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| SB 0046 | Health Insurance Cost Sharing | Wright | Health Insurance Cost Sharing; Requiring specified individual health insurers and their pharmacy benefit managers to apply payments by or on behalf of insureds toward the total contributions of the insureds' cost-sharing requirements; requiring specified contracts to require pharmacy benefit managers to apply payments by or on behalf of insureds toward the insureds' total contributions to cost-sharing requirements; requiring specified group health insurers and their pharmacy benefit managers to apply payments by or on behalf of insureds toward the total contributions of the insureds' cost-sharing requirements; requiring specified contracts to require pharmacy benefit managers to apply payments by or on behalf of insureds toward the insureds' total contributions to cost-sharing requirements, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Banking and Insurance Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Fiscal Policy | 04/05/2023 SENATE Now in Health Policy | Identical HB 1063 (Cross) - 02/28/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee |
| HB 0121 | Florida Kidcare Program Eligibility | Bartleman | Florida Kidcare Program Eligibility: Increases income eligibility threshold for coverage under Medikids program component; increases income eligibility threshold for coverage under Florida Kidcare program; requires applicant seeking coverage under program to provide certain documentation if eligibility cannot be verified using reliable data sources; requires that premiums for certain enrollees under Florida Kidcare program be based on tiered system of uniform premiums. Effective Date: upon becoming a law | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee | 05/04/2023 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed | Compare HB 1245 (LaMarca) - 03/06/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee Identical SB 0246 (Calatayud) - 05/03/2023 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 0121; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 0121 |
| SB 0222 | Protection of Medical Freedom | Gruters | Protection of Medical Freedom; Prohibiting the Department of Health from requiring enrollment in the state's immunization registry or otherwise requiring persons to submit to immunization tracking; prohibiting business and governmental entities from requiring individuals to provide proof of vaccination or postinfection recovery from any disease to gain access to, entry upon, or service from such entities; prohibiting employers from refusing employment to, or discharging, disciplining, demoting, or otherwise discriminating against, an individual solely on the basis of vaccination or immunity status; revising the purposes of the Florida Civil Rights Act of 1992 to include discrimination protection for vaccination or immunity status, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Judiciary (Current Reference) Senate Health Policy Senate Rules | 01/26/2023 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Health Policy; Rules | Identical HB 0305 (Barnaby) - 02/01/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee |
| SB 0228 | Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders | Berman | Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders; Revising the definition of the term "developmental disability" to include fetal alcohol spectrum disorders; defining the term "fetal alcohol spectrum disorders", etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024 | Senate Children, Families, and Elder Affairs (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy | 01/26/2023 SENATE Referred to Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy | Identical HB 0255 (Barnaby) - 03/06/2023 HOUSE Withdrawn prior to introduction |
| SB 0230 | Health Care Practitioner Titles and Designations | Harrell | Health Care Practitioner Titles and Designations; Providing that, for specified purposes, the use of specified titles or designations in connection with one's name constitutes the practice of medicine or the practice of osteopathic medicine; revising grounds for disciplinary action relating to a practitioner's use of such titles or designations in identifying himself or herself to patients or in advertisements for health care services; requiring certain health care practitioners to prominently display a copy of their license in a conspicuous area of their practice, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy Senate Rules | 05/04/2023 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed | Similar HB 0583 (Massullo, MD) - 05/02/2023 HOUSE Laid on Table, refer to CS/CS/SB 230 |
| SB 0246 | Florida Kidcare Program Eligibility | Calatayud | Florida Kidcare Program Eligibility; Increasing the income eligibility threshold for coverage under the Medikids program component; increasing the income eligibility threshold for coverage under the Florida Kidcare program; requiring an applicant seeking coverage under the program to provide certain documentation if eligibility cannot be verified using reliable data sources; requiring that premiums for certain enrollees under the Florida Kidcare program be based on a tiered system of uniform premiums, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act, this act shall take effect upon becoming a law | Senate Health Policy Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy | 05/03/2023 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 0121; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 0121 | Compare HB 1245 (LaMarca) - 03/06/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee Identical HB 0121 (Bartleman) - 05/04/2023 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed |
| HB 0247 | Sickle Cell Program | Campbell | Sickle Cell Program: Requires DOH to establish grant program for prevention, care, & treatment of sickle cell disease or sickle cell trait or sickle cell trait carriers & for educational programs & develop application criteria & standards of eligibility for such program; requires department to develop & maintain voluntary registry & to conduct specified study; provides rulemaking authority to department. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Health & Human Services Committee | 04/12/2023 HOUSE Temporarily Postponed by Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee | Identical SB 1408 (Davis) - 04/26/2023 HOUSE In Messages |
| HB 0249 | Level 2 Background Screenings | Trabulsy | Level 2 Background Screenings: Revises provisions related to level 2 background screenings & the Care Provider Screening Clearinghouse; adds disqualifying offenses to screening requirements; revises reporting & rescreening timeframes; expands agencies & entities which may utilize Criminal Justice Information Program; requires program to develop method for identifying or verifying individual; requires specified entities to initiate criminal history checks through FDLE or clearinghouse by specified date. Effective Date: July 1, 2024 | House Education & Employment Committee House Health & Human Services Committee House Appropriations Committee (Current Reference) | 05/02/2023 HOUSE Laid on Table, refer to CS/SB 676 | Similar SB 0676 (Grall) - 05/04/2023 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed |
| HB 0263 | Cardiac and Medical Emergencies on School Grounds | Rizo | Cardiac and Medical Emergencies on School Grounds: Requires public & private schools to have automated external defibrillator on school grounds; provides requirements for defibrillators; authorizes school to establish public or private partnership & seek gifts, grants & other donations for specified purposes; requires each school to establish emergency action plan; requires each school to provide information to students & school employees; provides requirements for such plans & information; provides immunity from liability under Good Samaritan Act & Cardiac Arrest Survival Act; requires school districts to make certain trainings available annually to all school employees; & provides reporting requirements. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Education Quality Subcommittee (Current Reference) House PreK-12 Appropriations Subcommittee House Education & Employment Committee | 01/25/2023 HOUSE Now in Education Quality Subcommittee | Similar SB 1544 (Avila) - 03/09/2023 SENATE Referred to Education Pre-K -12; Health Policy; Rules |
| HB 0267 | Telehealth Practice Standards | Fabricio | Telehealth Practice Standards: Revises definition of term "telehealth." Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee | 05/04/2023 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed | Identical HB 0079 (Fabricio) - 01/18/2023 HOUSE Withdrawn prior to introduction SB 0298 (Boyd) - 05/03/2023 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 0267; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 0267 |
| SB 0268 | Health Care Expenses | Brodeur | Health Care Expenses; Establishing a 3-year statute of limitations for an action to collect medical debt for services rendered by a health care provider or facility; providing additional personal property exemptions from legal process for medical debts resulting from services provided in certain licensed facilities; requiring a licensed facility to post on its website a consumer-friendly list of standard charges for a minimum number of shoppable health care services; requiring each health insurer to provide an insured with an advance explanation of benefits after receiving a patient estimate from a facility for scheduled services, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services (Current Reference) Senate Fiscal Policy | 04/18/2023 SENATE Temporarily Postponed by Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services | Similar HB 1413 (Tramont) - 04/24/2023 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading |

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| SB 0274 | Nursing Education Pathway for Military Combat Medics | Avila | Nursing Education Pathway for Military Combat Medics; Revising a primary goal of the Florida Center for Nursing to provide that development of a statewide plan for nursing manpower must include the encouragement and coordination of the development of partnerships with hospitals which provide opportunities for nursing students to obtain clinical experience; requiring that the Articulation Coordinating Committee convene a workgroup to establish a process for determining postsecondary course equivalencies and the minimum postsecondary credit or career education clock hours that must be awarded in accredited nursing education programs for military training and education required for service in specified positions; authorizing the award of additional postsecondary credit or career education clock hours, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law | Senate Education Postsecondary Senate Health Policy Senate Rules | 05/02/2023 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed | Identical HB 0517 (Rudman) - 05/01/2023 HOUSE Laid on Table, refer to SB 274 |
| SB 0298 | Telehealth Practice Standards | Boyd | Telehealth Practice Standards; Revising the definition of the term "telehealth", etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy Senate Banking and Insurance Senate Rules | 05/03/2023 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 0267; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 0267 | Similar HB 0079 (Fabricio) - 01/18/2023 HOUSE Withdrawn prior to introduction Identical HB 0267 (Fabricio) - 05/04/2023 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed |
| HB 0305 | Protection of Medical Freedom | Barnaby | Prohibits DOH from requiring enrollment in state's immunization registry or otherwise requiring persons to submit to immunization tracking; prohibits business & governmental entities from requiring individuals to provide proof of vaccination to gain access to, entry upon, or service from such entities; prohibits employers from refusing employment to, or discharging, disciplining, demoting, or otherwise discriminating against, individual on basis of vaccination or immunity status; revises purposes of Florida Civil Rights Act of 1992 to include discrimination protection for vaccination or immunity status. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Civil Justice Subcommittee House Regulatory Reform & Economic Development Subcommittee | 02/01/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee | Identical SB 0222 (Gruters) - 01/26/2023 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Health Policy; Rules |
| HB 0351 | Certified Nursing Assistants | Robinson (W) Jr. | Certified Nursing Assistants: Provides nursing home may authorize registered nurse to delegate certain tasks to CNAs; provides for designation of CNAs as qualified medication aides; prohibits qualified medication aides from being included in computation of specified hours of direct care & staffing ratios; authorizes registered nurses to delegate to CNAs administration of medications to residents; authorizes CNAs to administer medications to residents & patients; requires Board of Nursing to establish standards & procedures certified nursing assistant must follow when administering medication to resident of nursing home facility. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee | 05/01/2023 HOUSE Laid on Table, refer to CS/SB 558 | Similar SB 0558 (Burton) - 05/02/2023 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed |
| SB 0380 | Protection from Surgical Smoke | Garcia (I) | Protection from Surgical Smoke; Defining the terms "smoke evacuation system" and "surgical smoke"; requiring hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers to, by a specified date, adopt and implement policies requiring the use of smoke evacuation systems during certain surgical procedures, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy Senate Community Affairs Senate Rules (Current Reference) | 03/16/2023 SENATE Now in Rules | Identical HB 0587 (Woodson) - 02/07/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee |
| HB 0391 | Home Health Aides for Medically Fragile Children | Tramont | Home Health Aides for Medically Fragile Children: Requires home health agencies to ensure tasks delegated to home health aides for medically fragile children meet specified requirements; provides individuals exemption from costs associated with specified training; authorizes home health aides for medically fragile children to perform tasks delegated by registered nurse; requires AHCA to conduct annual assessment of certified health aide program; requires agency to submit report to Governor & Legislature; requires agency to establish a specified fee schedule; provides appropriations. Effective Date: upon becoming a law | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee | 05/02/2023 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed | Similar SB 0452 (Harrell) - 05/02/2023 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 0391; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 0391 |
| SB 0392 | Atherosclerotic Cardiovascular Disease | Burton | Atherosclerotic Cardiovascular Disease; Recognizing the urgent need for the expansion of existing comprehensive cardiovascular screening programs and for the creation of new initiatives to allow for earlier identification of patients at risk of cardiovascular events to decrease the number of deaths attributable to atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease, etc. | No committees referenced | 05/02/2023 SENATE Read 2nd time; Adopted by Publication | |
| SB 0394 | Newborn Hearing Screenings | Polsky | Newborn Hearing Screenings; Defining the term "congenital cytomegalovirus test"; revising newborn hearing screening requirements to require that all newborns, rather than only those who fail the initial newborn hearing screening, be tested for congenital cytomegalovirus, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Banking and Insurance Senate Fiscal Policy | 02/09/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Banking and Insurance; Fiscal Policy | Similar HB 0435 (Melo) - 04/03/2023 HOUSE Temporarily Postponed by Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee |
| SB 0412 | Gluteal Fat Grafting Procedures | Garcia (I) | Gluteal Fat Grafting Procedures; Requiring physicians performing gluteal fat grafting procedures in an office surgery setting to adhere to specified standards of practice; authorizing the Board of Medicine and the Board of Osteopathic Medicine, respectively, to adopt certain rules, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Judiciary Senate Rules | 02/09/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Judiciary; Rules | Compare HB 1471 (Busatta Cabrera) - 05/05/2023 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed |
| HB 0427 | Health Care Authority and Consent | Michael | Health Care Authority and Consent: Authorizes certain persons to act on behalf of ward before guardian is appointed; prohibits selling or transferring another person's DNA sample for DNA analysis; revises exemptions from prosecution of certain crimes related to unlawful use of DNA samples, DNA analyses, or results of DNA analyses; authorizes health care practitioners & providers to obtain verbal parental consent for provision of health care services, medical procedures, & prescription of medicinal drugs to minor child; requires health care practitioners & providers to document certain information when written parental consent is not obtained. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Judiciary Committee House Health & Human Services Committee | 02/01/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee | |
| HB 0429 | Motor Vehicle Insurance | Alvarez | Motor Vehicle Insurance: Repeals Florida Motor Vehicle No-Fault Law; revises motor vehicle insurance coverages; revises garage liability insurance requirements; provides that driver license or motor vehicle registration suspensions for failure to maintain required security remain in full force & effect; revises amount of certificate of deposit required to elect certain method of proof of financial responsibility; revises minimum net worth requirements to qualify certain persons as self-insurers; revises grounds for discipline for certain health professions; specifies coverage options that insurer is required & authorized to offer; prohibits insurer providing medical payments coverage benefits from seeking lien on certain recovery & bringing certain cause of action; authorizes insurers to include policy provisions allowing for subrogation, for medical payments benefits paid; prohibits insurers from including policy provisions allowing for subrogation for death benefits paid; revises legal liability of uninsured motorist coverage insurer; requires motor vehicle insurance policies to provide death benefits. APPROPRIATION: \$83,651 Effective Date: July 1, 2024 | House Insurance & Banking Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Civil Justice Subcommittee House Commerce Committee | 02/01/2023 HOUSE Now in Insurance & Banking Subcommittee | Identical SB 0586 (Grall) - 02/16/2023 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; Fiscal Policy |
