The Florida Senate

COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES Senator Trumbull, Chair Senator Davis, Vice Chair

TIME:	Tuesday, April 15, 2025 8:30 a.m.—12:00 noon <i>Pat Thomas Committee Room,</i> 412 Knott Building
MEMBERS:	Senator Trumbull, Chair; Senator Davis, Vice Chair; Senators Berman, Brodeur, Burton, Garcia, Gruters, Harrell, Rodriguez, and Rouson

BILL DESCRIPTION and BILL NO. and INTRODUCER SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS COMMITTEE ACTION TAB 1 **CS/SB 12** Relief of L.P., a Minor, by the Department of Children Favorable and Families; Providing for the relief of L.P., a minor, Judiciary / Gruters Yeas 10 Nays 0 (Similar CS/H 6511) by the Department of Children and Families; providing an appropriation to a special needs trust, to compensate L.P. for injuries and damages sustained due to the negligence of employees and caseworkers of the department; providing a limitation on compensation and the payment of fees and costs, etc. SM JU 04/01/2025 Fav/CS AHS 04/15/2025 Favorable AP 2 **CS/SB 526** Nursing Education Programs; Revising application Fav/CS requirements for nursing education program approval; Health Policy / Harrell Yeas 8 Navs 1 providing for the revocation of a program's approval, (Similar H 919) and discipline of its program director, under certain circumstances; authorizing agents of the Department of Health to conduct onsite evaluations and inspections of approved and accredited nursing education programs; deeming failure or refusal of a program to allow such evaluation or inspection as a violation of a legal obligation, etc. HP 03/04/2025 Fav/CS AHS 04/15/2025 Fav/CS FP 3 **CS/SB 614** Public Education of Background Screening Favorable Children, Families, and Elder Requirements; Requiring the Agency for Health Care Yeas 10 Nays 0 Affairs / Polsky Administration and the Department of Law Enforcement, in consultation with certain agencies, to (Similar CS/CS/H 531) develop and maintain a care provider background screening education and awareness webpage; providing requirements for resources provided on the webpage; requiring that specified agencies provide a link to the webpage on their respective websites and promote the inclusion of the link in certain media, etc. 04/01/2025 Fav/CS CF AHS 04/15/2025 Favorable FP

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4	SB 890 Yarborough (Similar CS/CS/H 1421)	Improving Screening for and Treatment of Blood Clots; Requiring the Department of Health to establish, or contract to establish, a statewide registry for a specified purpose; providing that certain personal identifying information is confidential and exempt from public records requirements, with exceptions; requiring certain licensed facilities to arrange for the rendering of appropriate medical attention for persons at risk for certain conditions; revising requirements for certain annual inservice training for certified nursing assistants employed by nursing home facilities, etc. HP 03/11/2025 Favorable AHS 04/15/2025 Fav/CS FP	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 1
5	CS/SB 954 Community Affairs / Gruters (Similar CS/CS/H 1163)	Certified Recovery Residences; Providing that certain recovery residences are deemed a nontransient residential use of land for a specified purpose; prohibiting a local law, ordinance, or regulation from prohibiting or regulating a recovery residence in a multifamily structure; requiring a county or a muncipality to allow certain certified recovery residences in specified zoned districts without the need to obtain changes in certain zoning or land use; providing that the personnel-to-resident ratio for a certified recovery residence must be met only when the residents are at the residence, etc. CA 03/31/2025 Fav/CS AHS 04/15/2025 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 2
6	CS/SB 1050 Children, Families, and Elder Affairs / Bradley (Similar CS/H 1103)	Services for Individuals with Developmental Disabilities; Requiring the Agency for Persons with Disabilities to post its quarterly reconciliation reports on its website within a specified timeframe; providing a requirement for the online application system to allow an applicant to apply for crisis enrollment; requiring the agency to implement a specified Medicaid waiver program to address the needs of certain clients, etc. CF 04/01/2025 Fav/CS AHS 04/15/2025 Favorable AP	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 1

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7	SB 1060 Brodeur (Identical H 935)	Medicaid Oversight; Establishing the Joint Legislative Committee on Medicaid Oversight within the Office of the Auditor General for specified purposes; requiring the Auditor General and the Agency for Health Care Administration to enter into a data sharing agreement by a specified date; providing that the committee must be given access to certain records, papers, and documents, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 10 Nays 0
		HP 03/18/2025 Favorable AHS 04/15/2025 Fav/CS AP	
8	CS/SB 1144 Governmental Oversight and Accountability / Burgess (Similar H 1327, Compare CS/H 1329, Linked CS/S 1146)	Hope Florida; Creating the "Hope Florida Act"; creating the Hope Florida Office within the Executive Office of the Governor; providing eligibility requirements for Hope Florida participants; requiring the office to designate a state agency to perform certain functions; requiring that Hope Navigators be embedded in communities for specified purposes, etc.	Temporarily Postponed
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9	CS/SB 1146 Governmental Oversight and Accountability / Burgess (Similar CS/H 1329, Compare H 1327, Linked CS/S 1144)	Public Records/Hope Florida Program ; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying information of a participant in the Hope Florida program contained in records held by the Hope Florida Office or any other agency designated to participate in the administering the program; providing retroactive application; providing for future legislative review and repeal; providing a statement of public necessity, etc.	Temporarily Postponed
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10	SB 1182 Harrell (Identical CS/H 1465)	Medicaid Coverage of Continuous Glucose Monitors; Requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to, within a specified timeframe, seek federal approval as needed to provide coverage of continuous glucose monitors and related supplies as a durable medical equipment benefit under the Medicaid program; requiring the agency to implement these changes upon receiving any necessary federal approval, etc.	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
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11	CS/SB 1224 Health Policy / Harrell (Identical CS/H 519)	Administration of Controlled Substances; Authorizing a practitioner to cause a controlled substance to be administered by a certified paramedic in the course of providing emergency services, etc.	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
		HP 03/25/2025 Fav/CS AHS 04/15/2025 Favorable RC	
12	CS/SB 1240 Children, Families, and Elder Affairs / Calatayud (Similar CS/H 1091)	Substance Abuse and Mental Health Care; Expanding mental health crisis services to include the 988 suicide and crisis lifeline call center; authorizing the guardian advocate to be discharged when a patient is discharged from involuntary outpatient services; providing that orders entered by administrative law judges for continued involuntary placement for patients at certain mental health facilities are final and subject to judicial review, etc.	Fav/CS Yeas 8 Nays 1
		CF 03/19/2025 Fav/CS AHS 04/15/2025 Fav/CS RC	
13	SB 1578 Davis (Similar H 187)	Coverage for Mammograms and Supplemental Breast Cancer Screenings; Requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to provide Medicaid coverage for annual mammograms and supplemental breast cancer screenings for certain women meeting specified criteria, subject to the availability of funds and any limitations or directions the Legislature provides in the General Appropriations Act; revising coverage for mammograms under certain individual accident and health insurance policies, certain group, blanket, and franchise accident and health insurance policies, and certain health maintenance contracts, respectively, etc.	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
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14	CS/SB 1602 Health Policy / Harrell (Identical CS/H 1119)	Health Care Patient Protection; Requiring hospital emergency departments to develop and implement policies and procedures, conduct training, record weights in a certain manner, designate a pediatric emergency care coordinator, and conduct specified assessments; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to adopt certain rules for comprehensive emergency management plans; requiring the agency to collect and publish the results of specified assessments submitted by hospitals by specified dates, etc.	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
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