

CSRO tracks legislative activity relevant to the rheumatology community and their patients.
Review the list below to see the status of all CSRO's priority bills as of October 27, 2023.

Alaska

Rebate Pass Through

- SB 124: Introduced and referred to Labor and Commerce committee

White Bagging

- SB 121: Introduced and referred to Labor and Commerce committee

Arkansas

Biomarker Testing

- HB 1121: Signed by the Governor

Gold Card

- HB 1271: Signed into law by the Governor
- SB 143: Withdrawn

Rebate Pass Through

- HB 1481: Signed by the Governor

California

Accumulators

- AB 874: Hearing postponed

Rebate Pass Through

- SB 873: Held in committee

Biomarker Testing

- SB 496: Delivered to the Governor

Gold Card

- SB 598: Approved by Appropriations committee

Colorado

Accumulators

- SB 195: Signed by the Governor

Colorado (continued)

Biomarker Testing

- HB 1110: Amended by House Health and Insurance committee and re-referred to Appropriation committee

Step Therapy

- HB 1183: Signed by the Governor

Connecticut

Biomarker Testing Coverage

- SB 976: Public hearing held 2/14
- HB 6628: Re-referred to committee on Appropriations

Step Therapy

- HB 5452: Referred to Joint Committee on Real Estate and Insurance

Georgia

Biomarker Testing

- HB 85: Signed by the Governor

Rebate Pass Through

- HB 343: Approved by House, transmitted to the Senate
- SB 286: Introduced, read and referred

White Bagging

- HB 417: Re-committed to House committee
- HB 448: Introduced

Florida

Accumulators

- SB 228: Filed

Florida (continued)

Non-medical Switching

- SB 746: Died in Banking and Insurance committee

Biomarker Testing

- HB 805: Referred to Health and Human Services committee, and Healthcare Regulation and Appropriations subcommittees
- SB 1218: Introduced

White Bagging

- HB 203: Died in Banking and Insurance
- SB 1638: Died in Banking and Insurance

Illinois

Rebate Pass Through

- HB 1054: Re-referred to Rules committee

White Bagging

- SB 1255: Re-assigned to Assignments committee
- HB 2814: Re-referred to Rules committee

Indiana

Gold Card:

- HB 1610: Introduced and referred to Committee on Insurance

Rebate Pass Through

- HB 1273: Introduced, referred to committee on Insurance
- SB 8: Signed by the Governor

Iowa

Gold Card

- SSB 1100: Subcommittee recommends amendment and passage
- HSB 130: Subcommittee recommends passage

Iowa (continued)

Non-medical Switching

- HF 626: Passed House and referred to Health and Human Services committee

Kentucky

Biomarker Testing

- HB 180: Signed by the Governor

Gold Card

- HB 134: Amended by House Health Services committee and reported do pass, re-referred to Banking and Insurance committee

White Bagging

- SB 149: Referred to Banking and Insurance committee
- HB 350: Introduced and referred to Banking and Insurance committee

Louisiana

Biomarker Testing

- SB 104: Signed by the Governor

Maine

Gold Card

- HB 485: Referred to committee on Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services

Massachusetts

Accumulators

- SD 1230: Introduced
- HD 788: Introduced

Biomarker Testing

- SD 1687: Introduced
- HD 2413: Introduced

Rebate Pass Through

- HB 978: Scheduled for hearing on 5/16
- HD851: Introduced

Non-medical Switching

- HB 982: Scheduled for hearing on 6/15

Maryland

Biomarker Testing

- SB 805: Signed by the Governor
- HB 1217: Signed by the Governor

Step Therapy

- SB 515: Signed by the Governor
- HB 785: Signed by the Governor

Michigan

Accumulator Programs

- HB 4719: Referred to committee on Insurance and Financial Services

Minnesota

Biomarker Testing

- SF 1948: Reported do pass and referred to Health and Human Services committee
- HF 1978: Reported do pass as amended and re-referred to Health Finance and Policy committee

Non-medical Switching

- SF 328: Committee amends and reports do pass, re-referred to Health and Human Services
- HF 294: Committee recommends passage, re-referred to Judiciary, Finance and Civil Law committee

Rebate Pass Through

- SF 2889: Referred to Health and Human Services committee
- HF 1711: Reported do pass and referred to Commerce, Finance, and Policy
- SF 1319: Introduced and referred to Health and Human Services committee

White Bagging

- SF 482: Reported do pass as amended
- HF 544: Reported do pass as amended and re-referred to Commerce Finance and Policy

Mississippi

Non-medical Switching

- HB 211: Introduced and referred to Insurance Committee

Rebate Pass Through

- SB 2484: Died

White Bagging

- HB 1316: Died

Missouri

Accumulators

- HB 442: Reported do pass by Senate committee
- SB 269: Introduced

Gold Card

- HB 1045: Public hearing completed

Non-medical Switching

- HB 324: Referred to Insurance Policy committee

Step Therapy

- SB 268: Referred to Insurance and Banking Committee

White Bagging

- HB 198: Dropped from the informal perfection calendar
- SB 26: Placed on the formal calendar for perfection

Montana

White Bagging

- SB 223: Died, missed deadline for crossover

Gold Card

- SB 380: Signed by the Governor

Nevada

Biomarker Testing

- AB 155: Amendments limit scope to cancer, signed by the Governor

Non-medical Switching

- SB 57: Signed by the Governor

Nevada (continued)

