

**HB 0009**      **Protecting Consumers Against Pandemic-related Fraud by Zika**

Protecting Consumers Against Pandemic-related Fraud: Defines "personal protective equipment"; prohibits dissemination of false or misleading information relating to personal protective equipment with specified intent; prohibits dissemination of false or misleading vaccine information with specified intent; authorizes state attorney or statewide prosecutor to prosecute violation; authorizes AG to seek civil remedies. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

**Committees of Reference**

House Pandemics & Public Emergencies Committee  
House Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee  
House Judiciary Committee  
Senate Rules

**Actions**

01/07/2021	HOUSE Filed
01/07/2021	HOUSE Referred to Pandemics & Public Emergencies Committee; Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee; Judiciary Committee
01/07/2021	HOUSE Now in Pandemics & Public Emergencies Committee
01/07/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Pandemics & Public Emergencies Committee, 01/14/21, 9:00 am, 404 H
01/14/2021	HOUSE Favorable by Pandemics & Public Emergencies Committee; 16 Yeas, 0 Nays
01/14/2021	HOUSE Now in Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee
02/03/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee, 02/10/21, 3:30 pm, 17 H
02/10/2021	HOUSE Favorable by Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays
02/10/2021	HOUSE Now in Judiciary Committee
02/12/2021	Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Criminal Justice Impact Conference, 02/15/21, 1:30 pm, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)
02/22/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Judiciary Committee, 03/01/21, 2:00 pm, 17 H - PCS
03/01/2021	HOUSE Favorable with CS by Judiciary Committee; 19 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/01/2021	HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/01/2021	HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading
03/01/2021	HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 03/04/21
03/04/2021	HOUSE Read Second Time; Placed on Third Reading, 03/05/21
03/05/2021	HOUSE Read Third Time; Passed (Vote: 113 Yeas / 0 Nays)
03/18/2021	SENATE In Messages
03/22/2021	SENATE Received; Referred to Rules
03/22/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 03/25/21, 9:00 am, 412 K
03/22/2021	Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Criminal Justice Impact Conference, 03/24/21, 10:00 am, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)
03/25/2021	SENATE Favorable by Rules; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/25/2021	SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

**HB 0029**      **Dispensing Medicinal Drugs by Willhite**

Dispensing Medicinal Drugs: Authorizes hospitals to dispense limited supply of medicinal drugs to patient of emergency department of hospital or patient discharged from hospital; provides drug supply requirements for prescribing or dispensing of such drugs; authorizes prescriber to provide patient with prescription for medicinal drugs for use beyond initial prescription period. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

#### **Committees of Reference**

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House Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

House Health & Human Services Committee

#### **Actions**

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11/30/2020	HOUSE Filed
01/15/2021	HOUSE Referred to Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee
01/15/2021	HOUSE Now in Professions & Public Health Subcommittee
03/01/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Professions & Public Health Subcommittee, 03/03/21, 10:00 am, 212 K
03/03/2021	HOUSE Favorable by Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/03/2021	HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee
03/05/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Health & Human Services Committee, 03/09/21, 4:00 pm, 17 H
03/09/2021	HOUSE Favorable by Health & Human Services Committee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/09/2021	HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

**SB 0072**

#### **Civil Liability for Damages Relating to COVID-19 by Brandes**

Civil Liability for Damages Relating to COVID-19; Specifying requirements for civil actions based on COVID-19-related claims; requiring the court to make certain determinations in such actions; providing that plaintiffs have the burden of proof in such actions; providing preliminary procedures for civil actions based on COVID-19-related claims; requiring COVID-19-related claims to commence within specified timeframes, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

#### **Committees of Reference**

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Senate Judiciary

Senate Commerce and Tourism

Senate Rules

#### **Actions**

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01/06/2021	SENATE Filed
01/14/2021	SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Commerce and Tourism; Rules
01/15/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Judiciary, 01/25/21, 2:30 pm, 412 K
01/25/2021	SENATE Favorable by Judiciary; 7 Yeas, 4 Nays
01/26/2021	SENATE Now in Commerce and Tourism
02/08/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Commerce and Tourism, 02/15/21, 3:30 pm, 110 S
02/15/2021	SENATE Temporarily Postponed by Commerce and Tourism
02/25/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Commerce and Tourism, 03/02/21, 1:30 pm, 110 S
03/02/2021	SENATE Favorable by Commerce and Tourism; 7 Yeas, 4 Nays
03/03/2021	SENATE Now in Rules
03/08/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 03/11/21, 8:15 am, 412 K
03/11/2021	SENATE Favorable with CS by Rules; 10 Yeas, 5 Nays
03/15/2021	SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

03/15/2021	SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading
03/15/2021	SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 03/18/21
03/18/2021	SENATE Read Second Time; Amendments Failed (273472, 433794, 735608, 645490, 504394, 930780, 261298); Amendment Adopted (549168); Amendment Withdrawn (435730); Passed (Vote: 24 Yeas / 15 Nays)
03/18/2021	SENATE Immediately certified
03/18/2021	SENATE Engrossed Text (E1) Filed
03/18/2021	HOUSE In Messages
03/18/2021	HOUSE Received; Referred to Calendar
03/18/2021	HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 03/25/21
03/25/2021	HOUSE Read Second Time; Placed on Third Reading, 03/26/21
03/26/2021	HOUSE Read Third Time; Passed (Vote: 83 Yeas / 31 Nays); Immediately Certified
03/26/2021	SENATE Ordered enrolled
03/26/2021	SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed

#### HB 0099

#### **Use of Epinephrine Auto-injectors on Public K-20 Campuses by Gottlieb**

Use of Epinephrine Auto-injectors on Public K-20 Campuses: Provides that state universities & FCS institutions are considered authorized entities for specified purposes relating to emergency use of epinephrine auto-injectors; requires, rather than authorizes, public schools to purchase or acquire supply of epinephrine auto-injectors for specified purposes; requires such epinephrine auto-injectors be maintained in specified location; requires state universities & FCS institutions to purchase or acquire supply of epinephrine auto-injectors for specified purposes; provides requirements for such supplies of epinephrine auto-injectors; requires state universities & FCS institutions to develop specified protocols; provides liability for use of such epinephrine auto-injectors. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

#### **Committees of Reference**

House Post-Secondary Education & Lifelong Learning Subcommittee  
House Early Learning & Elementary Education Subcommittee (Current Reference)  
House Appropriations Committee  
House Education & Employment Committee

#### **Actions**

12/21/2020	HOUSE Filed
01/15/2021	HOUSE Referred to Post-Secondary Education & Lifelong Learning Subcommittee; Early Learning & Elementary Education Subcommittee; Appropriations Committee; Education & Employment Committee
01/15/2021	HOUSE Now in Post-Secondary Education & Lifelong Learning Subcommittee
03/18/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Post-Secondary Education & Lifelong Learning Subcommittee, 03/22/21, 4:00 pm, 102 H
03/22/2021	HOUSE Favorable by Post-Secondary Education & Lifelong Learning Subcommittee; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/22/2021	HOUSE Now in Early Learning & Elementary Education Subcommittee

#### SB 0170

#### **Podiatric Medicine by Hooper**

Podiatric Medicine; Authorizing the Board of Podiatric Medicine to require a specified number of continuing education hours related to the safe and effective prescribing of controlled substances; providing for governance of podiatric physicians who are supervising medical assistants, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

#### **Committees of Reference**

Senate Health Policy

Senate Education  
Senate Appropriations  
Senate Rules

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**Actions**

12/04/2020 SENATE Filed  
12/09/2020 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Education; Appropriations; Rules  
01/15/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Health Policy, 01/27/21, 09:00 am, 412 K  
01/27/2021 SENATE Favorable with CS by Health Policy; 7 Yeas, 0 Nays  
01/27/2021 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed  
01/28/2021 SENATE Now in Education  
02/25/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Education, 03/02/21, 4:00 pm, 412 K  
03/02/2021 SENATE Favorable by Education; 10 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/02/2021 SENATE Now in Appropriations  
03/15/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Appropriations, 03/18/21, 11:30 am, 412 K  
03/18/2021 SENATE Favorable by Appropriations; 20 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/18/2021 SENATE Now in Rules  
03/22/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 03/25/21, 9:00 am, 412 K  
03/25/2021 SENATE Favorable by Rules; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/25/2021 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

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**HB 0183****Office of Minority Health and Health Equity** by Brown

Office of Minority Health and Health Equity: Requires Office of Minority Health & Health Equity to develop & promote statewide implementation of certain policies, programs, & practices; requires representative from each county health department to serve as minority health liaison; requires office to maintain specified information on its website; requires office to serve as liaison to & assist certain federal offices. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

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**Committees of Reference**

House Professions & Public Health Subcommittee  
House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee (Current Reference)  
House Health & Human Services Committee

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**Actions**

01/08/2021 HOUSE Filed  
01/22/2021 HOUSE Referred to Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee  
01/22/2021 HOUSE Now in Professions & Public Health Subcommittee  
03/19/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Professions & Public Health Subcommittee, 03/23/21, 12:45 pm, 306 H  
03/23/2021 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/24/2021 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed  
03/26/2021 HOUSE Now in Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee

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**SB 0192****Students with Disabilities in Public Schools** by Book

Students With Disabilities in Public Schools; Requiring school districts to prohibit the use of seclusion on students with disabilities in public schools; requiring school districts to adopt positive behavior interventions and supports and certain policies and procedures; creating the Video Cameras in Public

School Classrooms Pilot Program; requiring continuing education and inservice training for instructional personnel teaching students with emotional or behavioral disabilities, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

#### **Committees of Reference**

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Senate Education

Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Education (Current Reference)

Senate Appropriations

#### **Actions**

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12/07/2020 SENATE Filed

12/15/2020 SENATE Referred to Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; Appropriations

03/18/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Education, 03/23/21, 12:30 pm, 412 K

03/23/2021 SENATE Favorable with CS by Education; 9 Yeas, 0 Nays

03/25/2021 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

03/25/2021 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Education

#### **SB 0240**

#### **Donor Human Milk Bank Services by Book**

Donor Human Milk Bank Services; Defining the term “donor human milk bank”; requiring the Department of Health to establish certain standards for the regulation of donor human milk banks; requiring donor human milk banks to comply with certain standards; requiring the department to adopt rules, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

#### **Committees of Reference**

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Senate Health Policy

Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services (Current Reference)

Senate Appropriations

#### **Actions**

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12/10/2020 SENATE Filed

12/21/2020 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations

03/05/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Health Policy, 03/10/21, 10:30 am, 412 K

03/10/2021 SENATE Favorable with CS by Health Policy; 9 Yeas, 0 Nays

03/10/2021 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

03/12/2021 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services

03/19/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, 03/24/21, 2:30 pm, 412 K

03/24/2021 SENATE Temporarily Postponed by Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services

#### **HB 0241**

#### **Parents' Bill of Rights by Grall**

Parents' Bill of Rights: Provides parental rights relating to a minor child's education, upbringing, & health care; provides school district, health care practitioner, hospital requirements & specified penalties. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

#### **Committees of Reference**

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House Health & Human Services Committee

House Judiciary Committee

House Education & Employment Committee

#### **Actions**

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01/13/2021	HOUSE Filed
01/22/2021	HOUSE Referred to Health & Human Services Committee; Judiciary Committee; Education & Employment Committee
01/22/2021	HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee
02/26/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Health & Human Services Committee, 03/02/21, 4:00 pm, 212 K
03/02/2021	HOUSE Favorable by Health & Human Services Committee; 13 Yeas, 7 Days
03/02/2021	HOUSE Now in Judiciary Committee
03/15/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Judiciary Committee, 03/17/21, 3:45 pm, 404 H
03/17/2021	HOUSE Favorable by Judiciary Committee; 14 Yeas, 7 Days
03/17/2021	HOUSE Now in Education & Employment Committee
03/22/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Education & Employment Committee, 03/24/21, 12:00 pm, 17 H
03/24/2021	HOUSE Favorable by Education & Employment Committee; 15 Yeas, 6 Days
03/24/2021	HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading
03/25/2021	HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 03/31/21

#### **HB 0247      Telehealth Practice Standards by Fabricio**

Telehealth Practice Standards: Revises prohibition on prescribing controlled substances through use of telehealth to include only specified controlled substances. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

##### **Committees of Reference**

House Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

House Health & Human Services Committee (Current Reference)

##### **Actions**

01/13/2021	HOUSE Filed
01/22/2021	HOUSE Referred to Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee
01/22/2021	HOUSE Now in Professions & Public Health Subcommittee
03/19/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Professions & Public Health Subcommittee, 03/23/21, 12:45 pm, 306 H - PCS
03/23/2021	HOUSE Favorable with CS by Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; 17 Yeas, 0 Days
03/24/2021	HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/26/2021	HOUSE Reference to Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee removed; Remaining reference: Health & Human Services Committee
03/26/2021	HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee

#### **SB 0262      Dispensing Medicinal Drugs by Harrell**

Dispensing Medicinal Drugs; Authorizing certain hospitals to dispense supplies of prescribed medicinal drugs in a specified amount to emergency department patients or inpatients upon discharge under certain circumstances; authorizing a greater specified supply of medicinal drugs to be prescribed and dispensed in areas in which a state of emergency has been declared and is in effect; authorizing a prescriber to provide a patient with a prescription for medicinal drugs beyond the initial prescription period under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

##### **Committees of Reference**

Senate Health Policy



Senate Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security  
Senate Appropriations (Current Reference)

**Actions**

12/14/2020	SENATE Filed
12/21/2020	SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Appropriations
03/05/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Health Policy, 03/10/21, 10:30 am, 412 K
03/10/2021	SENATE Favorable by Health Policy; 9 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/10/2021	SENATE Now in Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security
03/18/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security, 03/23/21, 3:30 pm, 37 S
03/23/2021	SENATE Favorable with CS by Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; 7 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/24/2021	SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/25/2021	SENATE Now in Appropriations

**HB 0319**

**Substance Abuse Service Providers by Caruso**

Substance Abuse Service Providers: Provides criminal penalties for making certain false representations or omissions of material facts in licensure applications; requires DCF to suspend service provider's license under certain circumstances; applies specified exemptions from disqualification to applicants; provides that certain Florida Building Code requirement does not apply to conversion of dwellings to recovery residences; prohibits reclassification of dwellings for purposes of enforcing Florida Fire Prevention Code. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

**Committees of Reference**

House Children, Families & Seniors Subcommittee  
House Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee  
House Health & Human Services Committee (Current Reference)

**Actions**

01/19/2021	HOUSE Filed
02/03/2021	HOUSE Referred to Children, Families & Seniors Subcommittee; Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee; Appropriations Committee; Health & Human Services Committee
02/03/2021	HOUSE Now in Children, Families & Seniors Subcommittee
03/01/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Children, Families & Seniors Subcommittee, 03/03/21, 4:00 pm, 212 K
03/03/2021	HOUSE Favorable with CS by Children, Families & Seniors Subcommittee; 16 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/04/2021	HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/08/2021	HOUSE Now in Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee
03/18/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee, 03/22/21, 3:00 pm, 404 H
03/22/2021	HOUSE Favorable with CS by Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee; 16 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/23/2021	HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed
03/25/2021	HOUSE Reference to Appropriations Committee removed; Remaining reference: Health & Human Services Committee
03/25/2021	HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee

**HB 0325****Controlled Substance Offenses** by Plakon

Controlled Substance Offenses: Provides that unlawful distribution of methamphetamine or mixture containing methamphetamine that leads to death of user is considered murder under specified circumstances; prohibits specified activities involving controlled substances within 1,000 feet of specified facilities. Effective Date: October 1, 2021

**Committees of Reference**

House Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee  
House Justice Appropriations Subcommittee (Current Reference)  
House Judiciary Committee

**Actions**

01/19/2021	HOUSE Filed
02/03/2021	HOUSE Referred to Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee; Justice Appropriations Subcommittee; Judiciary Committee
02/03/2021	HOUSE Now in Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee
03/18/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee, 03/22/21, 3:00 pm, 404 H - PCS
03/22/2021	PCS to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Criminal Justice Impact Conference, 03/24/21, 10:00 am, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)
03/22/2021	HOUSE Favorable with CS by Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee; 15 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/23/2021	HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/25/2021	HOUSE Now in Justice Appropriations Subcommittee
03/26/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Justice Appropriations Subcommittee, 03/30/21, 9:00 am, 212 K

**HB 0383****Involuntary Examinations of Minors** by Plasencia

Involuntary Examinations of Minors: Revises certain notification requirements that must be met before removing minor from school, school transportation, or school-sponsored activity for involuntary examination. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

**Committees of Reference**

House Early Learning & Elementary Education Subcommittee  
House Secondary Education & Career Development Subcommittee  
House Education & Employment Committee (Current Reference)

**Actions**

01/22/2021	HOUSE Filed
02/08/2021	HOUSE Referred to Early Learning & Elementary Education Subcommittee; Secondary Education & Career Development Subcommittee; Children, Families & Seniors Subcommittee; Education & Employment Committee
02/08/2021	HOUSE Now in Early Learning & Elementary Education Subcommittee
03/05/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Early Learning & Elementary Education Subcommittee, 03/09/21, 9:30 am, 17 H - PCS
03/09/2021	HOUSE Favorable with CS by Early Learning & Elementary Education Subcommittee; 16 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/09/2021	HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/10/2021	HOUSE Reference to Children, Families & Seniors Subcommittee removed; Remaining references: Secondary Education & Career Development Subcommittee, Education & Employment Committee



03/10/2021	HOUSE Now in Secondary Education & Career Development Subcommittee
03/19/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Secondary Education & Career Development Subcommittee, 03/23/21, 9:15 am, 17 H
03/23/2021	HOUSE Favorable by Secondary Education & Career Development Subcommittee; 14 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/23/2021	HOUSE Now in Education & Employment Committee
03/25/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Education & Employment Committee, 03/29/21, 1:00 pm, 17 H

