

LAAAP 2021 Legislative Session Report

2021

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Introduction

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The 2021 Louisiana Legislative session concluded on June 10, 2021. Policymakers put a significant focus this session on tax reform and infrastructure investments. These priorities were somewhat overshadowed by controversies related to critical race theory, transgender rights, and voting machine procurement.

The Louisiana Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics had a number of priorities along with a myriad of bills to be tracked during this legislation session. We focused on crucial policy areas including scope of practice, vaccinations, childhood obesity and physician non-compete contracts.

The Louisiana Legislature prioritized roads, bridges and lawmakers' pet projects in its \$43 billion dollar spending plan for the state budget cycle that starts July 1.

The additional cash came from better-than-expected tax revenue. The state anticipates receiving \$677 million more in revenue over the next 13 months than it initially expected. The federal government has also provided \$1.6 billion in additional funds for economic recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic.

Louisiana's Medicaid budget is still short \$23.8 million in state funding when compared to the budget proposal submitted by the governor. That could result in a reduction of \$82.1 million overall, because the state won't be able to put up all the money needed to draw down federal funds.

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Priority Legislation

Priority Legislation

Scope of Practice



There are a number of legislative proposals which were focused priorities of the LAAAP during the recent legislative session. The following highlights those bills and their outcomes.

Legislation	Issue	Data / Outcome
HB 495 - Rep. Ivey	APRN Independent Practice	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Would have removed collaborative practice agreement requirement.• OPPOSED AND DEFATED
HB 442 - Rep. Bagley	Physician Assistant Independent Practice	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Backed by Legislative Leadership• OPPOSED AND DEFEATED

Priority Legislation

Vaccination Policy



A number of bills were filed during this legislation session aimed at barring the government or businesses from having any input regarding the vaccination status of individuals.

Key Indicator	Activity / Project	Data / Outcome
HB 579 - Rep. Amedee	Prohibit vaccine requirements for travel, work, etc	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• OPPOSED and DEFEATED
SB 198 - Sen. Cathey	Prohibits the barring of unvaccinated individuals from public buildings.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• OPPOSED and DEFEATED
HB 103 - Rep. McCormick	Prohibits requiring vaccine for professional license	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• OPPOSED - AMDENDED and URGING VETO
HB 498 - Rep. Edmonston	Prohibits government vaccine requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• OPPOSED - AMDENDED and URGING VETO

Priority Legislation

Physician Non-Compete



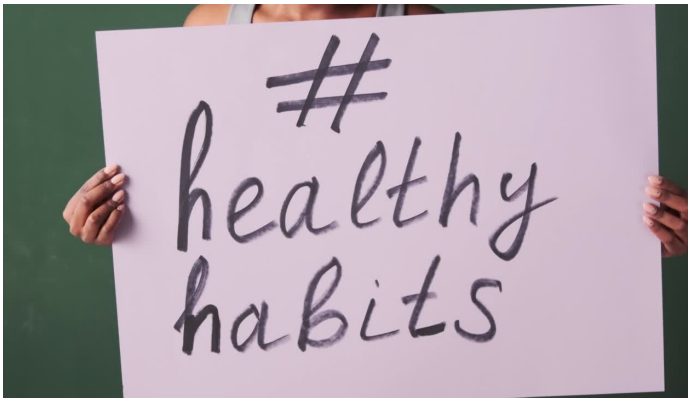
Louisiana State Medical Society along with the various physician specialist groups worked on a

Key Indicator	Activity / Project	Data / Outcome
HB 483 - Rep. Wright	Prohibited restricting physicians from the practice of medicine.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• SUPPORTED but DEFEATED
HB 561 by Bagley	Prohibits restricting state employed physicians from the practice of medicine	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• SUPPORTED but DEFEATED

Priority Legislation

Issue Awareness

Resolutions/Bills



LAAAP sponsored and supported a number of resolutions highlighting important policy goals of the chapter.

Key Indicator	Activity / Project	Data / Outcome
HCR 120 by Bagley	Created Childhood Obesity Awareness Day	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• SUPPORTED and PASSED
HR 215 by Bagley	Urges Congress to Pass the Treat and Cure Obesity Act	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• SUPPORTED and PASSED
HB 460 by Hollis	Creates a Rare Disease Advisory Commission	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• SUPPORTED and PASSED

Priority Legislation

Other Areas of Focus



Below includes additional instruments of significance during the 2021 Legislative Session.

Key Indicator	Activity / Project	Data / Outcome
HB 316 by Rep. Davis	Adds mucopolysaccharidosis type I, glycogen storage disorder type II, and Krabbe disease to the state's newborn screening panel	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• SUPPORTED and PASSED
SB 104 by Sen Fesi	Prohibited gender affirming care.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• OPPOSED and DEFEATED

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**Final
Legislative
Bill Track**



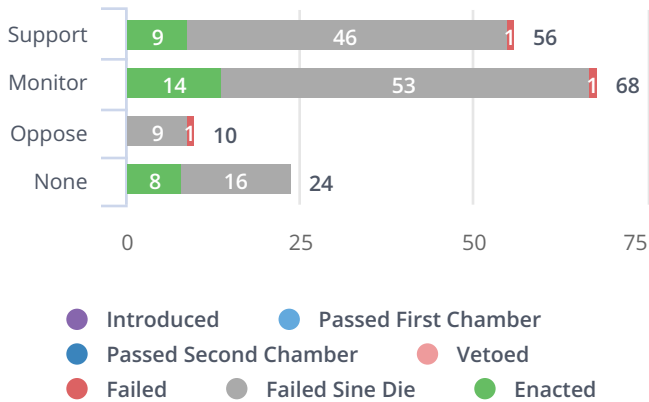
LAAAP Legislative Update

Last Updated: June 21, 2021

Executive Summary

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Bills by Last Status and Position



Bills by Issue

Recently Updated Bills (0)

No bills to show.