| HB 0435 | Newborn Hearing Screenings | Melo | Newborn Hearing Screenings: Defines term "congenital cytomegalovirus test"; revises newborn hearing screening requirements to require that all newborns, rather than only those who fail the initial newborn hearing screening, be tested for congenital cytomegalovirus. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee | 04/03/2023 HOUSE Temporarily Postponed by Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee | Similar SB 0394 (Polsky) - 02/09/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Banking and Insurance; Fiscal Policy |
| SB 0452 | Home Health Aides for Medically Fragile Children | Harrell | Home Health Aides for Medically Fragile Children; Requiring home health agencies to ensure that any delegation of tasks to home health aides for medically fragile children meets specified requirements; establishing the home health aides for medically fragile children program for specified purposes; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration, in consultation with the Board of Nursing, to approve training programs for home health aides for medically fragile children; authorizing home health aides for medically fragile children to administer certain medications under certain circumstances, etc. APPROPRIATION: \$472,317 Effective Date: Upon becoming a law | Senate Health Policy Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy | 05/02/2023 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 0391; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 0391 | Similar HB 0391 (Tramont) - 05/02/2023 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed |

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| SB 0454 | Physician Assistant Licensure | Avila | Physician Assistant Licensure; Revising requirements for an applicant for licensure as a physician assistant, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy Senate Education Postsecondary Senate Rules | 04/27/2023 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 1133; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 1133 | Similar HB 1133 (Rizo) - 04/27/2023 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed |
| HB 0481 | Physician Assistants' Prescriptive Authority | Melo | Physician Assistants' Prescriptive Authority: Removes requirements that physician assistants may only prescribe or dispense drugs under physician's supervision. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Health & Human Services Committee | 02/01/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee | |
| HB 0483 | Blood Clot and Pulmonary Embolism Policy Workgroup | Black | Blood Clot and Pulmonary Embolism Policy Workgroup: Requires Secretary of Health Care Administration, in conjunction with State Surgeon General, to establish blood clot & pulmonary embolism policy workgroup; provides for duties, membership, terms of office, & meetings of workgroup; requires Secretary of Health Care Administration to submit annual reports, & final report by specified date, to Governor & Legislature. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee (Current Reference) | 05/02/2023 HOUSE Laid on Table, refer to CS/SB 612 | Identical SB 0612 (Yarborough) - 05/04/2023 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed |
| HB 0487 | Department of Financial Services | Salzman | Department of Financial Services: Revises eligibility for plans of deferred compensation established by CFO; authorizes judge of compensation claims to order injured employee's evaluation by expert medical advisor; revises conditions for nonprofit religious organization to be exempt from requirements of insurance code; adds limited license for transacting preneed funeral agreement insurance; revises licensure requirements for reinsurance intermediary brokers & reinsurance intermediary managers; authorizes certain persons to obtain limited license to sell only policies of life insurance covering expense of prearrangement for funeral services or merchandise; revises requirements, conditions, & procedures for bail bond agency license. Effective Date: upon becoming a law | House Insurance & Banking Subcommittee House Appropriations Committee House Commerce Committee | 05/04/2023 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed | Compare HB 0987 (Botana) - 04/18/2023 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading SB 1360 (Ingoglia) - 03/06/2023 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy Similar SB 1158 (DiCeglie) - 04/28/2023 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 0487; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 0487 |
| HB 0503 | Practice of Dentistry | Berfield | Practice of Dentistry: Requires dentists to provide each patient with specified information; requires individuals & entities that provide dental services through telehealth to provide patients with information regarding dentists treating such patient; requires there be dentist of record for each patient treated through telehealth; requires individuals & entities that provide dental services through telehealth to make information available to each patient before rendering such services & at any time upon patient request; requires advertisements of dental services provided through telehealth contain disclaimer; provides additional grounds for disciplinary action against dental practitioners. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee (Current Reference) | 04/14/2023 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee | Similar SB 0356 (Boyd) - 04/27/2023 HOUSE In Messages |
| HB 0517 | Nursing Education for Military Combat Medics | Rudman | Nursing Education for Military Combat Medics: Revising a primary goal of the Florida Center for Nursing to provide that development of a statewide plan for nursing manpower must include the encouragement and coordination of the development of partnerships with hospitals which provide opportunities for nursing students to obtain clinical experience; requiring that the Articulation Coordinating Committee convene a workgroup to establish a process for determining postsecondary course equivalencies and the minimum postsecondary credit or career education clock hours that must be awarded in accredited nursing education programs for military training and education required for service in specified positions; authorizing the award of additional postsecondary credit or career education clock hours. Effective Date: upon becoming a law | House Postsecondary Education & Workforce Subcommittee House Higher Education Appropriations Subcommittee House Education & Employment Committee | 05/01/2023 HOUSE Laid on Table, refer to SB 274 | Identical SB 0274 (Avila) - 05/02/2023 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed |
| SB 0558 | Certified Nursing Assistants | Burton | Certified Nursing Assistants: Authorizing nursing home facilities to allow their registered nurses to delegate certain tasks to certified nursing assistants who meet specified criteria; providing for the designation of such certified nursing assistants as qualified medication aides; requiring that medication administration be included in certain performance improvement activities tracked by nursing homes in accordance with federal regulations; providing that the time spent by certified nursing assistants performing the duties of a qualified medication aide may not be included in the computing of certain minimum staffing ratio requirements for direct care provided to residents, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy | 05/02/2023 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed | Similar HB 0351 (Robinson W) Jr. - 05/01/2023 HOUSE Laid on Table, refer to CS/SB 558 |
| SB 0568 | Assault or Battery on Hospital Personnel | Rodriguez | Assault or Battery on Hospital Personnel; Providing enhanced criminal penalties for persons who knowingly commit assault or battery upon hospital personnel, etc. Effective Date: 10/1/2023 | Senate Criminal Justice Senate Health Policy Senate Rules | 05/02/2023 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 0825; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 0825 | Similar HB 0825 (Berfield) - 05/02/2023 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed |
| HB 0573 | Costs of Supervision or Care of Children | Barnaby | Costs of Supervision or Care of Children: Removes provisions for fee for costs of care or supervision of certain children & for assessment & collection of such fees; provides such fees may not be ordered, balances owed for such fees may not be collected, unpaid civil judgments for such fees are void & unenforceable, warrants issued solely based on alleged failure to pay such fees are void & any person whose driver license was suspended for failure to pay such fees shall be eligible for reinstatement. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | No committees referenced | 02/03/2023 HOUSE Withdrawn prior to introduction | Similar SB 1180 (Simon) - 03/02/2023 SENATE Referred to Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Fiscal Policy HB 1363 (Arrington) - 03/09/2023 HOUSE Now in Criminal Justice Subcommittee |