#### **HB 0397      Cardiovascular Emergency Protocols and Training by DiCeglie**

Cardiovascular Emergency Protocols and Training: Requires DOH to send list of certain providers of adult cardiovascular services to specified persons & entities; requires DOH to develop specified assessment tool; requires development & implementation of protocols; requires 911 public safety telecommunicators to receive CPR training; requires DOH to establish procedure to monitor training; authorizes DOH to adjust state grants & shared revenue funds to certain entities based on their adherence to training requirements. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

##### **Committees of Reference**

House Professions & Public Health Subcommittee  
House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee (Current Reference)  
House Health & Human Services Committee

##### **Actions**

01/22/2021	HOUSE Filed
02/08/2021	HOUSE Referred to Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee
02/08/2021	HOUSE Now in Professions & Public Health Subcommittee
03/19/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Professions & Public Health Subcommittee, 03/23/21, 12:45 pm, 306 H
03/23/2021	HOUSE Favorable by Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/24/2021	HOUSE Now in Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee

#### **HB 0431      Practice of Physician Assistants by Rommel**

Practice of Physician Assistants: Provides physician assistant reimbursement & direct billing requirements; authorizes licensed physician assistants to procure medicinal drugs & medical devices under certain circumstances; authorizes physician assistants to authenticate documents for specified reasons; revises accreditation requirements; revises physician assistant licensure requirements; deletes various provisions relating to physician assistants. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

##### **Committees of Reference**

House Professions & Public Health Subcommittee (Current Reference)  
House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee  
House Health & Human Services Committee

##### **Actions**

01/26/2021	HOUSE Filed
02/08/2021	HOUSE Referred to Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee
02/08/2021	HOUSE Now in Professions & Public Health Subcommittee
03/19/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Professions & Public Health Subcommittee, 03/23/21, 12:45 pm, 306 H - PCS

03/23/2021 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; 17 Yeas, 1 Nay  
03/25/2021 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

**HB 0485****Personal Care Attendants** by Garrison

Personal Care Attendants: Authorizes nursing home facilities to employ personal care attendants if certain training requirement is met; requires AHCA, in consultation with Board of Nursing, to develop certain training program; provides minimum requirements for such program; provides certain requirements & prohibitions applicable to personal care attendants; authorizes certain persons to be employed by nursing home facility as personal care attendants for specified period if certain training requirement is met; defines "personal care attendants." Effective Date: upon becoming a law

**Committees of Reference**

House Finance & Facilities Subcommittee

House Health & Human Services Committee (Current Reference)

**Actions**

01/27/2021 HOUSE Filed  
02/08/2021 HOUSE Referred to Finance & Facilities Subcommittee; Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee  
02/08/2021 HOUSE Now in Finance & Facilities Subcommittee  
03/15/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Finance & Facilities Subcommittee, 03/17/21, 1:30 pm, 404 H  
03/17/2021 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Finance & Facilities Subcommittee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/18/2021 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed  
03/22/2021 HOUSE Reference to Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee removed; Remaining reference: Health & Human Services Committee  
03/22/2021 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee  
03/22/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Health & Human Services Committee, 03/24/21, 9:30 am, 17 H  
03/24/2021 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Health & Human Services Committee; 21 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/25/2021 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed

**HB 0519****Required Health Education Instruction** by Yarborough

Required Health Education Instruction: Provides additional requirements for health education; revises grades when students receive certain health education instruction; requires health education instruction include prevention of specified harms. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

**Committees of Reference**

House Secondary Education & Career Development Subcommittee

House Early Learning & Elementary Education Subcommittee

House Education & Employment Committee

**Actions**

01/28/2021 HOUSE Filed  
02/08/2021 HOUSE Referred to Secondary Education & Career Development Subcommittee; Early Learning & Elementary Education Subcommittee; PreK-12 Appropriations Subcommittee; Education & Employment Committee  
02/08/2021 HOUSE Now in Secondary Education & Career Development Subcommittee  
03/02/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Secondary Education & Career Development Subcommittee, 03/04/21, 10:00 am, 212 K

03/04/2021	HOUSE Not Considered by Secondary Education & Career Development Subcommittee
03/08/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Secondary Education & Career Development Subcommittee, 03/10/21, 9:30 am, 212 K
03/10/2021	HOUSE Favorable with CS by Secondary Education & Career Development Subcommittee; 16 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/10/2021	HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/12/2021	HOUSE Reference to PreK-12 Appropriations Subcommittee removed; Remaining references: Early Learning & Elementary Education Subcommittee, Education & Employment Committee
03/12/2021	HOUSE Now in Early Learning & Elementary Education Subcommittee
03/12/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Early Learning & Elementary Education Subcommittee, 03/16/21, 9:30 am, 17 H
03/16/2021	HOUSE Favorable by Early Learning & Elementary Education Subcommittee; 15 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/16/2021	HOUSE Now in Education & Employment Committee
03/22/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Education & Employment Committee, 03/24/21, 12:00 pm, 17 H
03/24/2021	HOUSE Favorable by Education & Employment Committee; 21 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/24/2021	HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

#### HB 0541

#### **Veterans' Preference in Employment** by Buchanan

Veterans' Preference in Employment: Authorizes state & political subdivisions to waive certain postsecondary educational requirements for employment for certain servicemembers & veterans; revises list of positions that are exempt from veterans' preference requirements; requires each political subdivision to develop & implement veterans' recruitment plan; modifies point preferences given to veterans & their family members when numerically based selection process is used for hiring. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

#### **Committees of Reference**

House Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee  
House Professions & Public Health Subcommittee  
House State Affairs Committee

#### **Actions**

01/28/2021	HOUSE Filed
02/18/2021	HOUSE Referred to Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; State Affairs Committee
02/18/2021	HOUSE Now in Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee
03/01/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee, 03/03/21, 10:00 am, 404 H
03/03/2021	HOUSE Favorable by Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/03/2021	HOUSE Now in Professions & Public Health Subcommittee
03/12/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Professions & Public Health Subcommittee, 03/16/21, 9:30 am, 212 K
03/16/2021	HOUSE Favorable by Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/16/2021	HOUSE Now in State Affairs Committee
03/22/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - State Affairs Committee, 03/24/21, 12:00 pm, 212 K
03/24/2021	HOUSE Favorable by State Affairs Committee; 20 Yeas, 0 Nays

**HB 0543 Occupational Therapy** by Koster

Occupational Therapy: Revises fieldwork experience requirement for certain persons to take examination for licensure as occupational therapist; authorizes licensed occupational therapists to use specified title & initials in accordance with rules of national certifying organization; prohibits certain persons from using specified title & initials; provides criminal penalties. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

**Committees of Reference**

House Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

House Health & Human Services Committee

**Actions**

01/28/2021 HOUSE Filed

02/18/2021 HOUSE Referred to Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee

02/18/2021 HOUSE Now in Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

03/12/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Professions & Public Health Subcommittee, 03/16/21, 9:30 am, 212 K

03/16/2021 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays

03/16/2021 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

03/17/2021 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee

03/22/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Health & Human Services Committee, 03/24/21, 9:30 am, 17 H

03/24/2021 HOUSE Favorable by Health & Human Services Committee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays

03/24/2021 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

**SB 0582 Parental Rights** by Rodrigues (R)

Parental Rights; Creating the "Parents' Bill of Rights"; prohibiting the state, its political subdivisions, other governmental entities, or other institutions from infringing on parental rights unless specified conditions are met; requiring each district school board to develop and adopt a policy to promote parental involvement in the public school system; prohibiting health care practitioners and their employees from providing health care services or prescribing medicinal drugs to a minor child without a parent's written consent, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

**Committees of Reference**

Senate Judiciary

Senate Education

Senate Rules (Current Reference)

**Actions**

01/12/2021 SENATE Filed

01/21/2021 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Education; Rules

02/25/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Judiciary, 03/02/21, 1:30 pm, 412 K

03/02/2021 SENATE Favorable with CS by Judiciary; 8 Yeas, 3 Nays

03/04/2021 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

03/11/2021 SENATE Now in Education

03/18/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Education, 03/23/21, 12:30 pm, 412 K

03/23/2021 SENATE Favorable with CS by Education; 5 Yeas, 4 Nays

03/25/2021 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed

03/25/2021 SENATE Now in Rules

**HB 0627 Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia-Related Disorders Education** by Salzman

Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia-Related Disorders Education: Requires DOH, in partnership with Department of Elderly Affairs & Alzheimer's Association, to provide specified information relating to creating awareness about Alzheimer's disease & dementia-related disorders to certain licensed health care providers. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

**Committees of Reference**

House Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee (Current Reference)

House Health & Human Services Committee

**Actions**

01/29/2021 HOUSE Filed

02/18/2021 HOUSE Referred to Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee

02/18/2021 HOUSE Now in Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

03/19/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Professions & Public Health Subcommittee, 03/23/21, 12:45 pm, 306 H