LAAAP (158)

Bill Number

HB 105

Last Action

**Received In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time By Title And
Referred To The Committee On Finance 2020
05 26**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

None

Title

APPROPRIATIONS: Provides for the ordinary operating expenses of state government for Fiscal Year 2020-2021

Introduction Date: 2020-02-26

Primary Sponsors

Zee Zeringue

Bill Number

HB 158

Last Action

**Read By Title And Returned To The Calendar
Subject To Call 2020 05 29**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

MEDICAL MARIJUANA: Authorizes the recommendation of medical marijuana in treating certain neurodegenerative diseases and conditions

Introduction Date: 2020-02-24

Primary Sponsors

Joe Marino

Bill Number

HB 160

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

INSURANCE CLAIMS: Provides relative to health insurance claims

Introduction Date: 2020-02-24

Primary Sponsors

Joe Stagni

Bill Number

HB 164

Last Action

Effective Date 08 01 20 2020 06 05

Status

Enacted

Position

Monitor

Title

HEALTH/EMERG MED SERVICE: Provides relative to emergency medical services protocols in certain life-threatening situations

Introduction Date: 2020-02-24

Primary Sponsors

Paula Davis

Bill Number

HB 169

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Education 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

SCHOOLS: Provides relative to first aid training for public school employees

Introduction Date: 2020-02-24

Primary Sponsors

Valarie Hodges

Bill Number

HB 172

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

CHILDREN/NEWBORNS: Authorizes the installation and use of newborn safety devices at infant relinquishment sites designated in the Safe Haven Law

Introduction Date: 2020-02-24

Primary Sponsors

Mike Pete Huval

Bill Number

HB 177

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides relative to the payment of health insurance claims

Introduction Date: 2020-02-24

Primary Sponsors

Tanner Magee

Bill Number

HB 183

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Civil Law And Procedure 2020
03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

CHILDREN/PARENTAL RIGHTS: Prohibits parenting determinations based upon parental blindness

Introduction Date: 2020-02-24

Primary Sponsors

Chris Turner

Bill Number

HB 191

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

STATE AGENCIES: Provides for parish offices of the Dept. of
Children and Family Services and the Dept. of Health

Introduction Date: 2020-02-24

Primary Sponsors

Mike Pete Huval

Bill Number

HB 192

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Education 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

EARLY CHILDHOOD: Provides relative to the coordination of data
for the purpose of evaluating the effectiveness of the early
childhood care and education network and prioritizing the
provision of related services and funds

Introduction Date: 2020-02-24

Primary Sponsors

Rodney Lyons

Bill Number

HB 193

Last Action

**Withdrawn From The Files Of The House 2020
05 04**

Status

Failed

Position

Oppose

Title

TANF/FITAP: Provides for drug testing requirements for recipients
of cash assistance in the Family Independence Temporary
Assistance Program

Introduction Date: 2020-02-24

Primary Sponsors

Sherman Mack

Bill Number

HB 195

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

INSURANCE CLAIMS: Provides for the payment of health insurance
claims prior to the credentialing of a healthcare provider

Introduction Date: 2020-02-24

Primary Sponsors

Dustin Miller

Bill Number HB 204	Last Action Effective Date 08 01 2020 2020 06 04	Status Enacted	Position Support
Title CRIMINAL/RECORDS: Authorizes CASA to receive FBI records on potential CASA volunteers		Introduction Date: 2020-02-24	
Primary Sponsors Ted James			
Bill Number HB 210	Last Action Effective Date 01 01 2021 2020 06 11	Status Enacted	Position Monitor
Title CHILDREN/SUPPORT: Provides for a child support obligor's right to claim children for tax purposes and provides for the schedule of basic child support obligations		Introduction Date: 2020-02-24	
Primary Sponsors Mike Johnson			
Bill Number HB 215	Last Action Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The Committee On Civil Law And Procedure 2020 03 09	Status Failed sine die	Position Monitor
Title ADOPTION: Provides for uniform post-placement functions associated with agency adoptions and private adoptions		Introduction Date: 2020-02-26	
Primary Sponsors Tony Bacala			
Bill Number HB 239	Last Action Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09	Status Failed sine die	Position Support
Title VITAL STATISTICS: Provides relative to Missing Angel Certificates issued by the state registrar of vital records (OR NO IMPACT See Note)		Introduction Date: 2020-02-26	
Primary Sponsors Dodie Horton			

Bill Number

HB 243

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

HEALTH CARE/RECORDS: Exempts persons with disabilities from charges associated with obtaining medical records