| HB 0583 | Health Care Practitioner Titles and Abbreviations | Massullo, MD | Health Care Practitioner Titles and Abbreviations: Provides use of specified titles or designations in connection with one's name constitutes practice of medicine; revises grounds for disciplinary action relating to practitioner's use of such titles or designations in identifying himself or herself to patients or in advertisements for health care services; requires health care practitioners to prominently display copies of their licenses; requires health care practitioners to also verbally identify themselves in specified manner to new patients. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee | 05/02/2023 HOUSE Laid on Table, refer to CS/CS/SB 230 | Similar SB 0230 (Harrell) - 05/04/2023 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed |
| SB 0586 | Motor Vehicle Insurance | Grall | Motor Vehicle Insurance; Repealing provisions which comprise the Florida Motor Vehicle No-Fault Law; revising the motor vehicle insurance coverages that an applicant must show to register certain vehicles with the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; revising minimum liability coverage requirements for motor vehicle owners or operators; revising requirements for a certificate of deposit that is required if a person elects a certain method of proving financial responsibility; providing an exception to the circumstances under which a person who is damaged may bring a civil action against an insurer, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act and except for this section, which shall take effect upon this act becoming a law, this act shall take effect July 1, 2024 | Senate Banking and Insurance (Current Reference) Senate Judiciary Senate Fiscal Policy | 02/16/2023 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; Fiscal Policy | Identical HB 0429 (Alvarez) - 02/01/2023 HOUSE Now in Insurance & Banking Subcommittee |

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| HB 0587 | Protection from Surgical Smoke | Woodson | Protection from Surgical Smoke: Requiring hospitals & ambulatory surgical centers to adopt & implement policies requiring use of smoke evacuation systems during certain surgical procedures. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee | 02/07/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee | Identical SB 0380 (Garcia (I)) - 03/16/2023 SENATE Now in Rules |
| HB 0601 | Referral of Patients by Health Care Providers | Steele | Referral of Patients by Health Care Providers: Removes definition of terms "direct supervision" & "present in office suite"; revises definition of term "referral" to remove direct physician supervision & to require compliance with certain Medicare payments & rules. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee | 05/01/2023 HOUSE Laid on Table, refer to SB 768 | Identical SB 0768 (Martin) - 05/02/2023 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed |
| SB 0612 | Blood Clot and Pulmonary Embolism Policy Workgroup | Yarborough | Blood Clot and Pulmonary Embolism Policy Workgroup; Citing this act as the "Emily Adkins Prevention Act"; requiring the Secretary of Health Care Administration, in conjunction with the State Surgeon General, to establish a blood clot and pulmonary embolism policy workgroup; requiring the secretary to submit a final report to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy | 05/04/2023 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed | Identical HB 0483 (Black) - 05/02/2023 HOUSE Laid on Table, refer to CS/SB 612 |
| SB 0616 | Medicaid Coverage of Rapid Whole Genome Sequencing | Yarborough | Medicaid Coverage of Rapid Whole Genome Sequencing; Defining the term "rapid whole genome sequencing"; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration, subject to federal approval, to include coverage of rapid whole genome sequencing as a separately payable service for certain Medicaid recipients; requiring that genetic data generated as a result of the rapid whole genome sequencing be used only for specified purposes; providing for the use of such data in scientific research if the patient or his or her legal guardian provides express consent for that use, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy | 02/16/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy | Similar HB 1043 (Anderson) - 04/26/2023 SENATE Received; Referred to Fiscal Policy |
| SB 0646 | Medicaid Eligibility for Young Adults | Berman | Medicaid Eligibility for Young Adults; Requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration, in consultation with the Commission on Mental Health and Substance Abuse, to conduct a study for a specified purpose; providing requirements for the study; providing duties for the agency based on the findings in the study; requiring the agency to submit a report of the findings and its recommendations to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law | Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Appropriations | 02/16/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations | Identical HB 1199 (Cassel) - 03/06/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee |
| SB 0652 | Dentistry | Yarborough | Dentistry; Deleting the role of the Board of Dentistry in the administration of the licensure examination for dentists; deleting the requirement for the board to establish an examination fee; revising requirements for licensure as a dentist; deleting a requirement that certain applicants for licensure engage in the full-time practice of dentistry inside the geographic boundaries of this state for 1 year after licensure; revising continuing education requirements for dentists, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy Senate Fiscal Policy (Current Reference) Senate Rules | 03/22/2023 SENATE Now in Fiscal Policy | Similar HB 1163 (Buchanan) - 03/06/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee |
| HB 0673 | Central Service Technicians | Killebrew | Central Service Technicians: Creates Central Service Technicians Act; establishes training certification requirements for central service technicians; requires health care facility to confirm & provide certain information. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee | 02/14/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee | Similar SB 0962 (Calatayud) - 02/28/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Community Affairs; Rules |
| SB 0676 | Level 2 Background Screenings | Grall | Level 2 Background Screenings; Requiring persons with an affiliation to certain qualified entities to undergo security background investigations; authorizing the head of a qualified entity to grant a person with an affiliation an exemption from disqualification under certain circumstances; authorizing certain qualified entities to participate in the Care Provider Background Screening Clearinghouse beginning on a specified date; expanding the agencies and entities which may use the Criminal Justice Information Program; requiring the agency to make certain determinations regarding the eligibility of certain noninstructional contractors beginning on a specified date, etc. APPROPRIATION: \$4,400,000 Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act and except for this section, which shall take effect upon this act becoming a law, this act shall take effect July 1, 2024 | Senate Criminal Justice Senate Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice Senate Appropriations | 05/04/2023 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed | Similar HB 0249 (Trabulsy) - 05/02/2023 HOUSE Laid on Table, refer to CS/SB 676 |
| HB 0805 | Health Insurance Coverage for Biomarker Testing | Gonzalez Pittman | Health Insurance Coverage for Biomarker Testing: Requires AHCA to pay for biomarker testing under Medicaid program; requires managed care plans to cover biomarker testing under Medicaid program; requires individual health insurance policies, group health insurance policies, health maintenance contracts & prepaid health clinic contracts & health services, health care & health benefit plans to provide coverage for biomarker testing. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee | 02/21/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee | Similar SB 1218 (Wright) - 03/06/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy |
| HB 0825 | Assault or Battery on Hospital Personnel | Berfield | Assault or Battery on Hospital Personnel: Provides for reclassification of certain offenses committed against hospital personnel while engaged in performance of their duties. Effective Date: October 1, 2023 | House Criminal Justice Subcommittee House Justice Appropriations Subcommittee House Judiciary Committee | 05/02/2023 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed | Similar SB 0568 (Rodriguez) - 05/02/2023 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 0825; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 0825 |
| SB 0834 | Dental Payments Under Health Insurance Plans | Harrell | Dental Payments under Health Insurance Plans; Prohibiting certain restrictions on payment methods by individual health insurers to dentists; providing requirements if certain payment methods are initiated or changed; prohibiting fees for payment transmittals; requiring enforcement by the Financial Services Commission; prohibiting insurers from denying certain claims submitted by dentists except under specified circumstances; revising the definition of the term "covered services", etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Banking and Insurance (Current Reference) Senate Health Policy Senate Rules | 02/23/2023 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Health Policy; Rules | Identical HB 1605 (Gonzalez Pittman) - 03/09/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee |
| HB 0837 | Civil Remedies | Gregory | Civil Remedies: Creates rebuttable presumption that lodestar fee is sufficient & reasonable attorney fee in most civil actions; reduces statute of limitations for negligence actions; provides standards for bad faith actions; provides for distribution of proceeds when two or more third-party claims arising out of single occurrence exceed policy limits; limits applicability of provisions relating to attorney fees in certain actions against insurers; provides standards for evidence to prove damages for medical expenses in certain civil actions; requires certain disclosures with respect to claims for medical expenses for treatment rendered under letters of protection; requires trier of fact to consider fault of certain persons who contribute to an injury; provides that owner or principal operator of multifamily residential property which substantially implements specified security measures on that property has presumption against liability in connection with certain criminal acts that occur on premises; revises provisions relating to immunity from liability for injury to trespassers on real property; specifies applicability of provisions relating to offer of judgment & demand for judgment. Effective Date: March 24, 2023 | House Civil Justice Subcommittee House Judiciary Committee | 03/24/2023 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2023-15 | Compare HB 1165 (Duggan) - 03/06/2023 HOUSE Now in Civil Justice Subcommittee SB 1274 (Burton) - 03/06/2023 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Appropriations Committee on Criminal and Civil Justice; Fiscal Policy Identical SB 0236 (Hutson) - 03/22/2023 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 0837; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 0837 |

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| SB 0956 | Foreign-licensed Physicians | Rodriguez | Foreign-licensed Physicians; Providing for provisional licenses by endorsement for certain foreign-licensed physicians; requiring the Department of Health to issue a provisional license by endorsement to any applicant whom the Board of Medicine certifies as having met specified criteria; authorizing the board to require the applicant to take and pass the appropriate licensure examination before certifying him or her for provisional licensure by endorsement; providing that a provisional license by endorsement is valid for 2 years unless revoked or suspended and is subject to specified provisions, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy | 02/28/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy | Compare HB 1145 (Snyder) - 04/12/2023 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading |
| SB 0962 | Central Service Technician Services | Calatayud | Central Service Technician Services; Defining the terms "central service technician" and "health care practitioner"; authorizing licensed hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers to employ or otherwise retain the services of a central service technician only if he or she meets specified criteria; requiring central service technicians who do not meet specified criteria to obtain a certain certification within a specified timeframe as a condition of continued employment; requiring hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers to, upon the written request of a central service technician, verify in writing the technician's dates of employment or contract period with the facility, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Community Affairs Senate Rules | 02/28/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Community Affairs; Rules | Similar HB 0673 (Killebrew) - 02/14/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee |
| HB 0967 | Medicaid Coverage of Continuous Glucose Monitors | Bell | Medicaid Coverage of Continuous Glucose Monitors: Requires AHCA, subject to availability of funds & certain limitations & directions, to provide coverage for continuous glucose monitors for certain Medicaid recipients; provides requirements for Medicaid recipients to continue receiving coverage for their continuous glucose monitors; requires agency to seek federal approval for implementation of act, if needed; requires agency to include rate impact of act in certain rates that become effective on specified date. Effective Date: October 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee | 05/02/2023 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed | Identical SB 0988 (Burton) - 05/02/2023 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 0967; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 0967 |
| SB 0984 | Dental Services Under the Medicaid Program | Osgood | Dental Services Under the Medicaid Program; Revising adult dental services as optional Medicaid services for which the Agency for Health Care Administration may pay; extending the date by which the agency may seek state plan amendments and federal waivers to commence enrollment in the Medicaid prepaid dental health program; extending the term of existing program contracts with dental managed care providers; providing requirements for minimum benefits provided by the program, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy | 02/28/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy | Identical HB 1461 (Joseph) - 03/09/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee |
| HB 0987 | Public Deposits | Botana | Public Deposits: Provides requirements for credit unions that are qualified public depositories; provides that public deposits in credit unions by specified trust departments or trust companies are exempt from certain requirements & protection; prohibits CFO from designating credit unions as qualified public depositories unless certain requirements are met; requires CFO to withdraw from specified collateral agreements under certain circumstances; prohibits credit unions from being designated as qualified public depositories if CFO withdraws from collateral agreements; requires specified credit unions to return all public deposits in credit unions within specified timeframe; authorizes CFO to limit amount of public deposits in credit unions for specified purpose; provides requirements for suspension or disqualification of credit unions as qualified public depositories; authorizes CFO to issue cease & desist order & corrective order to credit unions upon certain determinations. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Insurance & Banking Subcommittee House State Administration & Technology Appropriations Subcommittee House Commerce Committee | 04/18/2023 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading | Compare HB 0487 (Salzman) - 05/04/2023 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed Identical SB 1360 (Ingoglia) - 03/06/2023 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy |
| SB 0988 | Medicaid Coverage of Continuous Glucose Monitors | Burton | Medicaid Coverage of Continuous Glucose Monitors; Requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration, subject to the availability of funds and certain limitations and directions, to provide coverage for continuous glucose monitors for certain Medicaid recipients; providing requirements for Medicaid recipients to continue receiving coverage for their continuous glucose monitors; requiring the agency to include the rate impact of the act in certain rates that become effective on a specified date, etc. Effective Date: 10/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy | 05/02/2023 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 0967; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 0967 | Identical HB 0967 (Bell) - 05/02/2023 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed |
| HB 0997 | Use of Telehealth | Gonzalez Pittman | Use of Telehealth: Authorizes telehealth provider to prescribe specified controlled substances for treatment of certain health conditions. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Health & Human Services Committee | 02/28/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee | Identical SB 1232 (Brodeur) - 03/28/2023 SENATE Now in Judiciary |
| SB 1000 | Dental Care | Calatayud | Dental Care; Authorizing Medicaid reimbursement for dental services provided by mobile dental units owned by, operated by, or having contractual agreements with specified entities; revising licensure examination requirements for dental hygienists to authorize applicants to demonstrate certain clinical skills on a live patient rather than only on a manikin; authorizing the Board of Dentistry to require persons applying to take the dental hygiene examination to maintain medical malpractice insurance in a specified amount, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy | 02/28/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy | Similar HB 1177 (Bell) - 04/18/2023 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading |
