## The Cost of Health Insurance Mandates in Washington – 2005

Mandated Benefits:	Added Cost:	Number of States with Mandate:	Mandated Providers:	Added Cost:	Number of States with Mandate:
Alcoholism	1% to 3%	45	Acupuncturists	1% to 3%	11
Birthing Centers/ Midwives	<1%	6	Chiropodist	<1%	3
Breast Reconstruction	<1%	46	Chiropractors	1% to 3%	47
Cleft Palate	<1%	12	Denturists	<1%	2
Contraceptives	1% to 3%	29	Lay Midwives	<1%	3
Dental Anesthesia	<1%	27	Licensed Health Professional	<1%	11
Diabetes Self-Management	<1%	22	Massage Therapists	<1%	4
Diabetic Supplies	<1%	47	Naturopaths	<1%	4
Drug Abuse Treatment	<1%	35	Nurse Anesthetists	<1%	20
Emergency Services	<1%	46	Nurse Midwives	<1%	32
Home Health Care	<1%	19	Nurse Practitioners	<1%	30
Hospice Care	<1%	11	Nurses	<1%	11
Mammogram	<1%	50	Osteopaths	1% to 3%	24
Maternity	1% to 3%	21	Physical Therapists	1% to 3%	17
Maternity Stay	<1%	50	Physician Assistants	<1%	17
Mental Health General	1% to 3%	40	Podiatrists	<1%	35
Neurodevelopment Therapy	<1%	1	Psychologists	1% to 3%	44
Off-Label Drug Use	<1%	37	Public or Other Facilities	<1%	25
PKU/Formula	<1%	33	Speech or Hearing Therapists	s<1%	18
Port-wine Stain Elimination	<1%	2			
Prescription Drugs	5% to 10%	3	Mandated Covered Persons:		
Second Surgical Opinion	<1%	11			
TMJ Disorders	<1%	19	Adopted Children	<1%	42
			Continuation/Dependents	<1%	44
			Continuation/Employees	<1%	44
			Conversion to Non-Group	1% to 3%	42
			Handicapped Dependents	1% to 3%	39
			Newborns	1% to 3%	51