Introduction Date: 2020-02-26

Primary Sponsors

Rodney Lyons

Bill Number

HB 244

Last Action

Withdrawn Prior To Introduction 2020 02 26

Status

Failed

Position

Monitor

Title

MEDICAL MARIJUANA: Provides relative to marijuana pharmacies, creates the Medical Marijuana Affordable Access Council, and authorizes the regulation of medical marijuana prices

Introduction Date: 2020-02-26

Primary Sponsors

Rodney Lyons

Bill Number

HB 251

Last Action

Effective Date See Act 2020 06 11

Status

Enacted

Position

Support

Title

EARLY CHILDHOOD: Recreates the Early Childhood Care and Education Commission

Introduction Date: 2020-02-26

Primary Sponsors

Stephanie Hilferty

Bill Number

HB 259

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Ways And Means 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

TAX/INCOME TAX: Creates an individual income tax checkoff for the Sexual Trauma Awareness and Response (STAR) organization (OR NO IMPACT GF RV See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-26

Primary Sponsors

Malinda White

Bill Number

HB 263

Last Action

Effective Date 06 11 2020 2020 06 11

Status

Enacted

Position

Monitor

Title

DRUGS/PRESCRIPTION: Provides for insurance coverage of step therapy or fail first protocols

Introduction Date: 2020-02-26

Primary Sponsors

Mike Pete Huval

Bill Number

HB 267

Last Action

Effective Date See Act 2020 06 12

Status

Enacted

Position

None

Title

FUNDS/FUNDING: (Constitutional Amendment) Allows for the use of the Budget Stabilization Fund for state costs associated with a federally declared disaster (EN SEE FISC NOTE SD EX See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-26

Primary Sponsors

Gary Carter

Bill Number

HB 283

Last Action

Read By Title Amended Returned To The Calendar 2020 05 22

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides relative to billing by noncontracted facility-based physicians

Introduction Date: 2020-02-26

Primary Sponsors

Raymond Crews

Bill Number

HB 291

Last Action

Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

CHILDREN/NEWBORNS: Adds mucopolysaccharidosis type I and glycogen storage disorder type II to the state's newborn screening panel

Introduction Date: 2020-02-26

Primary Sponsors

Paula Davis

Bill Number

HB 297

Last Action

Involuntarily Deferred In Committee 2020 05 20

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

INSURANCE: Provides for the membership of the pharmacy benefit manager monitoring advisory council

Introduction Date: 2020-02-26

Primary Sponsors

Edmond Jordan

Bill Number

HB 305

Last Action

**Received In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time By Title And
Referred To The Committee On Finance 2020
05 26**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

None

Title

FUNDS/FUNDING: Provides for the transfer, deposit, and use of monies among state funds (EG SEE FISC NOTE SD RV See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-26

Primary Sponsors

Zee Zeringue

Bill Number

HB 307

Last Action

Effective Date See Act 2020 06 11

Status

Enacted

Position

Monitor

Title

APPROPRIATIONS/SUPPLEML: Makes supplemental appropriations for Fiscal Year 2019-2020

Introduction Date: 2020-02-26

Primary Sponsors

Zee Zeringue

Bill Number

HB 308

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Education 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Oppose

Title

SCHOOLS: Requires that any communication issued to students or parents relative to immunization requirements include information on exemptions from compliance with such requirements

Introduction Date: 2020-02-26

Primary Sponsors

Kathy Edmonston

Bill Number

HB 317

Last Action

Effective Date 08 01 2020 2020 06 09

Status

Enacted

Position

Monitor

Title

TRANSPORTATION: Establishes a driver's license designation for a person with autism spectrum disorder (EN +\$75,000 GF EX See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-26**Primary Sponsors**

Francis Thompson

Bill Number

HB 319

Last Action

Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Appropriations 2020 03 09

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

APPROPRIATIONS: Provides for the ordinary operating expenses of state government for Fiscal Year 2020-2021

Introduction Date: 2020-02-26**Primary Sponsors**

Zee Zeringue

Bill Number

HB 320

Last Action

Received In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time By Title And
Referred To The Committee On Health And
Welfare 2020 05 18

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

BOARDS/COMMISSIONS: Provides relative to the composition of the La. State Board of Nursing

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27**Primary Sponsors**

Larry Bagley

Bill Number

HB 321

Last Action

Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Oppose

Title

MEDICAID MANAGED CARE: Establishes a minimum generic dispensing rate requirement in Medicaid managed care (OR SEE FISC NOTE SG RV)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27**Primary Sponsors**

Michael Echols

Bill Number

HB 324

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

MEDICAID: Sets standards for Medicaid reimbursement rates for primary care services (OR +\$65,398,811 GF EX See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Michael Echols

Bill Number

HB 326

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

MEDICAID MANAGED CARE: Provides for certain data and other material to be included in the Healthy Louisiana Claims Report

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Michael Echols

Bill Number

HB 327

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

MEDICAID: Provides relative to Dual Eligible Special Needs Plans for persons dually eligible for Medicare and Medicaid (OR GF EX See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Michael Echols

Bill Number

HB 328

Last Action

Effective Date 08 01 2020 2020 06 09

Status

Enacted

Position

Support

Title

TAX/SALES-USE, LOCAL-EXEM: Authorizes an exemption from local sales taxes for feminine hygiene products and diapers (EN SEE FISC NOTE LF RV See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Aimee Freeman

