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SENATE BILL 392

46TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2003

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FOR THE LEGISLATIVE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

AN ACT

RELATING TO HEALTH CARE; REQUIRING THE HUMAN SERVICES  
DEPARTMENT TO ESTABLISH A SELF-DIRECTED CARE OPTION UNDER  
CERTAIN MEDICAID PROGRAMS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. SELF-DIRECTED CARE--WAIVER OPTION. --Consistent  
with the federal Social Security Act and subject to  
appropriation and availability of federal and state funds, the  
human services department shall by rule establish a self-  
directed care option in the disabled and elderly and in the  
developmentally disabled medicaid waiver programs. The option  
shall permit a client to direct his medical and related  
personal care services reimbursable under these medicaid  
programs.

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