

Florida College of Emergency Physicians

Ordered by Bill Number

SB 0044 Treatment of Sexual Assault Victims by Book

Treatment of Sexual Assault Victims; Requiring certain licensed facilities to provide to victims of sexual assault information regarding emergency contraception and its availability, if requested, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

HB 0057 Dispensing Medicinal Drugs by Willhite

Dispensing Medicinal Drugs: Authorizes certain individuals to prescribe and dispense a limited supply of medicinal drugs to a patient of an emergency department of a hospital or a patient discharged from a hospital. Effective Date: July 1, 2020

Current Committee of Reference: House Health Quality Subcommittee

HB 0059 Automated Pharmacy Systems by Willhite

Automated Pharmacy Systems: Authorizes community pharmacy to use automated pharmacy system; provides that certain drugs stored in such system for outpatient dispensing are part of inventory of pharmacy providing services through such system; requires Board of Pharmacy to adopt rules. Effective Date: July 1, 2020

Current Committee of Reference: House Health Quality Subcommittee

SB 0064 Exemptions from School-entry Health Requirements by Book

Exemptions from School-entry Health Requirements; Deleting exemptions from school-entry health examinations and immunization requirements for religious reasons; requiring the Board of Medicine and the Board of Osteopathic Medicine to jointly create a medical exemption review panel, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Health Policy

SB 0066 Student Loans and Scholarship Obligations of Health Care Practitioners by Cruz

Student Loans and Scholarship Obligations of Health Care Practitioners; Establishing that a health care practitioner's failure to repay a student loan or to comply with service scholarship obligations does not constitute grounds for disciplinary action; removing a civil fine; removing the requirement that the Department of Health investigate and prosecute health care practitioners for failing to repay a student loan or to comply with scholarship service obligations, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Health Policy

HB 0077 Student Loans and Scholarship Obligations of Health Care Practitioners by Goff-Marcil

Provides that failure to repay specified student loan by health care practitioners is not considered failure to perform statutory or legal obligation; repeals language relating to health care practitioners in default on student loan or scholarship obligations; deletes provision relating to the immediate suspension of health care practitioner license upon default on specified student loan. Effective Date: July 1, 2020

Current Committee of Reference: House Health Quality Subcommittee

HB 0099 Youth Athletic Activities by Andrade

Youth Athletic Activities: Requires entities that administer or conduct high-risk youth athletic activities or training related to such activities on certain property to require athletics personnel to complete course within specified timeframe; provides for course requirements; provides exemption. Effective Date: July 1, 2020

Current Committee of Reference: House Health Quality Subcommittee

SB 0100 Dispensing Medicinal Drugs by Harrell

Dispensing Medicinal Drugs; Authorizing individuals licensed to prescribe medicinal drugs to dispense a 48-hour supply, rather than a 24-hour supply, of such drugs to any patient, including a discharged patient, under certain circumstances; authorizing such individuals to dispense a 72-hour supply if a state of emergency has been declared in the area, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services

HB 0105 Human Trafficking Education in Schools by Williams

Human Trafficking Education in Schools: Revises required health education in public schools to include information regarding dangers & signs of human trafficking; authorizes student to opt out of specified portion of health education; & requires DLA to develop human trafficking awareness campaigns. Effective Date: July 1, 2020

Current Committee of Reference: House PreK-12 Innovation Subcommittee

SB 0120 Naloxone In Schools by Pizzo

Naloxone in Schools; Authorizing a public school to purchase a supply or enter into an arrangement to receive a supply of the opioid antagonist naloxone for a certain purpose; requiring the school district to adopt a protocol for the administration of naloxone; providing that a school district and its employees and agents and the physician who provides the protocol are not liable for any injury arising from the administration of the naloxone pursuant to the protocol, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Education

HB 0145 Pub. Rec./Emergency Room Health Care Practitioners by Grieco

Pub. Rec./Emergency Room Health Care Practitioners: Provides exemption from public records requirements for personal identifying & location information of current or former emergency room health care practitioners & spouses & children of such practitioners; provides statement of public necessity. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: House Health Quality Subcommittee

SB 0152 Dental Therapy by Brandes

Dental Therapy; Authorizing Medicaid to reimburse for dental services provided in a mobile dental unit that is owned by, operated by, or contracted with a health access setting or another similar setting or program; requiring the chair of the Board of Dentistry to appoint a Council on Dental Therapy effective after a specified timeframe; requiring the board to adopt certain rules relating to dental therapists; providing application requirements and examination and licensure qualifications for dental therapists; limiting the practice of dental therapy to specified settings, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Children, Families, and Elder Affairs

SB 0154 Human Trafficking Education in Schools by Thurston, Jr.