03/23/2021 HOUSE Favorable by Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays

03/24/2021 HOUSE Now in Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee

03/25/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee, 03/29/21, 10:15 am, 17 H

**HB 0631 Optometry** by Rizo

Optometry: Revises member composition requirements for Board of Optometry; revises circumstances under which certified optometrist may administer or prescribe ocular pharmaceutical agents; requires board to adopt negative formulary of ocular pharmaceutical agents certified optometrists are prohibited from administering or prescribing; authorizes certified optometrists to perform laser & non-laser ophthalmic procedures & therapies; requires board to determine required content, grading criteria, & passing score for licensure examination for certified optometrists; authorizes certified optometrists to remove superficial foreign bodies. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

**Committees of Reference**

House Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

House Health & Human Services Committee (Current Reference)

**Actions**

02/01/2021 HOUSE Filed

02/18/2021 HOUSE Referred to Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee

02/18/2021 HOUSE Now in Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

03/19/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Professions & Public Health Subcommittee, 03/23/21, 12:45 pm, 306 H

03/23/2021 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; 14 Yeas, 3 Nays

03/24/2021 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

03/26/2021 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee

**SB 0634 Dementia-related Staff Training** by Gibson

Dementia-related Staff Training; Citing this act as the "Florida Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia Training Act"; requiring certain entities, as a condition of licensure, to provide specified dementia-related training for new employees within a specified timeframe; requiring annual dementia-related training for certain employees; providing that such additional training counts toward a certified nursing assistant's total annual training; authorizing certain health care practitioners to count certain continuing education hours toward the dementia-related training requirements under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

#### **Committees of Reference**

Senate Health Policy  
Senate Children, Families, and Elder Affairs (Current Reference)  
Senate Appropriations

#### **Actions**

01/13/2021	SENATE Filed
01/28/2021	SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations
03/05/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Health Policy, 03/10/21, 10:30 am, 412 K
03/10/2021	SENATE Favorable with CS by Health Policy; 9 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/10/2021	SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/12/2021	SENATE Now in Children, Families, and Elder Affairs
03/18/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Children, Families, and Elder Affairs, 03/23/21, 12:30 pm, 37 S
03/23/2021	SENATE Temporarily Postponed by Children, Families, and Elder Affairs
03/25/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Children, Families, and Elder Affairs, 03/30/21, 9:00 am, 37 S

#### **HB 0651**

#### **Recovery of Damages in Claims for Medical Negligence by Roach**

Recovery of Damages in Claims for Medical Negligence: Authorizes parents of adult children to recover damages for mental pain and suffering in medical negligence suits. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

#### **Committees of Reference**

House Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee  
House Judiciary Committee

#### **Actions**

02/01/2021	HOUSE Filed
02/18/2021	HOUSE Referred to Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee; Judiciary Committee
02/18/2021	HOUSE Now in Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee
03/02/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee, 03/04/21, 10:00 am, 404 H
03/04/2021	HOUSE Favorable by Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/04/2021	HOUSE Now in Judiciary Committee
03/22/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Judiciary Committee, 03/24/21, 12:00 pm, 404 H
03/24/2021	HOUSE Favorable by Judiciary Committee; 19 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/24/2021	HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

#### **SB 0764**

#### **Veterans Treatment Courts by Burgess**

Veterans Treatment Courts; Authorizing certain courts to create and administer veterans treatment courts for specified purposes; providing standards for admission to a veterans treatment court program; specifying eligibility requirements for participation in the program; revising eligibility for certain pretrial programs to include certain individuals eligible to participate in a veterans treatment court program;



specifying applicability of the act to participants in certain court programs in existence as of a specified date, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

#### **Committees of Reference**

Senate Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security  
Senate Criminal Justice  
Senate Appropriations (Current Reference)

#### **Actions**

01/25/2021	SENATE Filed
01/28/2021	SENATE Referred to Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Criminal Justice; Appropriations
03/07/2021	Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Criminal Justice Impact Conference, 03/08/21, 1:00 pm, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)
03/11/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security, 03/16/21, 3:30 pm, 37 S
03/16/2021	SENATE Favorable with CS by Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; 7 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/18/2021	SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/18/2021	SENATE Now in Criminal Justice
03/18/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Criminal Justice, 03/23/21, 12:30 pm, 110 S
03/23/2021	SENATE Favorable with CS by Criminal Justice; 8 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/24/2021	SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed
03/25/2021	SENATE Now in Appropriations

#### **SB 0786**

#### **Prescription Insulin Drugs by Cruz**

Prescription Insulin Drugs; Defining the term "prescription insulin drug"; requiring individual and group health insurance policies, respectively, to cap an insured's monthly cost-sharing obligation for covered prescription insulin drugs at a specified amount; providing that coverage for prescription insulin drugs may not be subject to a deductible, etc. Effective Date: 1/1/2022

#### **Committees of Reference**

Senate Banking and Insurance  
Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services (Current Reference)  
Senate Appropriations

#### **Actions**

01/25/2021	SENATE Filed
01/28/2021	SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations
03/19/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Banking and Insurance, 03/24/21, 8:30 am, 412 K
03/24/2021	SENATE Favorable by Banking and Insurance; 12 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/24/2021	SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services

#### **SB 0804**

#### **Substance Abuse Services by Harrell**

Substance Abuse Services; Providing criminal penalties for making certain false representations or omissions of material facts when applying for service provider licenses; requiring the Department of Children and Families to suspend a service provider's license under certain circumstances; expanding the applicability of certain exemptions for disqualification to applications for certification of a recovery

residence or a recovery residence administrator, respectively; specifying that certain dwellings converted to recovery residences do not have a change of occupancy under the Florida Building Code due to such conversion, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

#### **Committees of Reference**

Senate Children, Families, and Elder Affairs  
Senate Community Affairs (Current Reference)  
Senate Rules

#### **Actions**

01/26/2021	SENATE Filed
02/04/2021	SENATE Referred to Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Community Affairs; Rules
02/25/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Children, Families, and Elder Affairs, 03/02/21, 4:00 pm, 37 S
03/02/2021	SENATE Favorable with CS by Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; 8 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/03/2021	SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/05/2021	SENATE Now in Community Affairs
03/19/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Community Affairs, 03/24/21, 8:30 am, 37 S
03/24/2021	SENATE Favorable with CS by Community Affairs; 8 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/24/2021	SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed

#### **HB 0805**

#### **Volunteer Ambulance Services by Caruso**

Volunteer Ambulance Services: Authorizes certain medical staff of volunteer ambulance service to use red lights on privately owned vehicle; authorizes vehicles of volunteer ambulance services to display red lights & operate emergency lights & sirens; authorizes privately owned vehicles belonging to medical staff of volunteer ambulance service to display red warning signals; exempts volunteer first responder agencies from certificate of public convenience & necessity requirements; providing that county & municipal governments may not limit, prohibit, or prevent volunteer ambulance services from responding to emergencies or providing emergency medical services or transport; prohibiting county and municipal governments from requiring volunteer ambulance services to obtain a license or certificate or pay a fee. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

#### **Committees of Reference**

House Professions & Public Health Subcommittee  
House Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee (Current Reference)  
House Health & Human Services Committee

#### **Actions**

02/05/2021	HOUSE Filed
02/22/2021	HOUSE Referred to Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee; Tourism, Infrastructure & Energy Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee
02/22/2021	HOUSE Now in Professions & Public Health Subcommittee
03/19/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Professions & Public Health Subcommittee, 03/23/21, 12:45 pm, 306 H
03/23/2021	HOUSE Favorable with CS by Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; 17 Yeas, 1 Nay
03/24/2021	HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/26/2021	HOUSE Reference to Tourism, Infrastructure & Energy Subcommittee removed; Remaining references: Local Administration & Veterans Affairs Subcommittee, Health & Human Services Committee

**HB 0833 Unlawful Use of DNA** by Tomkow

Unlawful Use of DNA: Prohibits DNA analysis & disclosure of DNA analysis results without express consent; removes criminal penalties; prohibits collection or retention of DNA sample of another person without express consent for specified purposes; prohibits specified DNA analysis & disclosure of DNA analysis results without express consent; provides criminal penalties. Effective Date: October 1, 2021

**Committees of Reference**

House Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee

House Judiciary Committee

**Actions**

02/08/2021 HOUSE Filed

02/22/2021 HOUSE Referred to Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee; Judiciary Committee

02/22/2021 HOUSE Now in Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee

03/01/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee, 03/03/21, 1:00 pm, 17 H

03/03/2021 HOUSE Favorable by Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee; 16 Yeas, 0 Nays

03/03/2021 HOUSE Now in Judiciary Committee

03/07/2021 Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Criminal Justice Impact Conference, 03/08/21, 1:00 pm, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)

03/22/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Judiciary Committee, 03/24/21, 12:00 pm, 404 H

03/24/2021 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Judiciary Committee; 16 Yeas, 0 Nays