Bill Number

HB 330

Last Action

**Read By Title And Returned To The Calendar
Subject To Call 2020 05 29**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

HEALTH/MEDICAL TREATMENT: Adds chronic pain associated with fibromyalgia to the set of conditions qualifying a patient for treatment with medical marijuana

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Rodney Lyons

Bill Number

HB 331

Last Action

**Read By Title Amended Ordered Engrossed
Recommitted To The Committee On
Appropriations 2020 05 15**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

TRANSPORTATION: Authorizes transportation network companies to provide nonemergency medical transportation services through the state Medicaid program and all other publicly and privately issued health insurance plans (EG INCREASE GF EX See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Larry Bagley

Bill Number

HB 342

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Civil Law And Procedure 2020
03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

LEASES: Provides relative to sexual assault victims and certain residential lease agreements

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Aimee Freeman

Bill Number

HB 353

Last Action

Effective Date 08 01 2020 2020 06 11

Status

Enacted

Position

Monitor

Title

INSURANCE CLAIMS: Provides relative to claims for dental services made by healthcare providers

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Chad Brown

Bill Number

HB 358

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Civil Law And Procedure 2020
03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

CHILDREN/SUPPORT: Provides relative to the role of the Department of Children and Family Services as an indispensable party in certain domestic matters

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Thomas Pressly

Bill Number

HB 362

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

HOSPITALS: Defines "freestanding children's hospital" for purposes of the Hospital Licensing Law

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Paula Davis

Bill Number

HB 371

Last Action

Effective Date 08 01 2020 2020 06 11

Status

Enacted

Position

Monitor

Title

ATHLETICS: Provides relative to the comprehensive sports injury management program for student athletics (EN SEE FISC NOTE GF EX See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Chris Turner

Bill Number

HB 385

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

MEDICAL MARIJUANA: Repeals the prohibition on medical marijuana in raw or crude form

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Ted James

Bill Number

HB 387

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides for the regulation of pharmacy services administrative organizations

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Edmond Jordan

Bill Number

HB 389

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Appropriations 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

None

Title

FUNDS/FUNDING: Provides for the disbursement of monies received in settlements from opioid manufacturers (OR SEE FISC NOTE SD EX)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Michael Echols

Bill Number

HB 391

Last Action

Becomes Hb 871 2020 05 15

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

STUDENTS: Provides for screening, diagnosis, and intervention with respect to students with dyslexia (OR INCREASE LF EX See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Joe Marino

Bill Number

HB 407

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides for health insurance coverage for participants in clinical trials

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Jeremy Lacombe

Bill Number

HB 408

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides for health insurance coverage of cancer treatments (OR INCREASE GF EX See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Jeremy Lacombe

Bill Number

HB 415

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

EVIDENCE: Provides relative to medical consent for forensic medical examinations

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Royce Duplessis

Bill Number

HB 424

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

PHYSICIANS: Prohibits physicians whose licenses have been suspended, revoked, or otherwise restricted from treating members of certain vulnerable populations

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Mandie Landry

Bill Number

HB 435

Last Action

Effective Date 08 01 2020 2020 06 11

Status

Enacted

Position

Support

Title

HEALTH/MEDICAL TREATMENT: Provides relative to nonconsensual pelvic or rectal examinations by health care providers and medical students

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Edmond Jordan

Bill Number

HB 449

Last Action

Effective Date 08 01 2020 2020 06 11

Status

Enacted

Position

Support

Title

HEALTH SERVICES: Provides relative to behavioral health services delivered via telehealth

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Michael Echols

Bill Number

HB 455

Last Action

**Read Second Time By Title And Referred To
The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
05 25**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

DRUGS/CONTROLLED: Authorizes recommendation of medical marijuana by physicians for patients in hospice or palliative care

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Jeremy Lacombe

Bill Number

HB 459

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Oppose

Title

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides for coverage of certain services and procedures performed by pharmacists

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Joe Stagni

Bill Number

HB 467

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Oppose

Title

HEALTH SERVICES: Requires the provision of certain information to patients or parents of patients prior to administration of an immunization or a vaccine (OR NO IMPACT See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Beryl Amedee

Bill Number

HB 468

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Judiciary 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

None

Title

CORONERS: Provides relative to coroner reports on vaccine adverse events

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Beryl Amedee

Bill Number

HB 501

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

None

Title

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides for health insurance coverage for midwifery services

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Matthew Willard

Bill Number

HB 502

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides for health insurance coverage for maternity services provided by doulas

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Matthew Willard

Bill Number

HB 503

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

MEDICAID: Sets standards for Medicaid reimbursement rates for health services furnished by midwives

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Matthew Willard

Bill Number

HB 505

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

HEALTH SERVICES: Establishes the licensed profession of art therapist

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Stuart Bishop

Bill Number

HB 517

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Education 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

SCHOOLS: Provides relative to treatment of students with seizure disorders and training of school employees

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Raymond Crews

Bill Number

HB 530

Last Action

Effective Date 01 01 2021 2020 06 11

Status

Enacted

Position

Monitor

Title

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides for coverage of healthcare services provided through telehealth or telemedicine (RE1 SEE FISC NOTE SG EX)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Michael Echols

