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2021 SENATE PUBLIC HEALTH AND WELFARE COMMITTEE

COMMITTEE ACTION INDEX

3-29-2021

LL NUMBER	SUBJECT	Date of Hearing/ Discussion	Date of Final Action by Full Committee
SB12	Requiring the Kansas department for children and families to implement performance-based contracts.	02/03/21	2/26/21 no action
SB41	Establishing a \$100 maximum out-of-pocket cost-share per month per covered person for prescription insulin drugs.	No action	No action
SB42	Concerning the study and investigation of maternal deaths in the state of Kansas.	No action	No action
SB77	Enacting the audiology and speech-language pathology interstate compact.	02/10/21	2/11/21 BP
SB83	Allowing certain exceptions to the confidentiality of state child death review board documents.	02/02/21	2/09/21 BPA
SB85	Requiring notification to the governor and the legislature of missing foster care youth.	02/02/21	2/09/21 BPA
SB92	Creating the Kansas equal access act to authorize the use of medical marijuana.	No action	No action
SB120	Establishing the joint committee on child welfare system oversight.	02/09/21	2/11/21 BP
SB121	Updating certain provisions of the Kansas dental practice act.	02/17/21	No action
SB129	Providing for the licensure of dental therapists.	02/17/21	No action
SB138	Establishing certification and funding for certified community behavioral health clinics.	02/23/21	Contents as amended moved to Senate Substitute for SB238 2-26-21
SB155	Expanding newborn screening services and increasing transfers from the medical assistance fee fund to the Kansas newborn screening fund.	No action	No action
SB168	Updating certain provisions of the prescription monitoring program act relating to program data, storage and access, increasing the membership of the advisory committee and providing for setup and annual maintenance fees for program data integration	No action	No action
SB170	Making permanent provisions for the advisory committee on trauma and the statewide trauma system regional council to conduct closed meetings and keep privileged records regarding trauma cases.	02/23/21	2/24/21 BP
SB174	Updating scope of practice requirements for advanced practice registered nurses without a supervising physician, imposing requirements therefor and updating certain licensure requirements.	02/18/21	No action
SB175	Enacting the rural emergency hospital act to provide for the licensure of rural emergency hospitals.	02/19/21	02/24/21 BPA
SB200	Expanding the pharmacist's scope of practice to include point-of-care testing for and treatment of certain health conditions.	02/25/21	No action
SB207	Providing additional regulation and restrictions for out-of-state doctors to practice telemedicine in the state of Kansas.	No action	No action

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SB211	Allowing physicians to have patients sign a liability waiver for off-label use of prescription drugs.	No action	Contents of SB211 inserted into HB2208
SB212	Prohibiting the secretary of health and environment from permanently requiring additional immunizations to attend a child care facility or school.	03/22/21	BPA 3/25/21
SB227	Providing dental benefits for medicaid enrollees and making technical updates to the dental practices act.	No action	No action
SB237	Requiring the secretary of health and environment to establish a task force to study and report on uncompensated healthcare.	No action	No action
SB238	Reducing certain requirements for licensure by the behavioral sciences regulatory board, requiring board approval to provide clinical social work supervision and expanding out-of-state temporary permits to practice.	02/24/21	Bill passed as amended Senate Substitute for SB238 2/26/21
SB239	Authorizing the secretary for children and families to request a waiver from certain limitations under the food assistance program.	No action	No action
SB240	Requiring drug rebate revenues associated with medical assistance enrollees to be deposited into the state general fund and monthly reporting thereof.	No action	No action
SB241	Allowing a child placed up for adoption following termination of parental rights to remain eligible for state-provided health insurance.	No action	No action
SB248	Updating certain definitions, referral to specialty services and coordination of care provisions in the Kansas telemedicine act.	No action	No action
SB251	Updating statutes relating to the powers, duties and functions of the state board of pharmacy.	No action	No action
SB274	Amending the scope of practice, discipline by the board, and license renewal procedures for naturopathic doctors.	No action	No action
SB275	Allowing naturopathic doctors to engage in the corporate practice of medicine.	No action	No action
SB276	Providing considerations in family law, adoption, foster care, guardianship and child in need of care proceedings for a parent or prospective parent who is blind.	No action	No action
SB287	Enacting the Kansas medical marijuana regulation act and enacting the Kansas innovative solutions for affordable healthcare act to expand medical assistance eligibility.	No action	No action
SB295	Giving counties the authority to adopt prioritized COVID-19 vaccination plans separate from state guidelines.	03/15/21	BP 3/18/21
SB298	Updates to the controlled substances act.	03/26/21	Contents of SB298 as amended inserted into HB2262, BPA 3/26/21
SB303	Prohibiting boards of county commissioners, boards of trustees or employees from restricting visitors of residents of a county home for the aged or patients in a county hospital and permitting such residents and patients to waive state, city or federal restrictions on right to receive visitors.	03/29/21	Contents of SB303 inserted into HB2062

