

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

HEALTH POLICY
Senator Diaz, Chair
Senator Brodeur, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Thursday, January 13, 2022

TIME: 11:00 a.m.—1:00 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	SB 466 Torres (Identical H 131)	Military Medics and Corpsmen of Florida Program; Requiring the Department of Veterans' Affairs and the Department of Health to establish and administer the program; providing for eligibility; authorizing medically trained veterans participating in the program to perform certain medical activities under specified supervision, etc. HP 01/13/2022 Fav/CS MS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
2	SB 538 Hooper (Identical H 255)	Private Instructional Personnel Providing Applied Behavior Analysis Services; Revising the definition of the term "private instructional personnel" to include certain registered behavior technicians, etc. ED 11/30/2021 Favorable HP 01/13/2022 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
3	SB 890 Burgess (Similar H 593)	Telecommunicator Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation; Requiring certain 911 public safety telecommunicators to receive ongoing telecommunicator cardiopulmonary resuscitation training; authorizing public safety agencies and certain other agencies to enter into reciprocal agreements to provide telecommunicator cardiopulmonary resuscitation under certain circumstances; providing requirements for certain employees who answer emergency medical service calls, etc. HP 01/13/2022 Favorable AHS AP	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0

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4	SB 806 Perry (Similar H 475)	Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia-related Disorders Awareness; Creating the "Ramping up Education of Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia for You (READY) Act"; requiring the Department of Health, in collaboration with the Department of Elderly Affairs and the Alzheimer's Association, to develop and disseminate information relating to Alzheimer's disease and dementia-related disorders to certain health care practitioners for a specified purpose; requiring the department to encourage health care providers to display the information in their facilities and discuss specified information with patients 60 years of age or older; authorizing the department to fund certain mobile and virtual outreach programs under certain circumstances, etc. HP 01/13/2022 Favorable AHS AP	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
5	SB 988 Garcia (Compare H 987, S 1724)	Patient Visitation Rights; Citing this act as the "No Patient Left Alone Act"; requiring providers to allow clients to receive visitors during their admission; requiring providers to develop certain alternative visitation protocols if providers have to restrict public access to their facilities for health or safety concerns; authorizing providers to require visitors to adhere to specified infection control protocols; authorizing providers to refuse visitation to a visitor who does not pass a health screening or refuses to comply with the provider's infection control protocols; requiring providers to submit their visitation policies to the Agency for Health Care Administration by a specified date for approval, etc. HP 01/13/2022 Fav/CS AHS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0
6	SB 926 Albritton (Similar H 517, Compare H 997, S 1444)	Licensure Examinations for Dental Practitioners; Revising licensure examination requirements for dentists to require applicants to demonstrate certain clinical skills on a manikin rather than a live patient; revising requirements for regional licensure examinations offered by dental schools to dental students; revising licensure examination requirements for dental hygienists to require applicants to demonstrate certain clinical skills on a manikin rather than a live patient; deleting a requirement that applicants for dental practitioner licensure examinations maintain medical malpractice insurance to cover any incident of harm to a patient during the clinical examination, etc. HP 01/13/2022 Fav/CS BI RC	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0

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