

No. 78

AN ACT

HB 872

Providing for elimination of discriminatory provisions relating to compensation for services and treatment under sickness and accident insurance contracts and providing for nondiscriminatory reimbursement of sickness and bodily injury claims thereunder.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. Notwithstanding any provision of any policy of insurance issued or renewed after the effective date of this act, whenever such policy provides for reimbursement for any service which may be legally performed by a person licensed under the laws of the Commonwealth for the practice of medicine, osteopathy, dentistry, chiropractic or podiatry, reimbursement under such policy shall not be denied when such service is rendered by a person so licensed.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 12th day of August, A. D. 1971.

MILTON J. SHAPP

The foregoing is a true and correct copy of Act of the General Assembly No. 78.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "C. McLaughlin Tucker".

Secretary of the Commonwealth.