## **The Florida Senate**

## **COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA**

## HEALTH POLICY Senator Burton, Chair Senator Harrell, Vice Chair

**MEETING DATE:** Tuesday, February 18, 2025

**TIME:** 1:45—3:45 p.m.

PLACE: Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building

MEMBERS: Senator Burton, Chair; Senator Harrell, Vice Chair; Senators Berman, Calatayud, Davis, Gaetz,

Leek, Osgood, Passidomo, and Trumbull

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 126 Bradley (Similar H 101)	Prescription Hearing Aids; Authorizing the sale and distribution of prescription hearing aids to consumers through the mail if certain conditions are met before the sale, etc.	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
		HP 02/18/2025 Favorable CM RC	
2	SB 152 Davis (Identical H 103)	Protection from Surgical Smoke; Requiring hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers to, by a specified date, adopt and implement policies requiring the use of smoke evacuation systems during certain surgical procedures, etc.  HP 02/18/2025 Favorable	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
		AHS RC	
3	SB 264 Harrell	Step-therapy Protocols; Defining the term "serious mental illness"; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to approve drug products for Medicaid recipients for the treatment of serious mental illness without step-therapy prior authorization under certain circumstances; directing the agency to include rate impacts resulting from the act in certain rates that become effective on a specified date, etc.	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0
		HP 02/18/2025 Favorable AHS FP	

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4	SB 342 Harrell (Identical H 527)	Public Records/Agency for Health Care Administration; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for the personal identifying and location information of certain current or former personnel of the Agency for Health Care Administration and the names and personal identifying and location information of the spouses and children of such personnel; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption; providing a statement of public necessity, etc.  HP 02/18/2025 Favorable GO RC	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0
5	SB 294 Harrell (Similar H 689)	Collaborative Pharmacy Practice for Chronic Health Conditions; Revising the definition of the term "chronic health condition" to exclude specified heart conditions for purposes of collaborative pharmacy practice for chronic health conditions, etc.  HP 02/18/2025 Favorable AHS RC	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0

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