03/24/2021 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

03/25/2021 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

03/25/2021 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 03/31/21

**HB 0837 Harm to Children** by Byrd

Harm to Children: Expands definition of "harm" to include violations of certain motor vehicle laws that result in death of or injury to child; expands types of reports that DCF must refer to Child Protection Teams. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

**Committees of Reference**

House Children, Families & Seniors Subcommittee

House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee (Current Reference)

House Health & Human Services Committee

**Actions**

02/08/2021 HOUSE Filed

02/22/2021 HOUSE Referred to Children, Families & Seniors Subcommittee; Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee

02/22/2021 HOUSE Now in Children, Families & Seniors Subcommittee

03/19/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Children, Families & Seniors Subcommittee, 03/23/21, 4:00 pm, 17 H

03/23/2021 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Children, Families & Seniors Subcommittee; 16 Yeas, 0 Nays

03/24/2021 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

03/26/2021 HOUSE Now in Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee

**HB 0849 School Absence Due to Sickness or Injury** by Valdes

School Absence Due to Sickness or Injury: Authorizes district school boards to determine licensed professionals that may attest to sickness or injury for certain exemption to attendance policy. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

**Committees of Reference**

House Early Learning & Elementary Education Subcommittee  
House Secondary Education & Career Development Subcommittee (Current Reference)  
House Education & Employment Committee

**Actions**

02/09/2021 HOUSE Filed  
02/22/2021 HOUSE Referred to Early Learning & Elementary Education Subcommittee; Secondary Education & Career Development Subcommittee; Education & Employment Committee  
02/22/2021 HOUSE Now in Early Learning & Elementary Education Subcommittee  
03/19/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Early Learning & Elementary Education Subcommittee, 03/23/21, 12:45 pm, 102 H  
03/23/2021 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Early Learning & Elementary Education Subcommittee; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/23/2021 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed  
03/25/2021 HOUSE Now in Secondary Education & Career Development Subcommittee  
03/26/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Secondary Education & Career Development Subcommittee, 03/30/21, 12:30 pm, 212 K

**HB 0899 Managed Care Plan Performance** by Bartleman

Managed Care Plan Performance: Requires managed care plans to collect & report performance measures by specified categories; requires managed care plans to collect & report annually Core Set of Children's Health Care Quality measures & publish such measures on their websites; requires AHCA to use such measures to monitor plan performance. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

**Committees of Reference**

House Finance & Facilities Subcommittee (Current Reference)  
House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee  
House Health & Human Services Committee

**Actions**

02/10/2021 HOUSE Filed  
02/22/2021 HOUSE Referred to Finance & Facilities Subcommittee; Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee  
02/22/2021 HOUSE Now in Finance & Facilities Subcommittee  
03/22/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Finance & Facilities Subcommittee, 03/24/21, 3:45 pm, 404 H  
03/24/2021 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Finance & Facilities Subcommittee; 16 Yeas, 1 Nay  
03/25/2021 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

**SB 0922 Veterans' Preference in Employment** by Burgess

Veterans' Preference in Employment; Authorizing the state and its political subdivisions to waive certain postsecondary educational requirements for employment for servicemembers and veterans who meet specified criteria; revising the list of positions that are exempt from veterans' preference requirements; requiring, rather than authorizing, each political subdivision to develop and implement a veterans' recruitment plan for specified purposes; modifying point preferences given to veterans and their family members when a numerically based selection process is used for hiring, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

## Committees of Reference

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Senate Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security  
Senate Rules

### Actions

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01/28/2021 SENATE Filed  
02/04/2021 SENATE Referred to Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; Rules  
03/04/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security, 03/09/21, 9:00 am, 37 S  
03/09/2021 SENATE Favorable by Military and Veterans Affairs, Space, and Domestic Security; 5 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/10/2021 SENATE Now in Rules  
03/22/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 03/25/21, 9:00 am, 412 K  
03/25/2021 SENATE Favorable by Rules; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/25/2021 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

## HB 0949

### Communicable and Infectious Diseases by Fetterhoff

Communicable and Infectious Diseases: Provides presumption to specified workers that impairment of health caused by infectious disease happened in line of duty; requires certain actions in order to be entitled to presumption; requires United States Food & Drug Administration to approve certain vaccines or immunizations. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

### Committees of Reference

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House Government Operations Subcommittee  
House Professions & Public Health Subcommittee (Current Reference)  
House Appropriations Committee  
House State Affairs Committee

### Actions

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02/11/2021 HOUSE Filed  
02/26/2021 HOUSE Referred to Government Operations Subcommittee; Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; Appropriations Committee; State Affairs Committee  
02/26/2021 HOUSE Now in Government Operations Subcommittee  
03/22/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Government Operations Subcommittee, 03/24/21, 3:45 pm, 17 H  
03/24/2021 HOUSE Favorable by Government Operations Subcommittee; 14 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/24/2021 HOUSE Now in Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

## HB 0969

### Consumer Data Privacy by McFarland

Consumer Data Privacy: Requires businesses to provide notice to consumers about data collection & selling practices; provides consumers right to request data be disclosed, deleted, or corrected & to opt-in or opt-out of sale or sharing of such data; provides nondiscrimination measures, methods for requesting data & opting-in or opting-out of sale or sharing of such data, private cause of action, & enforcement. Effective Date: January 1, 2022

### Committees of Reference

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House Regulatory Reform Subcommittee  
House Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee  
House Commerce Committee (Current Reference)

### Actions

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02/15/2021	HOUSE Filed
02/26/2021	HOUSE Referred to Regulatory Reform Subcommittee; Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee; Commerce Committee
02/26/2021	HOUSE Now in Regulatory Reform Subcommittee
03/08/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Regulatory Reform Subcommittee, 03/10/21, 1:30 pm, 17 H
03/10/2021	HOUSE Favorable with CS by Regulatory Reform Subcommittee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/11/2021	HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/15/2021	HOUSE Now in Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee
03/19/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee, 03/23/21, 9:15 am, 404 H
03/23/2021	HOUSE Favorable with CS by Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/24/2021	HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed
03/26/2021	HOUSE Now in Commerce Committee

#### **HB 0987 Tobacco and Nicotine Products by Toledo**

Tobacco and Nicotine Products: Revises age restrictions relating to mail order, Internet, & remote sales of tobacco & nicotine products; expands authority of tobacco product enforcement officers to include nicotine products; revises signage requirements; preempts establishment of minimum age for purchasing or possessing tobacco or nicotine products to state; requires retail nicotine products dealers to obtain permit; provides restrictions on sale or delivery of nicotine products; provides civil & criminal penalties. Effective Date: October 1, 2021

##### **Committees of Reference**

House Regulatory Reform Subcommittee (Current Reference)  
House Judiciary Committee  
House Commerce Committee

##### **Actions**

02/15/2021	HOUSE Filed
02/26/2021	HOUSE Referred to Regulatory Reform Subcommittee; Judiciary Committee; Commerce Committee
02/26/2021	HOUSE Now in Regulatory Reform Subcommittee
03/22/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Regulatory Reform Subcommittee, 03/24/21, 3:45 pm, 212 K - PCS
03/24/2021	HOUSE Favorable with CS by Regulatory Reform Subcommittee; 12 Yeas, 4 Nays
03/26/2021	HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

#### **SB 0990 Occupational Therapy by Bradley**

Occupational Therapy; Revising the fieldwork experience requirement for certain persons to take the examination for licensure as an occupational therapist; authorizing licensed occupational therapists to use a specified title and initials; prohibiting certain persons from using a specified title and initials; providing criminal penalties, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

##### **Committees of Reference**

Senate Health Policy  
Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services  
Senate Appropriations (Current Reference)

##### **Actions**



02/01/2021	SENATE Filed
02/10/2021	SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations
03/05/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Health Policy, 03/10/21, 10:30 am, 412 K
03/10/2021	SENATE Favorable with CS by Health Policy; 9 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/10/2021	SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/12/2021	SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services
03/19/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, 03/24/21, 2:30 pm, 412 K
03/24/2021	SENATE Subcommittee Recommendation: Favorable with CS by Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; 11 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/26/2021	SENATE Now in Appropriations

## **SB 1024      Increasing Access to Mental Health Care by Brodeur**

Increasing Access to Mental Health Care; Requiring the Department of Financial Services to submit a specified report to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date; specifying the minimum information the report must contain; requiring the department to make certain information available on its website; requiring insurers and health maintenance organizations, respectively, to disclose specified information on their websites; requiring insurers and health maintenance organizations, respectively, to annually provide certain written notices to insureds or subscribers, etc. Effective Date: 10/1/2021

### **Committees of Reference**

Senate Banking and Insurance  
Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government  
Senate Appropriations (Current Reference)

### **Actions**

02/02/2021	SENATE Filed
02/10/2021	SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Appropriations
03/05/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Banking and Insurance, 03/10/21, 8:00 am, 412 K
03/10/2021	SENATE Favorable with CS by Banking and Insurance; 11 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/11/2021	SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/12/2021	SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government
03/19/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government, 03/24/21, 4:30 pm, 110 S
03/24/2021	SENATE Subcommittee Recommendation: Favorable with CS by Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; 11 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/26/2021	SENATE Now in Appropriations