Human Trafficking Education in Schools; Revising the required health education in public schools to include information regarding the dangers and signs of human trafficking; requiring the Department of Legal Affairs to develop human trafficking awareness campaigns, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Education

SB 0158 Child Restraint Requirements by Perry

Child Restraint Requirements; Increasing the age of children for whom operators of motor vehicles must provide protection by using a crash-tested, federally approved child restraint device; increasing the age of children for whom a separate carrier, an integrated child seat, or a child booster seat may be used, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Infrastructure and Security

SB 0160 Peer-to-peer Support for First Responders by Perry

Peer-to-peer Support for First Responders; Prohibiting a person who is not a health care practitioner and who provides peer-to-peer support to a first responder from testifying or divulging specified information under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Judiciary

SB 0164 Eligibility for Medical Assistance and Related Services by Thurston, Jr.

Eligibility for Medical Assistance and Related Services; Extending Medicaid eligibility to specified adults, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Health Policy

SB 0204 Delivery of Nursing Services by Braynon II

Delivery of Nursing Services; Creating the "Florida Hospital Patient Protection Act"; requiring that each health care facility implement a staffing plan that provides minimum direct care registered nurse staffing levels; prohibiting a health care facility from assigning unlicensed personnel to perform functions or tasks that should be performed by a licensed or registered nurse; requiring a direct care registered nurse to initiate action or to change a decision or an activity relating to a patient's health care under certain circumstances; prohibiting a health care facility from interfering with the right of direct care registered nurses to organize, bargain collectively, and engage in concerted activity under a federal act, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Health Policy

SB 0208 Wellness Examinations by Thurston, Jr.

Wellness Examinations; Specifying that physical examinations are included in support services for purposes of the student support services team program; exempting a child from the adolescent well-care examination upon a parent's written request stating objections on religious grounds; requiring that district school boards and private school governing authorities require and enforce as a policy that certain children present proof of an adolescent well-care examination each year; requiring district school boards and private school governing authorities to refuse to admit children who fail to present proof of such examination, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations Subcommittee on Education

HB 0215 Firefighters' Bill of Rights by Casello

Firefighters' Bill of Rights: Requires witnesses be interviewed & information be provided to firefighter before interrogation is conducted; authorizes firefighter to provide voluntary statement at any time after being informed of certain right; prohibits firefighter from being threatened during interrogation; requires copy of interrogation be provided to firefighter within specified timeframe, upon request; requires that firefighter be notified & provided certain information before certain disciplinary actions are taken & given opportunity to address certain findings. Effective Date: July 1, 2020

Current Committee of Reference: House Oversight, Transparency & Public Management Subcommittee

SB 0218 Licensure Requirements for Osteopathic Physicians by Harrell

Licensure Requirements for Osteopathic Physicians; Revising licensure requirements for persons seeking licensure or certification as an osteopathic physician, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations

HB 0221 Osteopathic Physicians Certification and Licensure by Roach

Osteopathic Physicians Certification and Licensure: Requires successful completion of internship or residency in specified accredited program to be licensed or certified as osteopathic physician. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: House Health Quality Subcommittee

SB 0224 Medicaid Expansion by Taddeo

Medicaid Expansion; Proposing an amendment to the State Constitution to require amendment of the state Medicaid plan to provide Medicaid coverage to persons under age 65 who have an income equal to or below 138 percent of the federal poverty level, etc.

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Health Policy

SB 0230	Department of Health by Harrell
	Department of Health; Requiring the Department of Health to develop strategies to maximize federal-state partnerships that provide incentives for physicians to practice in medically underserved or rural areas; revising licensure requirements for a person seeking licensure or certification as an osteopathic physician; extending through 2025 the Florida Center for Nursing's responsibility to study and issue an annual report on the implementation of nursing education programs; requiring dentists and certified registered dental hygienists to report in writing certain adverse incidents to the department within a specified timeframe; revising athletic trainer licensure requirements, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020
	Current Committee of Reference: Senate Appropriations
HB 0261	Coverage for Cancer and Associated Conditions Drug Treatment by Brown
	Coverage for Cancer and Associated Conditions Drug Treatment: Prohibits insurers of certain individual & group health insurance policies from requiring, before drug is covered, that insured fail or have failed to successfully respond to different drug; prohibits such insurers from excluding coverage for certain drugs on specified ground; requires coverage for specified services. Effective Date: January 1, 2021
	Current Committee of Reference: House Health Market Reform Subcommittee
HB 0275	First Aid for Severe Bleeding by Grieco
	First Aid for Severe Bleeding: Requires placement of bleeding control kits in state buildings & schools; requires school districts to provide instruction for all students in first aid for severe bleeding; requires DOE to develop list of approved first aid for severe bleeding instructional programs for certain instructional personnel. Effective Date: July 1, 2020
	Current Committee of Reference: House Health Quality Subcommittee
HB 0297	Emergency Allergy Treatment by Gottlieb
	Emergency Allergy Treatment: Provides that training programs for administration of epinephrine auto-injectors may be offered online; requires state universities or FCS institutions to pay costs associated with such training for certain personnel; requires state universities or FCS institutions to pay application fee for certification; requires incident reports; requires, rather than authorizes, authorized entity to acquire & stock supply of epinephrine auto-injectors issued by health care practitioner. Effective Date: July 1, 2020
	Current Committee of Reference: House Health Quality Subcommittee
SB 0298	Prior Authorization for Opioid Alternatives by Farmer, Jr.
	Prior Authorization for Opioid Alternatives; Prohibiting health insurance policies from requiring that treatment with an opioid analgesic drug product be attempted and have failed before authorizing the use of a nonopioid-based analgesic drug product, etc. Effective Date: 1/1/2021
	Current Committee of Reference: Senate Banking and Insurance
HB 0309	Prohibited Acts by Health Care Practitioners by Massullo, Jr.
	Prohibited Acts by Health Care Practitioners: Authorizes disciplinary action to be enforced by DoH for use of specified names or titles without valid license or certification to practice as such; provides penalties. Effective Date: upon becoming a law
	Current Committee of Reference: House Health Quality Subcommittee
HB 0331	Naloxone in Schools by Geller
	Naloxone in Schools: Authorizes public school to purchase supply or enter into arrangement to receive supply of opioid antagonist naloxone for certain purpose; specifies requirements for maintenance of naloxone; requires school district to adopt protocol for administration of naloxone; provides that school district & its employees & agents & physician who provides protocol are not liable for any injury arising from administration of naloxone pursuant to protocol; provides exceptions. Effective Date: July 1, 2020
	Current Committee of Reference: House Health Quality Subcommittee
HB 0373	Health Insurance Coverage by Massullo, Jr.

Health Insurance Coverage: Prohibits certain health insurance policies & health maintenance contracts from requiring that insured & subscriber undergo step-therapy protocol & step-therapy override determination; prohibits such policies & contracts from excluding coverage for certain drugs; requires certain health coverage plans to provide process for requests for step-therapy protocol override determination; requires health coverage plans to grant requests to override step-therapy protocols under certain circumstances; prohibits health insurers & HMOs from retroactively denying certain claims because of insured & subscriber ineligibility; prohibits health insurers & HMOs from imposing additional prior authorization requirements for specified procedures & items. Effective Date: January 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: House Health Market Reform Subcommittee

SB 0378 Motor Vehicle Insurance by Lee

Motor Vehicle Insurance; Repealing provisions which comprise the Florida Motor Vehicle No-Fault Law; revising the motor vehicle insurance coverages that an applicant must show to register certain vehicles with the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; revising garage liability insurance requirements for motor vehicle dealer applicants; revising minimum liability coverage requirements for motor vehicle owners or operators, etc. CLAIM: \$83,651 Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act and except for this section, which shall take effect upon this act becoming a law, this act shall take effect January 1, 2021