| HB 1013 | Protection from Discrimination Based on Health Care Choices | Griffitts Jr. | Protection from Discrimination Based on Health Care Choices: Prohibits business entities, governmental entities, & educational institutions from imposing COVID-19 testing, facial covering, & vaccination mandates; prohibits hospitals from interfering with patients' right to choose COVID-19 treatment alternatives; requires health care practitioners to obtain informed consent about COVID-19 treatment options. Effective Date: June 1, 2023 | House Health & Human Services Committee House Commerce Committee | 05/02/2023 HOUSE Laid on Table, refer to CS/SB 252 | Compare SB 0238 (Burton) - 05/04/2023 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed Similar SB 0252 (Burton) - 05/04/2023 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed Linked HB 1015 (Griffitts Jr.) - 05/02/2023 HOUSE Laid on Table, refer to CS/CS/SB 238 |
| HB 1015 | Pub. Rec./Protection from Discrimination Based on Health Care Choices | Griffitts Jr. | Pub. Rec./Protection from Discrimination Based on Health Care Choices: Provides exemption from public records requirements for certain information held by DLA & DOH; provides for future legislative review & repeal of exemption; provides statement of public necessity. Effective Date: on the same date that HB 1013 or similar legislation takes effect | House Health & Human Services Committee House Commerce Committee | 05/02/2023 HOUSE Laid on Table, refer to CS/CS/SB 238 | Compare SB 0252 (Burton) - 05/04/2023 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed Similar SB 0238 (Burton) - 05/04/2023 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed Linked HB 1013 (Griffitts Jr.) - 05/02/2023 HOUSE Laid on Table, refer to CS/SB 252 |
| SB 1058 | Autonomous Practice by Advanced Practice Registered Nurses | Rodriguez | Autonomous Practice by Advanced Practice Registered Nurses; Exempting certain advanced practice registered nurses from specified medical direction requirements for clinical privileges in hospitals; revising requirements for certified nurse midwives registered to engage in autonomous practice; providing for the future expiration of the Council on Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Autonomous Practice, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Rules | 02/28/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules | Compare SB 1192 (Rodriguez) - 03/02/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Judiciary; Rules HB 1391 (Stevenson) - 03/06/2023 HOUSE Withdrawn prior to introduction Similar HB 1067 (Giallombardo) - 03/22/2023 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee |

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| SB 1062 | Health Care Benefit Coverage for Members of Nonprofit Organizations and Agricultural Cooperative Associations | Collins | Health Care Benefit Coverage for Members of Nonprofit Organizations and Agricultural Cooperative Associations; Designating the "Florida Nonprofit Health Coverage Deregulation Act of 2023"; authorizing nonprofit membership organizations and agricultural cooperative associations to offer health care benefit coverage to their members; providing that such coverage is not considered insurance; authorizing such nonprofit membership organizations and agricultural cooperative associations to cede individual risks to certain insurers by reinsurance agreements, etc. Effective Date: 1/1/2024 | Senate Banking and Insurance (Current Reference) Senate Commerce and Tourism Senate Rules | 02/28/2023 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Commerce and Tourism; Rules | Similar HB 1483 (Plakon) - 03/09/2023 HOUSE Now in Insurance & Banking Subcommittee |
| HB 1063 | Health Insurance Cost Sharing | Cross | Health Insurance Cost Sharing: Requiring specified individual health insurers and their pharmacy benefit managers to apply payments by or on behalf of insureds toward the total contributions of the insureds' cost-sharing requirements; requiring specified contracts to require pharmacy benefit managers to apply payments by or on behalf of insureds toward the insureds' total contributions to cost-sharing requirements; requiring specified group health insurers and their pharmacy benefit managers to apply payments by or on behalf of insureds toward the total contributions of the insureds' cost-sharing requirements; requiring specified contracts to require pharmacy benefit managers to apply payments by or on behalf of insureds toward the insureds' total contributions to cost-sharing requirements, etc. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Appropriations Committee House Health & Human Services Committee | 02/28/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee | Identical SB 0046 (Wright) - 04/05/2023 SENATE Now in Health Policy |
| HB 1067 | Autonomous Practice by an Advanced Practice Registered Nurse | Giallombardo | Autonomous Practice by an Advanced Practice Registered Nurse: Revises staff membership & clinical privileges for advanced practice registered nurses; revises practice requirements for autonomous advanced practice registered nurse; revises practice requirements for certified nurse midwives; authorizes autonomous advanced practice registered nurse to perform certain acts; provides for expiration of Council on Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Autonomous Practice. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee (Current Reference) | 03/22/2023 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee | Compare SB 1192 (Rodriguez) - 03/02/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Judiciary; Rules HB 1391 (Stevenson) - 03/06/2023 HOUSE Withdrawn prior to introduction Similar SB 1058 (Rodriguez) - 02/28/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules |
| HB 1111 | Noncoverage-related Regulation of Insurance | Barnaby | Noncoverage-related Regulation of Insurance: Revises minimum coursework qualification for licensure as life agent; provides that certain restrictions against unfair discrimination or unlawful rebates do not include value-added products or services offered or provided by life or health insurers or their agents if certain conditions are met; provides requirements for & restrictions on life or health insurers or their agents offering or providing such products or services; authorizes life or health insurers or their agents to provide such products or services as part of pilot or testing program; prohibits life or health insurers or their agents, or representatives of such insurers or agents, from offering or providing insurance as inducement to purchase of another policy or from using certain words in advertisement. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Insurance & Banking Subcommittee House Commerce Committee | 05/02/2023 HOUSE Laid on Table, refer to CS/CS/SB 312 | Similar SB 0312 (Collins) - 05/03/2023 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed |
| HB 1133 | Physician Assistant Licensure | Rizo | Physician Assistant Licensure: Revises requirements for applicant for licensure as physician assistant. Effective Date: upon becoming a law | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee | 04/27/2023 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed | Similar SB 0454 (Avila) - 04/27/2023 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 1133; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 1133 |
| HB 1145 | Foreign-licensed Physicians | Snyder | Foreign-licensed Physicians: Provides alternative to approved residency requirement for foreign-trained physicians. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee | 04/12/2023 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading | Compare SB 0956 (Rodriguez) - 02/28/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy |
| SB 1158 | Department of Financial Services | DiCeglie | Department of Financial Services; Revising powers and duties of the department's Division of Investigative and Forensic Services; authorizing, rather than requiring, a judge of compensation claims to order an injured employee's evaluation by an expert medical advisor under certain circumstances; revising eligibility requirements for the board of directors of the Florida Self-Insurers Guaranty Association, Incorporated; deleting the authority of designated examination centers to take fingerprints of applicants for a license as an agent, customer representative, adjuster, service representative, or reinsurance intermediary; authorizing certain persons to obtain a limited license to sell only policies of life insurance covering the expense of a prearrangement for funeral services or merchandise; adding grounds for discretionary disciplinary actions taken by the department against a title insurance agent or agency; authorizing the department in receivership proceedings to take certain actions as a domiciliary receiver, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act, this act shall take effect upon becoming a law | Senate Banking and Insurance Senate Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government Senate Fiscal Policy | 04/28/2023 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 0487; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 0487 | Similar HB 0487 (Salzman) - 05/04/2023 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed |
| SB 1160 | Payment of Health Insurance Claims | Hooper | Payment of Health Insurance Claims; Prohibiting a health insurer or health maintenance organization from retroactively denying a claim at any time because of ineligibility of the insured or subscriber, respectively; specifying an exception, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Banking and Insurance (Current Reference) Senate Judiciary Senate Rules | 03/02/2023 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; Rules | Similar HB 1335 (Rudman) - 04/19/2023 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading |
| HB 1163 | Dental Licensure Examinations and Regulations | Buchanan | Dental Licensure Examinations and Regulations: Revises licensure examination requirements for dentists; revises reexamination & continuing education requirements; removes provision relating to dentist specialties. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee | 03/06/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee | Similar SB 0652 (Yarborough) - 03/22/2023 SENATE Now in Fiscal Policy |
| HB 1187 | Campaign Finance | Beltran | Campaign Finance: Prohibits political committee from transferring funds to another political committee; revises definition of term "contribution." Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Ethics, Elections & Open Government Subcommittee (Current Reference) House State Affairs Committee | 03/06/2023 HOUSE Now in Ethics, Elections & Open Government Subcommittee | Identical SB 1216 (Ingoglia) - 03/06/2023 SENATE Referred to Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; Rules |
| HB 1193 | Corporate Practice of Medicine | Skidmore | Corporate Practice of Medicine: Provides additional acts that constitute grounds for denial of license or disciplinary action to which penalties apply. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Health & Human Services Committee | 03/06/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee | Identical SB 1222 (Powell) - 03/06/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Judiciary; Rules |
| SB 1216 | Campaign Finance | Ingoglia | Campaign Finance; Prohibiting a political committee from transferring funds to another political committee, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Ethics and Elections (Current Reference) Senate Judiciary Senate Rules | 03/06/2023 SENATE Referred to Ethics and Elections; Judiciary; Rules | Identical HB 1187 (Beltran) - 03/06/2023 HOUSE Now in Ethics, Elections & Open Government Subcommittee |

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| SB 1218 | Biomarker Testing | Wright | Biomarker Testing; Requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to pay for biomarker testing under the state Medicaid program for specified purposes; beginning on a specified date, requiring individual health insurance policies; group, blanket, and franchise health insurance policies; and health maintenance contracts, respectively, to provide coverage for biomarker testing under certain circumstances; requiring insurers and health maintenance organizations, as applicable, to provide a clear, readily accessible, and convenient process on their websites for requesting exceptions to policy or contract terms, as applicable, and for appealing certain adverse utilization review determinations, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy | 03/06/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy | Similar HB 0805 (Gonzalez Pittman) - 02/21/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee |
| SB 1222 | Corporate Practice of Medicine | Powell | Corporate Practice of Medicine; Providing additional acts that constitute grounds for denial of a license to practice medicine or for disciplinary action, to which penalties apply, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Judiciary Senate Rules | 03/06/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Judiciary; Rules | Identical HB 1193 (Skidmore) - 03/06/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee |
| SB 1232 | Telehealth Prescribing | Brodeur | Telehealth Prescribing; Revising the circumstances under which a telehealth provider may use telehealth to prescribe certain controlled substances, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy Senate Judiciary (Current Reference) Senate Rules | 03/28/2023 SENATE Now in Judiciary | Identical HB 0997 (Gonzalez Pittman) - 02/28/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee |
| HB 1299 | Payments for Workers' Compensation Expert Witnesses | Daley | Payments for Workers' Compensation Expert Witnesses: Increases maximum amounts of certain witness fees related to workers' compensation cases. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Insurance & Banking Subcommittee House State Administration & Technology Appropriations Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Commerce Committee | 03/28/2023 HOUSE Now in State Administration & Technology Appropriations Subcommittee | Compare SB 1344 (Bradley) - 04/05/2023 SENATE Now in Health Policy |
| HB 1329 | Health Insurance Coverage by Out-of-state Insurers | Koster | Health Insurance Coverage by Out-of-state Insurers: Authorizes foreign insurers that have secured regulatory approval from United States territory regulatory authority to transact health insurance; provides that such insurance transactions & insurers are subject to other provisions of Florida Insurance Code under certain circumstances; exempts insurers from insurance-specific taxes; defines "territory of United States." Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Insurance & Banking Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Commerce Committee | 03/09/2023 HOUSE Now in Insurance & Banking Subcommittee | |
| HB 1333 | Interstate-Mobility and Universal-Recognition Occupational Licensing Act | Koster | Interstate-Mobility and Universal-Recognition Occupational Licensing Act: Requires agencies, boards, departments to issue occupational license or government certification to persons; authorizes such entities to require person to pass specified examination; provides exceptions; authorizes Governor to take actions relating to occupational licenses during declared states of emergency; requires Department of Veterans Affairs to create one-stop online portal system for certain purpose; requires DBPR & DOH to use such system to verify certain credentials. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Regulatory Reform & Economic Development Subcommittee House State Administration & Technology Appropriations Subcommittee House Commerce Committee | 04/25/2023 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading | Compare SB 1366 (Collins) - 04/26/2023 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading Similar SB 1364 (Collins) - 05/04/2023 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading |
| HB 1335 | Payment of Health Insurance Claims | Rudman | Payment of Health Insurance Claims: Prohibits health insurer & health maintenance organization from retroactively denying claim at any time because of ineligibility of insured & subscriber; specifies exception; requires health insurer & HMO to provide accurate information to provider about insurer's & subscriber's grace period status; authorizes health insurer & HMO to recoup payment retroactively within specified timeframe if such accurate information is given to provider; provides nonapplicability of prohibition to Medicaid managed care plans. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee | 04/19/2023 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading | Similar SB 1160 (Hooper) - 03/02/2023 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; Rules |
| SB 1344 | Medical Treatment Under the Workers' Compensation Law | Bradley | Medical Treatment Under the Workers' Compensation Law; Increasing limits on witness fees charged by certain witnesses; increasing maximum reimbursement allowances for physicians and surgical procedures, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Banking and Insurance Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Fiscal Policy | 04/05/2023 SENATE Now in Health Policy | Compare HB 1299 (Daley) - 03/28/2023 HOUSE Now in State Administration & Technology Appropriations Subcommittee |
| HB 1351 | Savings and Out-of-pocket Expenses in Health Insurance | Melo | Savings and Out-of-pocket Expenses in Health Insurance: Requires certain licensed facilities & physicians to provide specific pricing & cost-obligation information to patients; requires health insurer to apply payment for service that nonpreferred provider provided to insured toward insured's deductible & out-of-pocket maximum as if service had been provided by preferred provider, if specific conditions are met. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee | 04/19/2023 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading | |
| SB 1360 | Public Deposits | Ingoglia | Public Deposits; Adding credit unions to a list of financial institutions that are eligible to be qualified public depositories; authorizing the Chief Financial Officer to limit the amount of public deposits a credit union may hold; specifying the losses against which certain solvent banks, savings banks, savings associations, and credit unions must guarantee public depositories; requiring the Chief Financial Officer to segregate and separately account for proceeds, assessments, and administrative penalties attributable to a credit union from those attributable to other specified financial institutions, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Banking and Insurance (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government Senate Fiscal Policy | 03/06/2023 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Fiscal Policy | Compare HB 0487 (Salzman) - 05/04/2023 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed Identical HB 0987 (Botana) - 04/18/2023 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading |
| SB 1364 | Interstate-Mobility and Universal-Recognition Occupational Licensing Act | Collins | Interstate-Mobility and Universal-Recognition Occupational Licensing Act; Designating the "Interstate-Mobility and Universal-Recognition Occupational Licensing Act"; requiring certain agencies, boards, departments, and other governmental entities to issue an occupational license or a government certification to applicants under certain circumstances; authorizing such entities to require an applicant to pass a specified examination under certain circumstances; requiring licensing entities to provide a written decision to an applicant within a specified timeframe; authorizing the Governor to take certain actions relating to occupational licenses during declared states of emergency, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Regulated Industries Senate Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government Senate Fiscal Policy | 05/04/2023 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading | Similar HB 1333 (Koster) - 04/25/2023 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading Linked SB 1366 (Collins) - 04/26/2023 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading |
| SB 1366 | Fees/Interstate-Mobility and Universal-Recognition Occupational Licensing Act | Collins | Fees/Interstate-Mobility and Universal-Recognition Occupational Licensing Act; Authorizing applicable boards to charge a fee for applications under the Interstate-Mobility and Universal-Recognition Occupational Licensing Act, etc. Effective Date: On the same date that SB 1364 or similar legislation takes effect, if such legislation is adopted in the same legislative session or an extension thereof and becomes a law | Senate Regulated Industries Senate Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government Senate Fiscal Policy | 04/26/2023 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading | Compare HB 1333 (Koster) - 04/25/2023 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading Linked SB 1364 (Collins) - 05/04/2023 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading |
| SB 1394 | Building Plans | Perry | Building Plans; Specifying that local building code administrators and inspectors and firesafety marshals and inspectors do not have discretionary authority to change certain building plans under specified circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Community Affairs (Current Reference) Senate Banking and Insurance Senate Rules | 03/09/2023 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Banking and Insurance; Rules | |

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| HB 1413 | Health Care Expenses | Tramont | Health Care Expenses: Establishes 3-year statute of limitations for action to collect medical debt for services; provides personal property exemptions from legal process for medical debts; requires licensed facility to post on its website consumer-friendly list of standard charges; requires licensed facility to provide estimate to patient & patient's insurer; prohibits collection activities by licensed facility; requires health insurer to provide insured with advanced explanation of benefits; provides shared savings incentive offered by health insurer or HMO constitutes medical expense for rate development & rate filing purposes. Effective Date: October 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Commerce Committee House Health & Human Services Committee | 04/24/2023 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading | Similar SB 0268 (Brodeur) - 04/18/2023 SENATE Temporarily Postponed by Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services |
| SB 1434 | Prior Authorization | Simon | Prior Authorization; Redefining the term "health insurer" as "utilization review entity" and revising the definition; requiring utilization review entities to establish and offer a prior authorization process for accepting electronic prior authorization requests; specifying additional requirements and procedures for, and restrictions and limitations on, utilization review entities relating to prior authorization for covered health care benefits, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Banking and Insurance (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government Senate Appropriations | 03/09/2023 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Appropriations | Similar HB 1533 (Berfield) - 03/09/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee |
| HB 1471 | Health Care Provider Accountability | Busatta Cabrera | Health Care Provider Accountability: Revises rights of licensed nursing home facility residents; creates cause of action for ex parte temporary injunction against continued unlicensed activity; authorizes ACHA to provide records to local law enforcement & state attorneys' offices; provides standard of care requirements for office surgeries; prohibits certain office surgeries; provides physician, office, & procedure requirements. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee | 05/05/2023 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed | Compare SB 0412 (Garcia (I)) - 02/09/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Judiciary; Rules SB 1596 (Garcia (I)) - 05/03/2023 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 1471; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 1471 |
| HB 1485 | Anesthesiologist Assistants | Plakon | Anesthesiologist Assistants: Revises definitions of terms "anesthesiologist" & "direct supervision"; revises requirements for written protocol between anesthesiologist assistant & supervising anesthesiologist; revises duties & functions anesthesiologist assistants may perform; revises licensure requirements for anesthesiologist assistants. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Health & Human Services Committee | 03/09/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee | Identical SB 1630 (Rouson) - 03/09/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy |
| SB 1500 | Health Insurance Identification Cards | Brodeur | Health Insurance Identification Cards; Requiring certain health insurance identification cards to include specified information in a certain manner, etc. Effective Date: 1/1/2024 | Senate Banking and Insurance (Current Reference) Senate Rules | 03/09/2023 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Rules | Compare HB 1545 (Stevenson) - 03/27/2023 HOUSE Now in Commerce Committee |
| HB 1533 | Prior Authorization for Health Care Services | Berfield | Prior Authorization for Health Care Services: Provides process to accept electronic requests for prior authorization for health care services; provides requirements for electronic prior authorization process; prohibits requirements for prior authorizations for certain health care services & medications; prohibits prior authorization revocations, limitations, conditions, & restrictions under specified circumstance; provides requirements for payments to health care providers; provides length of prior authorization validity; prohibits requirements for additional prior authorizations under certain circumstances. Effective Date: July 1, 2023 | House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee | 03/09/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee | Similar SB 1434 (Simon) - 03/09/2023 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Appropriations |
| HB 1545 | Health Insurance Identification Cards | Stevenson | Health Insurance Identification Cards: Requires prescription drug benefits-ID cards from health insurers, health maintenance organizations, & government entities to contain & display information on types of plan; requires ID cards from individual health insurers, health insurers & HMOs to contain & display information on types of plan. Effective Date: January 1, 2024 | House Insurance & Banking Subcommittee House Commerce Committee (Current Reference) | 03/27/2023 HOUSE Now in Commerce Committee | Compare SB 1500 (Brodeur) - 03/09/2023 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Rules |
| SB 1596 | Provider Accountability | Garcia (I) | Provider Accountability; Revising the rights of residents of nursing home facilities; providing additional disqualifying offenses for purposes of background screening of employees of certain health care providers; creating a cause of action for ex parte injunctive relief against continued unlicensed activity relating to health care provider facilities; authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to petition the court for such injunctive relief; providing for ex parte temporary injunctive relief under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy Senate Children, Families, and Elder Affairs Senate Rules | 05/03/2023 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 1471; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 1471 | Compare HB 1471 (Busatta Cabrera) - 05/05/2023 HOUSE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed |
| SB 1630 | Anesthesiologist Assistants | Rouson | Anesthesiologist Assistants; Revising the definitions of the terms "anesthesiologist" and "direct supervision"; revising requirements for the written protocol between an anesthesiologist assistant and a supervising anesthesiologist; revising provisions relating to duties and functions anesthesiologist assistants may perform, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2023 | Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy | 03/09/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy | Identical HB 1485 (Plakon) - 03/09/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee |