



## Rx Discount Card Regulation

[HB 2581](#) by Rep. [Yvonne Gonzalez Toureilles](#) (D-Alice) and [SB 2423](#) by Sen. [Bob Deuell](#) (R-Greenville).

- 1) Applies existing regulations relating to discount health care program and discount health care program operators to those entities that do not charge fees or other consideration for their programs, but that do receive alternate consideration in the form of access to patient data.
- 2) Defines "discount health care program operator" as a person or entity, who, in exchange for fees, dues, charges or other consideration, including access to patient data, operates a discount health care program and contracts with providers, provider networks, or other discount health care program operators to offer access to health care services at a discount and determines the charge to its members.
- 3) Mandates consumers participating in a discount health program be informed when their medical information is shared in any form.