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Infrastructure and Security

HB 0389 Testing for and Treatment of Influenza and Streptococcus by Sirois

Testing for and Treatment of Influenza and Streptococcus: Requires specified pharmacists to report certain diseases of public health significance to DOH; authorizes pharmacists to test for & treat influenza & streptococcus; provides requirements for written protocol between pharmacist & supervising physician. Effective Date: upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: House Health Quality Subcommittee

HB 0409 Health Care Licensing Requirements by Pigman

Health Care Licensing Requirements: Exempts certain health care practitioners from specified licensing requirements when providing certain services to veterans in this state. Effective Date: July 1, 2020

Current Committee of Reference: House Health Quality Subcommittee

SB 0432 Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation Training in Public Schools by Rader

Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation Training in Public Schools; Requiring school districts to provide training in cardiopulmonary resuscitation to students at the high school level; providing requirements for such training; requiring students to study and practice the psychomotor skills associated with performing cardiopulmonary resuscitation at least once before they graduate from high school; providing an exception for certain students, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Education

SB 0448 Prescriptive Authority Certification for Psychologists by Brandes

Prescriptive Authority Certification for Psychologists; Requiring the Board of Psychology to certify specified psychologists to exercise prescriptive authority; specifying application requirements for certification; specifying requirements for the prescribing of drugs and controlled substances by a prescribing psychologist, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Health Policy

SB 0500 Prohibited Acts by Health Care Practitioners by Harrell

Prohibited Acts by Health Care Practitioners; Authorizing disciplinary action to be enforced by the Department of Health for the use of specified names or titles without a valid license or certification to practice as such, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Health Policy

HB 0513 Heat Illness Prevention by Smith (C)

Heat Illness Prevention: Requires certain employers to provide drinking water, shade, & annual training to employees & supervisors; requires DACS & DOH to adopt specified rules. Effective Date: October 1, 2020

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

SB 0528 Nonemergency Medical Transportation Services by Brandes

Nonemergency Medical Transportation Services; Authorizing certain transportation brokers and licensed basic life support or licensed advanced life support ambulance services to provide nonemergency Medicaid transportation in permitted ambulances in any county at the request of a certain eligible plan and without obtaining a certain certificate, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: Senate Health Policy

SB 0620 Firefighters' Bill of Rights by Hooper

Firefighters' Bill of Rights; Requiring that witnesses be interviewed and certain information be provided to a firefighter subjected to interrogation before the interrogation is conducted; prohibiting a firefighter from being threatened with certain disciplinary action during the course of an interrogation; requiring that a firefighter be notified and provided certain information before certain disciplinary actions are taken; requiring that certain information be kept confidential and exempt in accordance with existing law, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

SB 0622 Emergency Allergy Treatment by Baxley

Emergency Allergy Treatment; Revising the definition of the term "authorized entity" to include state universities and Florida College System institutions; providing that educational training programs relating to the administration of epinephrine auto-injectors may be offered online; requiring that state universities and Florida College System institutions pay the costs associated with such training for certain personnel; requiring, rather than authorizing, pharmacists to dispense epinephrine auto-injectors in certain circumstances; requiring, rather than authorizing, certain individuals to use epinephrine auto-injectors for specified purposes, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

SB 0672 Coverage for Cancer and Associated Conditions Drug Treatment by Mayfield

Coverage for Cancer and Associated Conditions Drug Treatment; Prohibiting health maintenance organizations from excluding coverage for certain cancer treatment drugs; prohibiting health insurers and health maintenance organizations from requiring, before providing prescription drug coverage for the treatment of stage 4 metastatic cancer and associated conditions, that treatment have failed with a different drug; providing applicability, etc. Effective Date: 1/1/2021

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

SB 0674 Immunization Standards for Child Care Facilities by Book

Immunization Standards for Child Care Facilities; Requiring the Department of Children and Families to include in licensure standards for child care facilities a minimum percentage of children enrolled in a facility who must have received immunizations, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

SB 0692 Reinstatement of a Revoked Health Care Practitioner License by Pizzo

Reinstatement of a Revoked Health Care Practitioner License; Requiring, rather than authorizing, health care boards under the Department of Health to establish rules for applications for reinstatement of a revoked license; requiring the boards to grant applicants opportunities at reasonable intervals to demonstrate certain competencies; requiring the board to grant an applicant such initial opportunity within a specified timeframe, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

