

REFERENCE TITLE: state health care contract; rates

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## **HB 2254**

Introduced by  
Representatives Knaperek, Blendu, Senator Solomon: Representatives Allen,  
Pearce, Robson, Weiers, Senators Martin, Petersen

AN ACT

ESTABLISHING PREMIUM RATES FOR THE CURRENT HEALTH CARE CONTRACT PERIOD.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. State employee health care providers; copayments

3 Notwithstanding any other law, for the remaining portion of the current  
4 state health care contract period and for those health care plans whose  
5 premium rates are within ten per cent of the lowest bidding health care plan  
6 premium rates, the department of administration shall set the employee  
7 copayment rate at five dollars for single coverage and seventy-five dollars  
8 for family coverage, or an amount equal to the copayments charged to state  
9 employees enrolled in the lowest cost health care plans.