## **HB 1055      Pub. Rec./Trade Secrets by Gregory**

Pub. Rec./Trade Secrets: Provides exemption from public records requirements for trade secret held by agency; provides notice requirements; provides agency employee is not liable for release of certain records; provides for future legislative review & repeal of exemption; provides statement of public necessity. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

### **Committees of Reference**

House Government Operations Subcommittee  
House Commerce Committee  
House State Affairs Committee

**Actions**

02/17/2021	HOUSE Filed
02/26/2021	HOUSE Referred to Government Operations Subcommittee; Commerce Committee; State Affairs Committee
02/26/2021	HOUSE Now in Government Operations Subcommittee
03/08/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Government Operations Subcommittee, 03/10/21, 1:30 pm, 404 H
03/10/2021	HOUSE Favorable with CS by Government Operations Subcommittee; 14 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/10/2021	HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/12/2021	HOUSE Now in Commerce Committee
03/12/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Commerce Committee, 03/16/21, 3:45 pm, 212 K
03/16/2021	HOUSE Favorable by Commerce Committee; 24 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/16/2021	HOUSE Now in State Affairs Committee
03/22/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - State Affairs Committee, 03/24/21, 12:00 pm, 212 K
03/24/2021	HOUSE Favorable by State Affairs Committee; 21 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/24/2021	HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading
03/25/2021	HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 03/31/21

**HB 1063****Administration of Vaccines** by Fernandez-Barquin

Administration of Vaccines: Revises recommended immunizations or vaccines pharmacist, or registered intern under certain conditions, may administer; revises specified supervision ratio of a certified pharmacist to a registered intern who administers an immunization or vaccine; authorizes certified pharmacist to administer influenza vaccine to specified individuals. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

**Committees of Reference**

House Professions & Public Health Subcommittee  
House Health & Human Services Committee

**Actions**

02/17/2021	HOUSE Filed
02/26/2021	HOUSE Referred to Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee
02/26/2021	HOUSE Now in Professions & Public Health Subcommittee
03/12/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Professions & Public Health Subcommittee, 03/16/21, 9:30 am, 212 K - PCS
03/16/2021	HOUSE Favorable with CS by Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; 17 Yeas, 1 Nay
03/17/2021	HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/21/2021	HOUSE Reference to Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee removed; Remaining reference: Health & Human Services Committee
03/21/2021	HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee
03/22/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Health & Human Services Committee, 03/24/21, 9:30 am, 17 H
03/24/2021	HOUSE Favorable with CS by Health & Human Services Committee; 16 Yeas, 1 Nay
03/24/2021	HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed
03/26/2021	HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

**SB 1080****Tobacco and Nicotine Products** by Hutson

Tobacco and Nicotine Products; Revising age limitations relating to mail order, Internet, and remote sales of tobacco products; providing that it is unlawful for persons under 21 years of age to smoke tobacco or vape in, on, or within 1,000 feet of the real property comprising a public or private elementary, middle, or secondary school during specified hours; preempting the establishment of the minimum age for purchasing and possessing, and the regulation for the marketing, sale, or delivery of, tobacco products to the state; requiring retail nicotine product dealers to acquire a permit, etc. Effective Date: 10/1/2021

**Committees of Reference**

Senate Regulated Industries  
Senate Health Policy (Current Reference)  
Senate Appropriations

**Actions**

02/04/2021 SENATE Filed  
02/10/2021 SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Health Policy; Appropriations  
03/04/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Regulated Industries, 03/09/21, 9:00 am, 412 K  
03/09/2021 SENATE Favorable with CS by Regulated Industries; 9 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/10/2021 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed  
03/11/2021 SENATE Now in Health Policy  
03/19/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Health Policy, 03/24/21, 11:30 am, 412 K  
03/24/2021 SENATE Favorable with CS by Health Policy; 8 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/25/2021 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed

**HB 1087****Procurement Activities of For-profit Eye Banks** by McClure

Procurement Activities of For-profit Eye Banks: Prohibits for-profit eye banks from procuring certain human organs & tissue for specified purposes; provides certain exceptions. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

**Committees of Reference**

House Finance & Facilities Subcommittee  
House Health & Human Services Committee (Current Reference)

**Actions**

02/17/2021 HOUSE Filed  
02/26/2021 HOUSE Referred to Finance & Facilities Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee  
02/26/2021 HOUSE Now in Finance & Facilities Subcommittee  
03/22/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Finance & Facilities Subcommittee, 03/24/21, 3:45 pm, 404 H  
03/24/2021 HOUSE Favorable by Finance & Facilities Subcommittee; 13 Yeas, 4 Nays  
03/24/2021 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee

**SB 1094****Required Health Education Instruction** by Bean

Required Health Education Instruction; Providing additional requirements for health education; revising the grade levels when students receive certain health education instruction; requiring such education to include an awareness of the benefits of sexual abstinence as the expected standard and the consequences of teenage pregnancy, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

**Committees of Reference**

Senate Education

**Actions**


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02/05/2021	SENATE Filed
02/10/2021	SENATE Referred to Education; Appropriations Subcommittee on Education; Appropriations
03/18/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Education, 03/23/21, 12:30 pm, 412 K
03/23/2021	SENATE Favorable with CS by Education; 10 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/25/2021	SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/25/2021	SENATE Reference to Appropriations Subcommittee on Education removed; Remaining reference: Appropriations
03/25/2021	SENATE Now in Appropriations

**HB 1097 Health Care Licensure Requirements by Learned**

Health Care Licensure Requirements: Requires certain physicians to submit specified information to DOH to be exempt from specified licensure requirements; requires department to notify such health care practitioners of their exemption within specified timeframe. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

**Committees of Reference**

House Professions & Public Health Subcommittee  
House Health & Human Services Committee

**Actions**


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02/17/2021	HOUSE Filed
02/26/2021	HOUSE Referred to Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee
02/26/2021	HOUSE Now in Professions & Public Health Subcommittee
03/12/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Professions & Public Health Subcommittee, 03/16/21, 9:30 am, 212 K
03/16/2021	HOUSE Favorable by Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/16/2021	HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee
03/22/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Health & Human Services Committee, 03/24/21, 9:30 am, 17 H
03/24/2021	HOUSE Favorable by Health & Human Services Committee; 19 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/24/2021	HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

**SB 1132 Personal Care Attendants by Bean**

Personal Care Attendants; Authorizing nursing home facilities to employ personal care attendants if they are participating in a certain training program developed by the Agency for Health Care Administration, in consultation with the Board of Nursing; providing limitations on such personal care attendants' practice; requiring the agency to notify the Division of Law Revision of the date certain rules take effect; authorizing certain persons to be employed by a nursing home facility as personal care attendants for a specified period if a certain training requirement is met, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

**Committees of Reference**

Senate Health Policy  
Senate Children, Families, and Elder Affairs  
Senate Appropriations (Current Reference)

**Actions**

02/08/2021	SENATE Filed
02/18/2021	SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations
03/12/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Health Policy, 03/17/21, 9:00 am, 412 K
03/17/2021	SENATE Favorable with CS by Health Policy; 8 Yeas, 1 Nay
03/17/2021	SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/18/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Children, Families, and Elder Affairs, 03/23/21, 12:30 pm, 37 S
03/19/2021	SENATE Now in Children, Families, and Elder Affairs
03/23/2021	SENATE Favorable by Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; 8 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/24/2021	SENATE Now in Appropriations

## SB 1140

### Unlawful Use of DNA by Rodrigues (R)

Unlawful Use of DNA; Prohibiting DNA analysis and disclosure of DNA analysis results without authorization; prohibiting the collection or retention of a DNA sample of another person without authorization for specified purposes; prohibiting specified DNA analysis and disclosure of DNA analysis results without authorization, etc. Effective Date: 10/1/2021

#### Committees of Reference

Senate Health Policy  
Senate Commerce and Tourism  
Senate Rules (Current Reference)

#### Actions

02/08/2021	SENATE Filed
02/18/2021	SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Commerce and Tourism; Rules
03/05/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Health Policy, 03/10/21, 10:30 am, 412 K
03/07/2021	Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Criminal Justice Impact Conference, 03/08/21, 1:00 pm, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken)
03/10/2021	SENATE Favorable by Health Policy; 9 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/10/2021	SENATE Now in Commerce and Tourism
03/17/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Commerce and Tourism, 03/22/21, 3:30 pm, 110 S
03/22/2021	SENATE Favorable by Commerce and Tourism; 9 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/23/2021	SENATE Now in Rules

## HB 1165

### Payments for Birth-related Neurological Injuries by Koster

Payments for Birth-related Neurological Injuries: Increases amount that may be awarded to parents or legal guardians of infant found to have sustained birth-related neurological injury; requires amount to be revised by specified percentage annually; increases death benefit for infant found to have sustained birth-related neurological injury. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

#### Committees of Reference

House Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee  
House State Administration & Technology Appropriations Subcommittee (Current Reference)  
House Judiciary Committee