Bill Number

HB 533

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Administration Of Criminal
Justice 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

CRIMINAL/RECORDS: Provides relative to the expungement of records for victims of human trafficking

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Mandie Landry

Bill Number

HB 534

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides for health insurance coverage for epinephrine auto-injectors

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Mandie Landry

Bill Number

HB 540

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Education 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

STUDENTS: Provides relative to screenings of students' sight

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Dustin Miller

Bill Number

HB 542

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Education 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

STUDENTS: Creates the Dyslexia Commission

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Kathy Edmonston

Bill Number

HB 549

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Education 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

SCHOOLS: Provides relative to administration of medication in public schools

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Dustin Miller

Bill Number

HB 553

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides relative to remote patient monitoring

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Raymond Crews

Bill Number

HB 557

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

HEALTH SERVICES: Provides relative to requiring each hospital or free-standing birthing center in the state of Louisiana to perform a comprehensive systematic analysis for each maternal death that occurs

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Royce Duplessis

Bill Number

HB 559

Last Action

**Read By Title Recommitted To The Committee
On Finance 2020 05 28**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

EDUCATION: Provides with respect to early childhood literacy (EG INCREASE GF EX See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Royce Duplessis

Bill Number

HB 589

Last Action

Effective Date 08 01 20 2020 06 05

Status

Enacted

Position

Monitor

Title

MEDICAID: Provides for Medicaid policies and procedures concerning telehealth services

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Michael Echols

Bill Number

HB 591

Last Action

Effective Date 06 11 2020 2020 06 11

Status

Enacted

Position

None

Title

BOARDS/COMMISSIONS: Provides relative to the membership of the Louisiana Sickle Cell Commission

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Ed Larvadain

Bill Number

HB 595

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

HEALTH/BEHAVIORAL: Creates and provides for the Task Force on Opioid Use Prevention, Treatment, and Recovery

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Paula Davis

Bill Number

HB 596

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

HEALTH/MEDICAL TREATMENT: Provides relative to nonconsensual pelvic or rectal examinations by healthcare providers and medical students (OR SEE FISC NOTE LF EX)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Barry Ivey

Bill Number

HB 598

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

MEDICAID: Provides for hospital payment reform based on diagnosis-related groups

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Polly Thomas

Bill Number

HB 599

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Education 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

SCHOOLS: Requires daily recess for public school students in grades kindergarten through eight

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Beryl Amedee

Bill Number

HB 606

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Education 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

CHILDREN/CARE: Provides relative to family and in-home child care providers

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Julie Emerson

Bill Number

HB 609

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Provides relative to the regulation of pharmacy benefit managers

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Edmond Jordan

Bill Number

HB 610

Last Action

**Read Second Time By Title And Referred To
The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
05 25**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

HEALTH/CHILDREN: Provides relative to forensic medical examinations of minors

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Mandie Landry

Bill Number

HB 615

Last Action

Effective Date 08 01 2020 2020 06 11

Status

Enacted

Position

Monitor

Title

MALPRACTICE/MEDICAL: Provides relative to donors or prospective donors of an organ or tissue

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Alan Seabaugh

Bill Number

HB 616

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

DRUGS/PRESCRIPTION: Provides for disclosure of prescription drug cost information

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Joe Stagni

Bill Number

HB 642

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Labor And Industrial Relations
2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

EMPLOYMENT: Provides relative to immunization waivers for employees

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Beryl Amedee

Bill Number

HB 646

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Administration Of Criminal
Justice 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES: Provides for the decriminalization of marijuana possession and distribution (OR SEE FISC NOTE GF EX)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Edmond Jordan

Bill Number

HB 656

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Education 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

CURRICULA: Provides relative to eating disorder prevention in schools

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Tammy Phelps

Bill Number

HB 667

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Oppose

Title

INSURANCE/HEALTH: Prohibits financial incentives or penalties to encourage healthcare providers to administer vaccinations

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Beryl Amedee

Bill Number

HB 699

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Appropriations 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

FUNDS/FUNDING: Establishes the Opioid Restitution Fund (OR SEE FISC NOTE SD EX)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Stephen Dwight

Bill Number

HB 702

Last Action

Effective Date 08 01 2020 2020 06 12

Status

Enacted

Position

Monitor

Title

HEALTH SERVICES: Provides with respect to the practice of physician assistants

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Larry Bagley

Bill Number

HB 706

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Education 2020 03 11**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

None

Title

SCHOOLS: Requires that any communication issued to students or parents relative to immunization requirements include information on exemptions from compliance with such requirements

Introduction Date: 2020-03-10

Primary Sponsors

Danny McCormick

Bill Number

HB 713

Last Action

**Read By Title Rules Suspended Referred To
The Committee On Education 2020 03 16**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

TEXTBOOKS/MATERIALS: Provides relative to reviews conducted of textbooks and other instructional materials

Introduction Date: 2020-03-16

Primary Sponsors

Kathy Edmonston

Bill Number

HB 714

Last Action

**Read By Title Rules Suspended Referred To
The Committee On Education 2020 03 16**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

None

Title

CURRICULA: Provides relative to curriculum, instruction, and training in the area of early literacy

Introduction Date: 2020-03-16

Primary Sponsors

Kathy Edmonston

Bill Number

HB 864

Last Action

**Read By Title Under The Rules Referred To The
Committee On Health And Welfare 2020 05 04**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

