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A BILL

To enact section 3902.62 of the Revised Code to 1
restrict cost sharing requirements with regard 2
to occupational and physical therapists. 3

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That section 3902.62 of the Revised Code be 4
enacted to read as follows: 5

Sec. 3902.62. (A) On and after the effective date of this 6
section, and notwithstanding section 3901.71 of the Revised 7
Code, the cost sharing requirement, on a per day basis, imposed 8
by a health benefit plan for services rendered by an 9
occupational therapist or physical therapist licensed under 10
Chapter 4755. of the Revised Code shall not be greater than the 11
cost sharing requirement imposed by the plan for an office visit 12
to a primary care physician or primary care osteopath physician 13
licensed pursuant to Chapter 4731. of the Revised Code. 14

(B) A health plan issuer shall clearly state on its web 15
site and on all relevant literature that coverage for 16
occupational and physical therapy services is available under 17
the issuer's health benefit plans, as well as all related 18

<u>limitations, conditions, and exclusions.</u>	19
<u>(C) A violation of this section shall be considered an</u>	20
<u>unfair and deceptive practice in the business of insurance under</u>	21
<u>sections 3901.19 to 3901.26 of the Revised Code.</u>	22