Rebate Pass Through

- AB 440: Introduced and referred to Commerce and Labor committee

Step Therapy

- SB 194: Signed by the Governor
- SB 167: Passed Assembly, transmitted to the Senate

New Jersey

Step Therapy

- A 2010: Introduced, referred to Assembly Health committee
- S 308: Referred to Senate Commerce Committee

New York

Biomarker Testing

- A1673: Approved by Insurance committee and referred to Ways and Means committee
- S1196: Transmitted to the Governor

Step Therapy

- A1384: Referred to Insurance
- S1267: Referred to Insurance
- A582: Referred to Insurance
- A463: Passed the Assembly
- S2677: Passed the Senate
- S2682: Referred to Insurance
- S2800: Referred to Insurance
- S3400: Referred to Health
- S3402: Referred to Health

PBM and Rebate Aggregator Transparency

- S6738: Referred to Insurance committee
- A7304: Reported by committee and referred to Codes committee

Rebate Pass Through

- S2393: Amended and recommitted to Insurance committee
- A1962: Referred to Insurance

White Bagging

- A2163: Referred to Insurance

Nebraska

Gold Card

- LB 210: Introduced and referred to Banking, Commerce, and Insurance committee

White Bagging

- LB 448: Referred to Banking, Commerce, and Insurance committee, notice of hearing for 3/23

New Hampshire

White Bagging

- HB 513: Subcommittee work session scheduled for 9/6

New Mexico

Accumulators

- SB 51: Signed by the Governor
- SB 14: Reported do pass by Tax, Business and Transportation and Judiciary committees

Rebate Pass Through

- SB 14: Reported do pass by Tax, Business and Transportation and Judiciary committees

Biomarker Testing

- HB 73: Signed by the Governor

North Carolina

Prior Authorization & Gold Card

- HB 649: Referred to Senate committee on Operations and Rules

North Dakota

Accumulators

- HB 1413: Amended to non-mandatory study committee and signed by the Governor

Non-medical Switching & Prior Authorization

- SB 2389: Signed by the Governor

White Bagging

- SB 2378: signed by Governor

Ohio

Accumulators

- HB 177: Proponent testimony heard

Biomarker Testing

- HB 24: Referred to Insurance committee

Non-medical Switching

- HB 291: Introduced and referred to Insurance committee

White Bagging

- HB 156: Referred to Insurance committee

Oklahoma

Biomarker Testing

- SB 513: Signed by the Governor

Rebate Pass Through

- HB 2853: Withdrawn from Appropriations committee
- SB 879: Reported do pass as amended by committee

Step Therapy

- HB 1736: Signed by the Governor

White Bagging

- SB 13: Reported do pass by committee and referred to Retirement and Insurance committee

Pennsylvania

Accumulators

- SB 372: Introduced and referred to Banking and Insurance

Oregon

Accumulators

- SB 565: Died – procedural deadlines not met

White Bagging

- HB 2715: Public hearing scheduled on 1/24

Rhode Island

Accumulators

- S799: Passed by Senate, referred to House Corporations committee
- H6159: Committee recommends measure be held for further study

Gold Card

- S290: Passed the Senate, referred to House Corporations committee

Utilization Management and PBM Rebate Reform

- H5078: Committee recommends measure be held for further study

Rebate Pass Through

- S106: Committee recommends measure be held for further study

White Bagging

- H5680: Committee recommended measure be held for further study

South Carolina

Accumulators

- HB 3537: Introduced and referred to Committee on Labor, Commerce and Industry
- HB 3618: Introduced and referred to Committee on Labor, Commerce and Industry

Texas

Accumulators

- HB 999: Signed by the Governor
- SB 1576: Referred to Health and Human Services committee

Biomarker Testing

- SB 989: Signed by the Governor
- HB 3188: Left pending in committee

Non-medical Switching

- HB 826: Referred to Insurance committee
- SB 1221: Introduced and referred to Health and Human Services committee

Texas (continued)**Rebate Pass Through**

- HB 2180: Reported favorably by committee

White Bagging

- HB 1647: Signed by the Governor
- SB 1138: Left pending in committee

Utah**Accumulators**

- SB 184: Held by House committee and returned to Rules committee

Vermont**Accumulators**

- H233: Introduced and referred to Health Care committee

Rebate Pass Through

- H233: Introduced and referred to Health Care committee

Virginia**Rebate Pass Through**

- HB 1782: Left in Committee on Commerce and Energy
- SB 1425: Left in committee on Commerce and Labor

Washington**Biomarker Testing**

- SB5074: Scheduled for public hearing on 1/20
- HB 1450: Amended to limit to oncology, referred to Appropriations committee

White Bagging

- HB 1253: Referred to Health and Wellness committee
- SB 5213: Approved by committee, passed to Rules committee for second reading

West Virginia**Gold Card**

- HB 2535: Introduced and referred to House and Health and Human Resources committee
- SB 267: Signed into law

White Bagging

- HB 2429: Referred to Health and Human Resources committee

Wisconsin**Accumulators**

- SB 100: Introduced and referred to committee on Insurance and Small Business
- AB: 103: Introduced and referred to committee on Health, Aging and Long-term Care