None

Title

NURSES: Provides relative to advanced practice registered nursing

Introduction Date: 2020-03-31

Primary Sponsors

Barry Ivey

Bill Number

HCR 6

Last Action

**Taken By The Clerk Of The House And
Presented To The Secretary Of State In
Accordance With The Rules Of The House 2020
06 02**

Status

Enacted

Position

None

Title

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEES: Creates and provides for the Joint Medicaid Oversight Committee

Introduction Date: 2020-05-19

Primary Sponsors

Rick Edmonds

Bill Number

SB 46

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

None

Title

HEALTH SERVICES: Provides for the Recognition of Emergency Medical Services Personnel Licensure Interstate Compact (REPLICA). (gov sig)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-18

Primary Sponsors

Barrow Peacock

Bill Number

SB 59

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

PHARMACEUTICALS: Provides relative to coverage of step therapy or fail first protocols. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-19

Primary Sponsors

T-Fred Mills

Bill Number

SB 60

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Oppose

Title

HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Authorizes modification of drug coverage for a drug costing over \$300 per prescription or refill with an increase of at least 25% in the prior 365 days under certain circumstances if 30-day notice is given. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-19

Primary Sponsors

T-Fred Mills

Bill Number

SB 62

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

PHARMACEUTICALS: Provides relative to the maximum cost of prescription insulin drugs. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-19

Primary Sponsors

T-Fred Mills

Bill Number

SB 67

Last Action

**Read By Title And Returned To The Calendar
Subject To Call 2020 05 13**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

None

Title

HEALTH CARE: Provides for the repeal of certain inactive or obsolete laws. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-20

Primary Sponsors

T-Fred Mills

Bill Number

SB 68

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Senate And Governmental
Affairs 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE: Provides relative to the promulgation of emergency rules in accordance with the Administrative Procedure Act. (8/1/20) (OR NO IMPACT See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-20

Primary Sponsors

T-Fred Mills

Bill Number

SB 81

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

HEALTH CARE: Provides relative to opioid treatment programs for pregnant women. (1/1/21)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-21

Primary Sponsors

Beth Mizell

Bill Number

SB 97

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Judiciary A 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

HEALTH SERVICES: Provides relative to certain limitations on recovery of medical claims. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-24

Primary Sponsors

Barrow Peacock

Bill Number

SB 112

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Education 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

EARLY CHILDHOOD ED: Provides relative to the Early Childhood Care and Education Network. (gov sig) (OR NO IMPACT See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-24

Primary Sponsors

Cleo Fields

Bill Number

SB 122

Last Action

Effective Date 8 1 2020 2020 06 09

Status

Enacted

Position

None

Title

GROUP BENEFITS PROGRAM: Provides relative to notice and appeal rights for over-age dependent coverage by any health plan offered under the purview of the Office of Group Benefits and designated as "Arielle's Law". (8/1/20) (EN INCREASE SG EX See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-25

Primary Sponsors

Troy Carter

Bill Number

SB 126

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

EXCEPTIONAL PERSONS: Establishes the Commission for Identifying Risk Factors for Cortical Visual Impairment. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-25

Primary Sponsors

Regina Barrow

Bill Number

SB 128

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Education 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

SCHOOLS: Requires certain assessments of a student prior to suspension from school. (gov sig)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-25

Primary Sponsors

Regina Barrow

Bill Number

SB 134

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Transportation Highways
And Public Works 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

MOTOR VEHICLES: Authorizes inclusion of notice on driver's license of health condition that may impede ability to communicate with a peace officer. (8/1/20) (OR NO IMPACT See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-25

Primary Sponsors

Glen Womack

Bill Number

SB 142

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Commerce Consumer
Protection And International Affairs 2020 03
09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

PHYSICIANS: Prohibits certain restrictive agreements as to the practice of medicine. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-25

Primary Sponsors

Jay Morris

Bill Number

SB 143

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Commerce Consumer
Protection And International Affairs 2020 03
09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

PHYSICIANS: Prohibits certain agreements restricting a physician from practicing medicine outside the parish of employment under certain conditions. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-25

Primary Sponsors

Jay Morris

Bill Number

SB 148

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

INSURERS: Provides relative to the Louisiana Health Reinsurance Association. (gov sig)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-25

Primary Sponsors

Kirk Talbot

Bill Number

SB 152

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Commerce Consumer
Protection And International Affairs 2020 03
09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

PHYSICIANS: Prohibits the restraint of the practice of medicine in contracts or agreements. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-25

Primary Sponsors

Gerald Boudreaux

Bill Number

SB 166

Last Action

Effective Date 6 12 2020 2020 06 12

Status

Enacted

Position

None

Title

FISCAL CONTROLS: Provides for forecasting of the Medicaid program. (gov sig) (EN INCREASE GF EX See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-26

Primary Sponsors

Sharon Hewitt

Bill Number

SB 169

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

HEALTH SERVICES: Provides relative to facility need review. (8/1/20) (OR INCREASE SG RV See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-26

Primary Sponsors

T-Fred Mills

Bill Number

SB 170

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

HEALTH CARE: Provides relative to health care emergency visit alternative treatment reimbursement. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-26

