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To amend titles XVIII and XIX of the Social Security Act and title XXVII of the Public Health Service Act to provide for no-cost coverage for annual screening mammography beginning at 30 years of age.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. NEGUSE introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on _____

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Screen to Save Act”.

5 **SEC. 2. NO-COST COVERAGE OF ANNUAL SCREENING MAM-**
6 **MOGRAPHY BEGINNING AT 30 YEARS OF AGE.**

7 (a) COVERAGE UNDER MEDICARE.—

1 (1) IN GENERAL.—Section 1834(c) of the So-
2 cial Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1395m(c)) is amend-
3 ed—

4 (A) in paragraph (1)(A), by inserting “or
5 (3)” after “paragraph (2)”;

6 (B) in paragraph (2)—

7 (i) by striking the paragraph heading
8 and inserting “FREQUENCY COVERED BE-
9 FORE JANUARY 1, 2027”; and

10 (ii) in subparagraph (A), by striking
11 “Subject” and inserting “With respect to
12 screening mammography performed before
13 January 1, 2027, subject”; and

14 (C) by adding at the end the following new
15 paragraph:

16 “(3) FREQUENCY COVERED ON OR AFTER JAN-
17 UARY 1, 2027.—With respect to screening mammog-
18 raphy performed on or after January 1, 2027—

19 “(A) no payment may be made under this
20 part for screening mammography performed on
21 a woman under 30 years of age; and

22 “(B) in the case of a woman over 29 years
23 of age, payment may not be made under this
24 part for screening mammography performed
25 within 11 months following the month in which

1 a previous screening mammography was per-
2 formed.”.

3 (2) PROHIBITION OF COST SHARING.—Section
4 1833(a)(1) of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C.
5 1395l(a)(1)) is amended—

6 (A) in subparagraph (Y), by inserting after
7 “in the case of such services described in sub-
8 paragraph (A)” the following: “(other than
9 screening mammography (as defined in section
10 1861(jj)) performed on or after January 1,
11 2027)”;

12 (B) in subparagraph (GG), by striking
13 “and” at the end; and

14 (C) by inserting before the semicolon at
15 the end the following: “, and (II) with respect
16 to screening mammography (as defined in sec-
17 tion 1861(jj)) performed on or after January 1,
18 2027, the amounts paid shall be shall be 100
19 percent of the lesser of the actual charge for
20 the services or the amount determined under
21 the fee schedule that applies to such services
22 under this part”.

23 (3) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section
24 1862(a)(1)(F) is amended by striking “section
25 1834(c)(2)” and inserting “section 1834(c)”.

1 (b) COVERAGE UNDER MEDICAID.—

2 (1) INCLUSION UNDER DIAGNOSTIC, SCREEN-
3 ING, PREVENTIVE, AND REHABILITATIVE SERV-
4 ICES.—Section 1905(a)(13) of the Social Security
5 Act (42 U.S.C. 1396d(a)(13)) is amended—

6 (A) in subparagraph (B), by striking
7 “and” at the end;

8 (B) in subparagraph (C), by adding “and”
9 at the end; and

10 (C) by adding at the end the following new
11 subparagraph:

12 “(D) for women over age 29, annual
13 screening mammography;”.

14 (2) INCREASED FMAP.—Section 1905(b)(5) of
15 the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1396d(b)(5)) is
16 amended by striking “described in subsection
17 (a)(13)(A)” and inserting “described in subpara-
18 graphs (A) and (D) of subsection (a)(13)”.

19 (3) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made
20 by this subsection shall apply with respect to items
21 and services furnished on or after January 1, 2027.

22 (c) COVERAGE UNDER GROUP HEALTH PLANS AND
23 GROUP AND INDIVIDUAL HEALTH INSURANCE.—

1 (1) IN GENERAL.—Section 2713(a) of the Pub-
2 lic Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 300gg–13(a)) is
3 amended—

4 (A) in paragraph (2), by striking at the
5 end “and”;

6 (B) in paragraph (3), by striking at the
7 end the period and inserting “; and”; and

8 (C) in paragraph (4)—

9 (i) by striking at the end the period
10 and inserting “; and”;

11 (ii) by striking “women, such” and in-
12 serting “women—

13 “(A) such”; and

14 (iii) by adding at the end the fol-
15 lowing new subparagraph:

16 “(B) in the case of a woman over 29 years
17 of age, annual mammography screening.”.

18 (2) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made
19 by this subsection shall apply to plan years begin-
20 ning on or after January 1, 2027.