Dependent child; definition.** As used in this section, "dependent child" means the child of a person covered under an individual or group health maintenance organization contract.

A. [PL 2019, c. 5, Pt. A, §18 (RP).]

B. [PL 2019, c. 5, Pt. A, §18 (RP).]

C. [PL 2019, c. 5, Pt. A, §18 (RP).]

D. [PL 2007, c. 514, §13 (RP).]

[PL 2019, c. 5, Pt. A, §18 (AMD).]

**2. Offer of coverage.** An individual or group health maintenance organization contract that offers coverage for a dependent child must offer such coverage, at the option of the parent, until the dependent child attains 26 years of age. If the dependent child has a disability, the contract must offer coverage in accordance with section 4233-C.

[PL 2021, c. 520, §5 (AMD).]

**3. Notice.**

[PL 2007, c. 514, §15 (NEW); MRSA T. 24-A §4233-B, sub-§3 (RP).]

**SECTION HISTORY**

PL 2007, c. 115, §4 (NEW). PL 2007, c. 115, §5 (AFF). PL 2007, c. 514, §§11-15 (AMD). PL 2019, c. 5, Pt. A, §18 (AMD). PL 2021, c. 520, §5 (AMD).

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