Primary Sponsors

T-Fred Mills

Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position
SB 171	Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To The Committee On Education 2020 03 09	Failed sine die	Support
Title		Introduction Date: 2020-02-26	
BUS DRIVERS: Requires school bus operators to be certified in CPR and first aid. (gov sig) (OR +\$61,500 GF EX See Note)			
Primary Sponsors			
Beth Mizell			

Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position
SB 174	Effective Date 8 1 2020 2020 06 04	Enacted	Monitor
Title		Introduction Date: 2020-02-26	
HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Provides technical changes in references to federal law regarding health insurance. (8/1/20)			
Primary Sponsors			
Louie Bernard			

Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position
SB 198	Effective Date 8 1 2020 2020 06 11	Enacted	None
Title		Introduction Date: 2020-02-26	
SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH: Designates the month of September as Childhood Cancer Awareness Month. (8/1/20)			
Primary Sponsors			
Barrow Peacock			

Bill Number	Last Action	Status	Position
SB 199	Read By Title Withdrawn From The Files Of The Senate 2020 03 09	Failed	Support
Title		Introduction Date: 2020-02-26	
HEALTH CARE: Provides relative to physician practice standards in a medical spa. (8/1/20)			
Primary Sponsors			
Patrick McMath			

Bill Number

SB 202

Last Action

**Read By Title And Returned To The Calendar
Subject To Call 2020 05 18**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

INSURANCE POLICIES: Provides for health insurance coverage for participants in clinical trials. (8/1/20) (EG INCREASE GF EX See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Kirk Talbot

Bill Number

SB 204

Last Action

Effective Date 1 1 2021 2020 06 11

Status

Enacted

Position

Support

Title

INSURANCE POLICIES: Provides for health insurance coverage of cancer treatments. (1/1/21) (EG1 INCREASE GF EX See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Kirk Talbot

Bill Number

SB 206

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Education 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

POSTSECONDARY ED: Requires each public postsecondary education institution to implement an opioid overdose response plan. (gov sig)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Gary Smith

Bill Number

SB 213

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Provides relative to medical necessity determinations related to substance use disorders. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Stewart Cathey

Bill Number

SB 224

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

CHILDREN: Enacts a Foster Youth's Bill of Rights for youth ages fourteen through eighteen in foster care. (gov sig)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Regina Barrow

Bill Number

SB 231

Last Action

Effective Date 6 12 2020 2020 06 12

Status

Enacted

Position

None

Title

INSURANCE POLICIES: Provides with respect to the Louisiana Health Plan. (gov sig) (RE SEE FISC NOTE OF RV See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Kirk Talbot

Bill Number

SB 241

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Judiciary A 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

PRESCRIPTION: Extends prescriptive period for delictual actions from one to two years, but except medical malpractice. (1/1/21)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Patrick Connick

Bill Number

SB 256

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

CHILDREN: Provides relative to beverages in children's meals. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Troy Carter

Bill Number

SB 262

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

None

Title

HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Provides relative to balance or "surprise" billing. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Kirk Talbot

Bill Number

SB 267

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

None

Title

HEALTH CARE: Removes the sunset provision for the authorization of use of therapeutic marijuana. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Gerald Boudreaux

Bill Number

SB 271

Last Action

Effective Date 8 1 2020 2020 06 12

Status

Enacted

Position

Support

Title

HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Provides relative to the Health Care Consumer Billing and Disclosure Protection Act. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Ronnie Johns

Bill Number

SB 281

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

HEALTH DEPARTMENT: Provides relative to contracts with Medicaid managed care organizations. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Jay Luneau

Bill Number

SB 289

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

HEALTH/ACC INSURANCE: Provides relative to prohibitions on certain health insurance cost-sharing practices. (gov sig)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Regina Barrow

Bill Number

SB 290

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Education 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

COUNSELING/GUIDANCE: Provides for comprehensive school counseling program. (gov sig)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Katrina Jackson

Bill Number

SB 291

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Education 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Oppose

Title

COUNSELING/GUIDANCE: Requires that the state Department of Education develop a program to train and certify volunteers to assist school counselors. (gov sig)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Katrina Jackson

Bill Number

SB 292

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Insurance 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

INSURANCE POLICIES: Provides relative to utilization reviews for health insurance policies. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

Primary Sponsors

Katrina Jackson

Bill Number

SB 294

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Education 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

STUDENTS: Requires the state Department of Education to implement a program to increase the number of meals provided to students. (gov sig) (OR NO IMPACT See Note)

Primary Sponsors

Katrina Jackson

Bill Number

SB 296

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Oppose

Title

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

PHARMACISTS: Provides relative to immunizations administered by pharmacists. (8/1/20)

Primary Sponsors

Regina Barrow

Bill Number

SB 301

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Judiciary B 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS: Prohibits the sale of vapor products with a characterizing flavor. (8/1/20)

Primary Sponsors

Katrina Jackson

Bill Number

SB 311

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

Introduction Date: 2020-02-27

PUBLIC HEALTH: Requires annual testing of drinking water at certain child care facilities and schools. (8/1/20)

Primary Sponsors

Karen Peterson

Bill Number

SB 325

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

None

Title

HEALTH CARE: Provides relative to immunizations. (8/1/20) (OR NO
IMPACT See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Regina Barrow