#### Actions

02/19/2021	HOUSE Filed
02/28/2021	HOUSE Referred to Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee; State Administration & Technology Appropriations Subcommittee; Judiciary Committee

02/28/2021	HOUSE Now in Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee
03/19/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee, 03/23/21, 9:15 am, 404 H
03/23/2021	HOUSE Favorable with CS by Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee; 15 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/23/2021	HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/25/2021	HOUSE Now in State Administration & Technology Appropriations Subcommittee

## SB 1292

### Medicaid by Bean

Medicaid; Deleting a requirement for the Agency for Health Care Administration to submit an annual report to the Legislature on the operation of the pharmaceutical expense assistance program; revising the method for determining prescribed drug provider reimbursements; requiring the agency to establish certain procedures related to prior authorization requests rather than prior consultation requests; revising the definitions of the terms "medical necessity" and "medically necessary" to provide an exception for behavior analysis services determinations, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

#### Committees of Reference

Senate Health Policy (Current Reference)  
Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services  
Senate Appropriations

#### Actions

02/15/2021	SENATE Filed
02/24/2021	SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations
03/19/2021	SENATE On Committee agenda - Health Policy, 03/24/21, 11:30 am, 412 K
03/24/2021	SENATE Favorable with CS by Health Policy; 8 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/25/2021	SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

## HB 1373

### Rare Disease Advisory Council by DuBose

Rare Disease Advisory Council: Creates Rare Disease Advisory Council; specifies purpose of council; provides for staff & administrative support; prescribes composition of council; provides for initial appointments to council; provides organizational & other meeting requirements for council; prescribes duties & responsibilities of council. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

#### Committees of Reference

House Professions & Public Health Subcommittee  
House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee (Current Reference)  
House Health & Human Services Committee

#### Actions

02/26/2021	HOUSE Filed
03/05/2021	HOUSE Referred to Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee
03/05/2021	HOUSE Now in Professions & Public Health Subcommittee
03/19/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Professions & Public Health Subcommittee, 03/23/21, 12:45 pm, 306 H
03/23/2021	HOUSE Favorable with CS by Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/24/2021	HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/26/2021	HOUSE Now in Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee



**HB 1381 Maternal Health Outcomes** by Brown

Maternal Health Outcomes: Revises DOH's duties under Closing the Gap grant program; revises requirements for Closing the Gap grant proposals; requires DOH to establish telehealth minority maternity care pilot programs in specified counties by specified date; provides for funding of pilot programs. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

**Committees of Reference**

House Professions & Public Health Subcommittee  
House Health & Human Services Committee (Current Reference)

**Actions**

02/26/2021 HOUSE Filed

03/05/2021 HOUSE Referred to Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee

03/05/2021 HOUSE Now in Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

03/19/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Professions & Public Health Subcommittee, 03/23/21, 12:45 pm, 306 H

03/23/2021 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays

03/24/2021 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

03/26/2021 HOUSE Reference to Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee removed; Remaining reference: Health & Human Services Committee

03/26/2021 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee

**HB 1447 Commission on Mental Health and Substance Abuse** by Hunschofsky

Commission on Mental Health and Substance Abuse: Creates Commission on Mental Health & Substance Abuse; requires DCF to provide administrative & staff support services; provides purposes; provides for membership, term limits, meetings, & duties of commission; requires commission to submit reports of its findings & recommendations to Legislature & Governor; provides for future repeal unless saved by Legislature through reenactment. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

**Committees of Reference**

House Children, Families & Seniors Subcommittee  
House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee (Current Reference)  
House Health & Human Services Committee

**Actions**

02/26/2021 HOUSE Filed

03/05/2021 HOUSE Referred to Children, Families & Seniors Subcommittee; ; Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee

03/05/2021 HOUSE Now in Children, Families & Seniors Subcommittee

03/19/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Children, Families & Seniors Subcommittee, 03/23/21, 4:00 pm, 17 H

03/23/2021 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Children, Families & Seniors Subcommittee; 15 Yeas, 0 Nays

03/24/2021 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

03/26/2021 HOUSE Now in Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee

**SB 1476 Controlled Substances** by Brodeur

Controlled Substances; Removing from Schedule V certain drug products in finished dosage formulation which have been approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration, etc. Effective Date:

Upon becoming a law

### **Committees of Reference**

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Senate Criminal Justice

Senate Health Policy (Current Reference)

Senate Rules

### **Actions**

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02/19/2021 SENATE Filed

03/02/2021 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Health Policy; Rules

03/18/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Criminal Justice, 03/23/21, 12:30 pm, 110 S

03/23/2021 SENATE Favorable by Criminal Justice; 8 Yeas, 0 Nays

03/24/2021 SENATE Now in Health Policy

03/26/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Health Policy, 03/31/21, 8:00 am, 412 K

## **HB 1483 Solicitation of Non-medical Services by Yarborough**

Solicitation of Non-medical Services: Provides person who submits or sponsors non-medical solicitation that contains certain terminology or fails to include specified disclosures commits deceptive & unfair trade practice, subject to penalties & remedies of Florida Deceptive & Unfair Trade Practices Act; prohibits unauthorized use, sale, or transfer of protected health information for purposes of soliciting professional services; provides such actions are deceptive & unfair trade practices, subject to penalties & remedies of Florida Deceptive & Unfair Trade Practices Act; provides criminal penalties & enhanced penalties for specified violations. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

### **Committees of Reference**

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House Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee

House Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

House Judiciary Committee (Current Reference)

### **Actions**

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02/26/2021 HOUSE Filed

03/05/2021 HOUSE Referred to Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee; Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; Judiciary Committee

03/05/2021 HOUSE Now in Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee

03/12/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee, 03/16/21, 1:00 pm, 17 H

03/16/2021 HOUSE Favorable by Criminal Justice & Public Safety Subcommittee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays

03/16/2021 HOUSE Now in Professions & Public Health Subcommittee

03/19/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Professions & Public Health Subcommittee, 03/23/21, 12:45 pm, 306 H

03/23/2021 HOUSE Favorable by Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; 16 Yeas, 2 Nays

03/24/2021 HOUSE Now in Judiciary Committee

## **HB 1551 Medication Technicians by Buchanan**

Medication Technicians: Provides minimum requirements & specifications for training of medication technicians. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

### **Committees of Reference**

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House Finance & Facilities Subcommittee (Current Reference)

House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee

House Health & Human Services Committee

**Actions**

03/01/2021	HOUSE Filed
03/05/2021	HOUSE Referred to Finance & Facilities Subcommittee; Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee
03/05/2021	HOUSE Now in Finance & Facilities Subcommittee
03/22/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Finance & Facilities Subcommittee, 03/24/21, 3:45 pm, 404 H
03/24/2021	HOUSE Favorable with CS by Finance & Facilities Subcommittee; 16 Yeas, 1 Nay
03/25/2021	HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

**HB 1565****Department of Health by Drake**

Department of Health: Revises purpose of department's targeted outreach program for certain pregnant women; requires department to educate pregnant women who have HIV on certain information; revises provisions related to administrative fines for violations relating to onsite sewage treatment & disposal systems & septic tank contracting; authorizes department to select samples of marijuana from medical marijuana treatment center facilities for certain testing; revises provisions relating to licensure of midwives, orthotist & prosthetist registration, examination, & licensing, clinical laboratory directors, psychologist licensing, clinical social workers, marriage & family therapists, & mental health counselors. Effective Date: July 1, 2021

**Committees of Reference**

House Professions & Public Health Subcommittee  
House Health & Human Services Committee

**Actions**

03/01/2021	HOUSE Filed
03/05/2021	HOUSE Referred to Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; Environment, Agriculture & Flooding Subcommittee; Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee
03/05/2021	HOUSE Now in Professions & Public Health Subcommittee
03/12/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Professions & Public Health Subcommittee, 03/16/21, 9:30 am, 212 K - PCS
03/16/2021	HOUSE Favorable with CS by Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; 18 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/16/2021	HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed
03/18/2021	HOUSE References to Environment, Agriculture & Flooding Subcommittee, Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee removed; Remaining reference: Health & Human Services Committee
03/18/2021	HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee
03/22/2021	HOUSE On Committee agenda - Health & Human Services Committee, 03/24/21, 9:30 am, 17 H
03/24/2021	HOUSE Favorable with CS by Health & Human Services Committee; 21 Yeas, 0 Nays
03/24/2021	HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C2) Filed
03/26/2021	HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

**HB 1579****Health Care Practitioner Discipline by Aloupis, Jr.**

Health Care Practitioner Discipline: Subjects health care practitioners to disciplinary action for specified offenses; revises provisions relating to immediate suspension of licensure to apply to all health care practitioners; requires DOH to issue emergency orders to suspend health care practitioner's license if he or she pleads guilty to, is convicted or found guilty of, or enters plea of nolo contendere to, regardless of adjudication, felony relating to homicide or is arrested for committing or attempting,

soliciting, or conspiring to commit acts that would constitute violations of specified criminal offenses.  
Effective Date: July 1, 2021