SB 0694 Nicotine and Tobacco Products by Mayfield

Nicotine and Tobacco Products; Defining the term "electronic smoking device"; redefining the term

“tobacco products”; revising exemptions to the prohibition of the sale or delivery of tobacco products; deleting a provision that allows the sale or delivery of tobacco products from a vending machine equipped with a certain device; prohibiting a dealer from selling flavored e-liquid; providing that certain statements and claims are presumptive evidence that e-liquid is flavored e-liquid, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

SB 0696 Prescription Drug Coverage by Mayfield

Prescription Drug Coverage; Requiring individual and group health insurers to provide notice of prescription drug formulary changes to current and prospective insureds and the insureds’ treating physicians; specifying requirements for a notice of medical necessity submitted by the treating physician; requiring insurers to apply certain reductions in out-of-pocket expenses for prescription drugs toward an insured’s cost-sharing obligation; requiring health maintenance organizations to provide notice of prescription drug formulary changes to current and prospective subscribers and the subscribers’ treating physicians, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

SB 0704 Mental Health and Substance Use Disorders by Rouson

Mental Health and Substance Use Disorders; Defining the term “first episode psychosis program”; revising requirements for the annual state behavioral health assessment; revising background screening requirements for certain peer specialists; requiring the Department of Children and Families to develop a training program for peer specialists and to give preference to trainers who are certified peer specialists; requiring the department to certify peer specialists directly or by approving a third-party credentialing entity, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

SB 0706 Insurance Coverage Parity for Mental Health and Substance Use Disorders by Rouson

Insurance Coverage Parity for Mental Health and Substance Use Disorders; Requiring Medicaid managed care plans to submit an annual report to the Agency for Health Care Administration relating to parity between mental health and substance use disorder benefits and medical and surgical benefits; requiring certain entities transacting individual or group health insurance or providing prepaid health care to comply with specified federal provisions that prohibit the imposition of less favorable benefit limitations on mental health and substance use disorder benefits than on medical and surgical benefits; revising the standard for defining substance use disorders, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

SB 0708 Automated Pharmacy Systems by Hutson

Automated Pharmacy Systems; Authorizing a community pharmacy to use an automated pharmacy system under certain circumstances; providing that certain medicinal drugs stored in an automated pharmacy system for outpatient dispensing are part of the inventory of the pharmacy providing services through such system, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

SB 0714 Testing for and Treatment of Influenza and Streptococcus by Hutson

Testing for and Treatment of Influenza and Streptococcus; Requiring specified licensed pharmacists to report certain information to the Department of Health; authorizing pharmacists to test for and treat influenza and streptococcus and providing requirements relating thereto; requiring that a pharmacist notify a patient’s primary care provider within a specified time period after providing any such testing or treatment, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

SB 0720 Medical Use of Marijuana in Schools by Montford

Medical Use of Marijuana in Schools; Authorizing a qualified patient to designate more than one caregiver to assist with the qualified patient’s medical use of marijuana under certain circumstances; authorizing a county-designated caregiver to register as a caregiver for more than one qualified patient under certain circumstances; providing a procedure for a parent of a student who is a qualified patient to request that

marijuana be administered to the student during the school day; requiring that a caregiver or a county-designated caregiver administering marijuana to the student do so in the area the school principal designates, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

SB 0736 **Coverage for Air Ambulance Services** by Diaz

Coverage for Air Ambulance Services; Requiring health insurers and health maintenance organizations to provide reasonable reimbursement to air ambulance services for certain covered services; providing that such reimbursement may be reduced only by certain amounts; providing that reasonable reimbursement must serve as full and final payment to the air ambulance service, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee

SB 0758 **Hospital, Hospital System, or Provider Organization Transactions** by Albritton

Hospital, Hospital System, or Provider Organization Transactions; Requiring certain entities to submit written notice of a specified filing to the Office of the Attorney General relating to certain hospital, hospital system, or provider organization mergers, acquisitions, and other transactions within a specified timeframe; requiring that such entities submit written notice of a material change to the office within a specified timeframe; authorizing the office to request additional information or issue a civil investigative demand, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2020

Current Committee of Reference: No Current Committee