Bill Number

SB 339

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

PHYSICIANS: Provides for the therapeutic use of marijuana. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Rick Ward

Bill Number

SB 340

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Education 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

SCHOOLS: Provides relative to annual mental health screenings in
schools. (gov sig)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Rick Ward

Bill Number

SB 345

Last Action

Effective Date 8 1 2020 2020 06 09

Status

Enacted

Position

Monitor

Title

CONTRACTS: Provides relative to noncompete agreements. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Ronnie Johns

Bill Number

SB 346

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Commerce Consumer
Protection And International Affairs 2020 03
09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

COMMERCIAL REGULATIONS: Provides for the regulation of legal advertising in the field of medical alerts. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Barrow Peacock

Bill Number

SB 349

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Commerce Consumer
Protection And International Affairs 2020 03
09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

CONSUMERS/PROTECTION: Provides relative to deceptive or unfair trade practices regarding electronic health records. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

T-Fred Mills

Bill Number

SB 361

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Judiciary B 2020 03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES: Prohibits elective surgical, medical, and dental procedures for prison inmates. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Beth Mizell

Bill Number

SB 362

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Oppose

Title

HEALTH CARE: Provides relative to prescriptions for opioids. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Beth Mizell

Bill Number

SB 363

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

ABORTION: Provides for reporting requirements for training on human trafficking awareness and prevention. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Beth Mizell

Bill Number

SB 380

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
03 09**

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Monitor

Title

ABORTION: Provides relative to reports required after an abortion. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Beth Mizell

Bill Number

SB 391

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
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The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
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Status

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Position

Monitor

Title

CIVIL PROCEDURE: Provides relative to the Medical Assistance Programs Integrity Law. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

T-Fred Mills

Bill Number

SB 405

Last Action

**Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
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The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
03 09**

Status

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Position

Support

Title

NURSES: Provides relative to collaborative practice agreements between advanced practice registered nurses and licensed physicians or dentists. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-02-28

Primary Sponsors

Franklin Foil

Bill Number

SB 426

Last Action

Effective Date 6 11 2020 2020 06 11

Status

Enacted

Position

Support

Title

INSURANCE CLAIMS: Requires health insurance coverage for COVID-19 (Coronavirus) diagnostic testing. (gov sig) (REF INCREASE SG EX See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-03-16**Primary Sponsors**

Regina Barrow

Bill Number

SB 429

Last Action

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The Committee On Health And Welfare 2020
05 04

Status

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Position

Monitor

Title

HEALTH CARE: Requires certain disclosures by healthcare providers. (8/1/20)

Introduction Date: 2020-03-16**Primary Sponsors**

Ronnie Johns

Bill Number

SB 433

Last Action

Effective Date 6 9 2020 2020 06 09

Status

Enacted

Position

Support

Title

CRIMINAL PROCEDURE: Provides that a mandatory reporter of child abuse has cause to suspect abuse if a child under the age of thirteen is pregnant. (gov sig)

Introduction Date: 2020-03-16**Primary Sponsors**

Beth Mizell

Bill Number

SCR 11

Last Action

Read Second Time By Title And Referred To
The Committee On Judiciary B 2020 03 10

Status

Failed sine die

Position

Support

Title

INTERNET: Memorializes Congress to prohibit access to online pornography by persons under the age of 18.

Introduction Date: 2020-03-09**Primary Sponsors**

Heather Cloud

Bill Number

SCR 20

Last Action

Introduced In The Senate Read By Title Rules
Suspended Read Second Time And Referred To
The Committee On Judiciary A 2020 03 16

Status

Failed sine die

Position

None

Title

LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS: Suspends certain legal requirements as a result of emergency health measures relative to the Coronavirus.

Introduction Date: 2020-03-16

Primary Sponsors

Page Cortez

Bill Number

SCR 21

Last Action

Read Second Time By Title And Referred To
The Committee On Education 2020 05 04

Status

Failed sine die

Position

None

Title

BESE: Provides for legislative approval of the MFP formula for the 2020-2021 Fiscal Year. (OR +\$148,964,427 GF EX See Note)

Introduction Date: 2020-03-16

Primary Sponsors

Cleo Fields

Bill Number

SCR 22

Last Action

Read By Title Rules Suspended Referred To
The Committee On Education 2020 05 18

Status

Failed sine die

Position

None

Title

BESE: Requests BESE to suspend statewide standardized assessments for the 2019-2020 school year due to COVID-19.

Introduction Date: 2020-03-16

Primary Sponsors

Regina Barrow

Bill Number

SCR 23

Last Action

Sent To The Secretary Of State By The
Secretary Of The Senate On 6 4 2020 2020 06
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Status

Enacted

Position

None

Title

EDUCATION ACCOUNTABILITY: Suspends certain laws relative to school closures due to COVID-19.

Introduction Date: 2020-03-16

Primary Sponsors

Cleo Fields

Bill Number

SCR 25

Last Action

Sent To The Secretary Of State By The
Secretary Of The Senate On 6 4 2020 2020 06
01

Status

Enacted

Position

Monitor

Title

CHILDREN: Reconstitutes and extends the deadlines of the Task
Force on Protecting Children from Exposure to Pornography.

Introduction Date: 2020-03-16

Primary Sponsors

Franklin Foil

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