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The Committee on Budget (Sobel) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment

Delete lines 3845 - 3861

and insert:

1. Faculty plans of state medical schools; and
2. Hospitals licensed as a children's specialty hospital as defined in s. 395.002.

Qualified plans that have not contracted with all statewide essential providers as of the first date of recipient enrollment must continue to negotiate in good faith. Payments to physicians on the faculty of nonparticipating state medical schools must be made at the applicable Medicaid rate. Payments to a



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14 nonparticipating specialty children's hospital must equal the
15 highest rate established by contract between that provider and
16 any other Medicaid managed care plan.