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Authors: Grace Smith, Bianca Couch, McKayla Crumbo, McKenzie Mehlhaff	Action o	n the Bill
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## Be it enacted by the Youth Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky

An act to regulate state insurance policies to cover genetic testing and counseling

- Section 1: Once a diagnosis is made, insurance companies must include coverage on follow-up and treatment.
- Section 2: If a patient is screened for BRCA1 and/or BRCA 2 gene, which identifies many diseases, coverage is required.
- Section 3: The Center for Disease Control and its advisory groups will regulate insurance companies for compliance.
- Section 4: Non-compliance or violation will result in Medicare discontinuing reimbursement of funds.
- Section 5: This bill will go into effect 2 years upon passage.