#### **Committees of Reference**

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House Professions & Public Health Subcommittee  
House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee (Current Reference)  
House Health & Human Services Committee

#### **Actions**

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03/01/2021 HOUSE Filed  
03/05/2021 HOUSE Referred to Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee; Health & Human Services Committee  
03/05/2021 HOUSE Now in Professions & Public Health Subcommittee  
03/19/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Professions & Public Health Subcommittee, 03/23/21, 12:45 pm, 306 H - PCS  
03/23/2021 HOUSE Favorable with CS by Professions & Public Health Subcommittee; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/24/2021 HOUSE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed  
03/26/2021 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee

#### **SB 1734**

#### **Consumer Data Privacy by Bradley**

Consumer Data Privacy; Citing this act as the "Florida Privacy Protection Act"; requiring certain businesses that collect consumer personal information to provide certain information to the consumer; providing that consumers have the right to direct certain businesses not to sell their personal information; prohibiting businesses from selling the personal information of consumers younger than a specified age without express authorization from the consumer or the consumer's parent or guardian under certain circumstances; authorizing consumers to initiate civil actions for violations; providing civil remedies, etc. Effective Date: 1/1/2022

#### **Committees of Reference**

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Senate Commerce and Tourism  
Senate Rules (Current Reference)

#### **Actions**

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02/25/2021 SENATE Filed  
03/04/2021 SENATE Referred to Commerce and Tourism; Appropriations; Rules  
03/17/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Commerce and Tourism, 03/22/21, 3:30 pm, 110 S  
03/22/2021 SENATE Favorable with CS by Commerce and Tourism; 10 Yeas, 1 Nay  
03/23/2021 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed  
03/24/2021 SENATE Reference to Appropriations removed; Remaining reference: Rules  
03/24/2021 SENATE Now in Rules

#### **SB 1770**

#### **Genetic Counseling by Jones**

Genetic Counseling; Creating the "Genetic Counseling Workforce Act"; providing licensure, licensure renewal, and continuing education requirements; requiring the Department of Health to adopt by rule continuing education requirements; revising the definition of the term "health care practitioner" to include licensed genetic counselors, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

#### **Committees of Reference**

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Senate Health Policy (Current Reference)  
Senate Appropriations  
Senate Rules

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**Actions**

02/26/2021 SENATE Filed  
03/04/2021 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations; Rules  
03/19/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Health Policy, 03/24/21, 11:30 am, 412 K  
03/24/2021 SENATE Favorable with CS by Health Policy; 9 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/25/2021 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

**SB 1786****Payments for Birth-related Neurological Injuries by Burgess**

Payments for Birth-related Neurological Injuries; Increasing the amount that may be awarded to the parents or legal guardians of an infant found to have sustained a birth-related neurological injury; requiring that such amount be revised annually; increasing the amount of the death benefit that may be awarded; providing for retroactive application, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

**Committees of Reference**

Senate Banking and Insurance  
Senate Health Policy (Current Reference)  
Senate Appropriations

**Actions**

02/26/2021 SENATE Filed  
03/04/2021 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Health Policy; Appropriations  
03/11/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Banking and Insurance, 03/16/21, 9:30 am, 412 K  
03/16/2021 SENATE Favorable by Banking and Insurance; 12 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/17/2021 SENATE Now in Health Policy  
03/19/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Health Policy, 03/24/21, 11:30 am, 412 K  
03/24/2021 SENATE Favorable with CS by Health Policy; 8 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/25/2021 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

**SB 1844****Mental Health and Substance Abuse Disorder Services Commission by Rouson**

Commission on Mental Health and Substance Abuse; Creating the Commission on Mental Health and Substance Abuse within the Department of Children and Families; providing the purpose of the commission; providing for membership, term limits, meetings, and duties of the commission; requiring certain agencies to provide assistance to the commission in a timely manner; requiring the commission to submit a report to the Governor and Legislature by a specified date, and annually thereafter, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

**Committees of Reference**

Senate Children, Families, and Elder Affairs  
Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services (Current Reference)  
Senate Appropriations

**Actions**

02/26/2021 SENATE Filed  
03/04/2021 SENATE Referred to Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations  
03/18/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Children, Families, and Elder Affairs, 03/23/21, 12:30 pm, 37 S  
03/23/2021 SENATE Favorable with CS by Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; 8 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/25/2021 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

**SB 1934 Health Care Practitioner Discipline by Book**

Health Care Practitioner Discipline; Subjecting health care practitioners to disciplinary action for specified offenses; requiring the Department of Health to issue emergency orders to suspend certain physicians' licenses if they are arrested for committing or attempting, soliciting, or conspiring to commit acts that would constitute violations of specified criminal offenses involving a child; requiring the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability (OPPAGA) to analyze certain laws and rules and their application; requiring all state agencies, upon OPPAGA's request, to assist OPPAGA and provide requested information and data, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2021

**Committees of Reference**

Senate Health Policy  
Senate Criminal Justice  
Senate Rules (Current Reference)

**Actions**

03/01/2021 SENATE Filed  
03/04/2021 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Criminal Justice; Rules  
03/12/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Health Policy, 03/17/21, 9:00 am, 412 K  
03/17/2021 SENATE Favorable by Health Policy; 9 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/17/2021 SENATE Now in Criminal Justice  
03/18/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Criminal Justice, 03/23/21, 12:30 pm, 110 S  
03/23/2021 SENATE Favorable by Criminal Justice; 8 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/24/2021 SENATE Now in Rules

**SB 1992 Solicitation of Nonmedical Services by Harrell**

Solicitation of Nonmedical Services; Providing that a person who submits or sponsors a nonmedical solicitation that contains certain terminology or fails to include specified disclosures commits a deceptive and unfair trade practice, subject to the penalties and remedies of the Florida Deceptive and Unfair Trade Practices Act; prohibiting the unauthorized use, sale, or transfer of protected health information for the purpose of soliciting professional services; providing criminal penalties for willful and knowing violations and enhanced criminal penalties for violations committed for financial gain, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act, this act shall take effect July 1, 2021

**Committees of Reference**

Senate Commerce and Tourism  
Senate Judiciary (Current Reference)  
Senate Rules

**Actions**

03/01/2021 SENATE Filed  
03/04/2021 SENATE Referred to Commerce and Tourism; Judiciary; Rules  
03/17/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Commerce and Tourism, 03/22/21, 3:30 pm, 110 S  
03/22/2021 SENATE Favorable by Commerce and Tourism; 11 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/23/2021 SENATE Now in Judiciary  
03/24/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Judiciary, 03/29/21, 3:30 pm, 412 K

**SB 7000 OGSR/Nurse Licensure Compact by Health Policy**

OGSR/Nurse Licensure Compact; Amending a provision which provides an exemption from public record requirements for certain personal identifying information of nurses in the Nurse Licensure Compact and from public record and meeting requirements for certain meetings or portions of meetings



and certain records held by the Interstate Commission of Nurse Licensure Compact Administrators; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemptions, etc. Effective Date: 10/1/2021

### **Committees of Reference**

Senate Health Policy  
Senate Governmental Oversight and Accountability  
Senate Rules

### **Actions**

01/15/2021 SENATE Filed  
01/15/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Health Policy, 01/27/21, 09:00 am, 412 K  
01/27/2021 SENATE Submitted as Committee Bill and Reported Favorably by Health Policy; 7 Yeas, 0 Nays  
01/27/2021 SENATE Committee Bill Text Filed  
02/04/2021 SENATE Referred to Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules  
03/12/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Governmental Oversight and Accountability, 03/17/21, 9:00 am, 37 S  
03/17/2021 SENATE Favorable by Governmental Oversight and Accountability; 5 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/18/2021 SENATE Now in Rules  
03/22/2021 SENATE On Committee agenda - Rules, 03/25/21, 9:00 am, 412 K  
03/25/2021 SENATE Favorable by Rules; 17 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/25/2021 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading

## **PPE1**

### **Emergency Management** by Pandemics & Public Emergencies Committee

PCB PPE 21-01 – Emergency Management

### **Committees of Reference**

House Pandemics & Public Emergencies Committee (Current Reference)

### **Actions**

03/22/2021 HOUSE Filed  
03/22/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Pandemics & Public Emergencies Committee, 03/24/21, 9:15 am, 404 H  
03/24/2021 HOUSE Submitted as Committee Bill and Reported Favorably by Pandemics & Public Emergencies Committee; 14 Yeas, 4 Nays  
03/24/2021 HOUSE Committee Bill Filed as H 7047

## **HCAS1**

### **Health Care** by Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee

PCB HCAS 21-01 – Health Care

### **Committees of Reference**

No committees referenced

### **Actions**

03/23/2021 HOUSE Filed  
03/23/2021 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee, 03/25/21, 9:15 am, 212 K  
03/25/2021 HOUSE Submitted as Committee Bill and Reported Favorably by Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee; 15 Yeas, 0 Nays  
03/25/2021 HOUSE Committee Bill Filed as H 5201

