

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

HEALTH POLICY
Senator Diaz, Chair
Senator Brodeur, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Wednesday, November 3, 2021

TIME: 11:30 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

PLACE: Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building

MEMBERS: Senator Diaz, Chair; Senator Brodeur, Vice Chair; Senators Albritton, Baxley, Bean, Book, Cruz, Garcia, Jones, and Powell

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	Agency for Health Care Administration Implementation Update on HB 19 (2019)		Presented
2	SB 292 Polsky	Newborn Screenings; Revising requirements for the Department of Health's rules related to newborn screenings; requiring hospitals and other state-licensed birthing facilities to test for congenital cytomegalovirus in newborns under certain circumstances, etc. HP 11/03/2021 Favorable AHS AP	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
3	SB 358 Rodriguez (Linked S 590)	Professional Counselors Licensure Compact; Creating the Professional Counselors Licensure Compact; providing for recognition of the privilege to practice licensed professional counseling in member states; providing for the recognition of the practice of professional counseling through telehealth in member states; providing for the development of the data system, reporting procedures, and the exchange of specified information between member states; specifying that licensees practicing in a remote state under the compact must adhere to the laws and rules of the remote state, etc. HP 11/03/2021 Fav/CS AHS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 10 Nays 0

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4	SB 296 Garcia	Health Care Expenses; Requiring a licensed facility to establish, update, and make public a list of the facility's charges for services which meets certain federal requirements; prohibiting consumer reporting agencies from publishing a consumer report containing a medical debt credit impairment under certain circumstances; requiring the consumer reporting agency to remove the credit impairment, free of charge, under certain circumstances; authorizing patient-consumers to initiate legal proceedings for violations; prohibiting persons from reporting certain consumer debt to a consumer reporting agency without the express written consent of the creditor, etc. HP 11/03/2021 Temporarily Postponed AHS AP	Temporarily Postponed
5	SB 330 Brodeur	Medicaid Modernization; Authorizing Medicaid to reimburse providers for certain remote evaluation and patient monitoring services, etc. HP 11/03/2021 Favorable AHS AP	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
6	SB 312 Diaz (Compare H 17)	Telehealth; Revising the definition of the term "telehealth"; narrowing the prohibition on prescribing controlled substances through telehealth to include only specified controlled substances, etc. HP 11/03/2021 Favorable BI RC	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
Consideration of proposed bill:			
7	SPB 7000	OGSR/Nonviable Birth Certificates; Amending a provision which provides an exemption from public records requirements for certain information included in nonviable birth certificates; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemption, etc.	Submitted and Reported Favorably as Committee Bill Yeas 10 Nays 0
8	SPB 7002	OGSR/Information Relating to Medical Marijuana Held by the Department of Health; Provides an exemption from public records requirements for personal identifying information relating to medical marijuana held by the Department of Health; removing the scheduled repeal of the exemption, etc.	Submitted and Reported Favorably as Committee Bill Yeas 10 Nays 0

Other Related Meeting Documents