SECOND ENGROSSMENT

Sixty-eighth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

REENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1530

Introduced by

Representatives Schobinger, Mitskog, Nelson, O'Brien, Stemen

Senators Dever, Hogan, Lee

- 1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 50-24.1 of the North Dakota
- 2 Century Code, relating to covered services for medical assistance.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

4 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 50-24.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is created 5 and enacted as follows:

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6	Medical assistance benefits - Fam	y adaptive behavior treatment and g	quidance -

7 Dental screening and assessments - Dental case management - Teledentistry - Applied

8 behavioral analysis.

- 9 <u>Medical assistance coverage must include payment for the following services:</u>
- <u>Family adaptive behavioral treatment and guidance to educate parents and caregivers</u>
 to continue to carry out plans and recommendations of applied behavioral analysis.
- 12 <u>2.</u> Dental screening and assessment of patients to identify individuals in need of
- 13 additional assessment, diagnostic, and treatment services.
- 14 <u>3.</u> <u>Dental case management for maintenance of oral health for special populations,</u>
- 15 including elderly, special needs, medically fragile, and children.
- 16 <u>4.</u> <u>Asynchronous teledentistry to reduce barriers to dental care through outreach</u>
- programs and to integrate oral health into general health care settings to identify and
 refer treatment needs.
- 19 5. The services identified in subsections 2, 3, and 4 do not apply to Medicaid expansion.