A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to telehealth; to require certain health carriers to provide coverage for certain services delivered through telehealth; and to provide a duty for the Revisor of Statutes.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,
Section 1. Any insurer offering (1) any individual or group sickness and accident insurance policy, certificate, or subscriber contract delivered, issued for delivery, or renewed in this state, (2) any hospital, medical, or surgical expense-incurred policy, except for policies that provide coverage for a specified disease or other limited-benefit coverage, or (3) any self-funded employee benefit plan to the extent not preempted by federal law, shall not exclude, in any policy, certificate, contract, or plan offered or renewed on or after the effective date of this act, a service from coverage solely because the service is delivered through telehealth as defined in section 44-312 and is not provided through in-person consultation or contact between a licensed health care provider and a patient.

Sec. 2. The Revisor of Statutes shall assign section 1 of this act to Chapter 44, article 7.