

_____ moved to amend as follows:

1 In line 273 of the title, after "5164.913," insert
2 "5166.45,"

3 In line 962, after "5164.913," insert "5166.45,"

4 After line 107836, insert:

5 "Sec. 5166.45. (A) As used in this section, "medical
6 assistance program" and "refugee medical assistance program"
7 have the same meanings as in section 5160.01 of the Revised
8 Code.

9 (B) The medicaid director shall establish a medicaid waiver
10 component to provide continuous medicaid enrollment for children
11 from birth through three years of age. A child who is determined
12 eligible for medical assistance under Title XIX of the "Social
13 Security Act" or child health assistance under Title XXI of the
14 "Social Security Act" shall remain eligible for those benefits
15 until the earlier of:

16 (1) The end of a period, not to exceed forty-eight months,
17 following the determination;

18 (2) The date when the individual exceeds four years of age.

19 (C) The waiver component described in division (B) of this
20 section does not apply to a child who is eligible for a medical
21 assistance program on the basis of being any of the following:

22 (1) Deemed presumptively eligible for medicaid pursuant to
23 section 5163.101 of the Revised Code;

24 (2) Eligible for alien emergency medical assistance, as
25 specified in section 1903(v)(2) of the "Social Security Act," 42
26 U.S.C. 1396b(v)(2);

27 (3) Eligible for the refugee medical assistance program
28 administered pursuant to section 5160.50 of the Revised Code."

29 The motion was _____ agreed to.

30 SYNOPSIS

31 **Continuous Medicaid enrollment for children**

32 **R.C. 5166.45**

33 Restores a House-passed provision removed by the Senate
34 that requires ODM to seek approval to provide continuous
35 Medicaid enrollment for Medicaid-eligible children from birth
36 through age three.