

**(Board Action Affirmed; 2023 Annual Meeting)**  
**Board Adopted Substitute Resolution 12.2021-13 (A-22)**  
**in lieu of Resolution 12.2021-13 (A-22)**  
**(October 2022)**

**ILLINOIS STATE MEDICAL SOCIETY**

**Resolution 12.2021-13**  
**(A-22)**

Introduced by: Kamal Kishore, MD, ISMS Member

Subject: Mitigate End of the Year Issues Related to Preauthorization and  
Resetting of Deductibles

Referred to: Council on Economics

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RESOLVED, that the Illinois State Medical Society (ISMS) advocate that all Illinois commercial health insurance carriers establish the first day of a patient's birth month as the first day of the plan's coverage year for that patient; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the ISMS advocate that all Illinois commercial health insurance carrier premiums, as well as patient deductibles and other cost-sharing provisions, be prorated on a monthly basis across the plan year when a patient joins the plan mid-year.