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HB2062	Providing certain exceptions to the confidentiality of state child death review board documents.	03/16/21	3/18/21 Contents of amended HB2062 put into HB2158 contents of SB303 inserted into HB2062 HB2062 passed as amended 3/29/21
HB2088	Requiring visual observation of an alleged victim of child abuse or neglect as part of an investigation.	No action	No action
HB2114	Establishing the Kansas senior care task force.	03/23/21	BPA 3/25/21
HB2115	Establishing the joint committee on child welfare system oversight.	03/17/21	BPA 3-24-21
HB2116	Exempting the caregiver of a child in state out-of-home placement from the child care assistance 20-hour-per-week work requirement.	03/25/21	BPA 3/25/21
HB2151	Creating Kansas elder and dependent adult abuse multidisciplinary teams and a coordinator.	03/23/21	BPA 3/26/21
HB2158	Making permanent provisions for the advisory committee on trauma and the statewide trauma system regional council to conduct closed meetings and keep privileged records regarding trauma cases.	03/18/21	BPA 3/18/21
HB2208	Authorizing telemedicine waivers for out-of-state healthcare providers, reducing certain requirements for licensure by the behavioral sciences regulatory board and expanding out-of-state temporary permits to practice behavioral sciences professions	No action	No action
HB2209	Enacting the psychology interjurisdictional compact to provide for interjurisdictional authorization to practice telepsychology and temporary in-person, face-to-face psychology.	03/24/21	BPA 3/26/21
HB2224	Expanding the definition of "infectious disease" in certain statutes related to crimes in which bodily fluids may have been transmitted from one person to another.	03/25/21	BPA 3/25/21
HB2234	Requiring medical directors of emergency medical services to provide medical oversight of such services and emergency medical service providers.	03/18/21	BPA 3/18/21
HB2254	Increasing the monetary cap on irrevocable prearranged funeral agreements to \$10,000.	03/10/21	BPA 3/16/21
HB2259	Permitting the use of expedited partner therapy to treat a sexually transmitted disease.	No action	No action
HB2262	Eliminating the requirement to provide a permit to cremate in certain circumstances and authorizing electronic permits to cremate.	03/10/21	Contents of HB2262 put into HB2254 Contesnts of SB298 inserted into HB2262 3-26-21
HB2279	Enacting the physical therapy licensure compact and authorizing criminal history record checks.	03/24/21	BPA 3/24/21 Reconsidered, Amended, BPA 3/25/21
HB2280	Updating statutes relating to the powers, duties and functions of the state board of pharmacy.	03/26/21	BPAA 3/29/21

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ERO47	Renaming the Kansas department for children and families the Kansas department of human services and abolishing the Kansas department for aging and disability services and transferring the functions to the Kansas department of human services.	02/11/21	No action

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CONFIRMATIONS:

APPOINTMENTS: *Member, University of Kansas Hospital Authority*

David Dillon, term ends March 15, 2025. (Hearing and action by committee 2-10-2021)

Kevin Lockett, term ends March 15, 2023 (Hearing and action by committee 2-11-2021)

Mark Uhlig, term ends March 15, 2024 (Hearing and action by committee 3-29-2021)

Ombudsman, State Long Term Care Ombudsman

Camille Russell, Term ends March 15, 2024 (Hearing and action by committee 2-9-2021)

Medicaid Inspector General

Steven Anderson, Term ends January 15, 2025 (Hearing and action by committee 3-29-2021)

BUDGET PRESENTATIONS:

Kansas Guardianship Program, Presentation 2/4/2021, Recommendation 2/9/2021

Commission on Veterans' Affairs Office/Soldiers Home/Veterans Home, Presentation 2/4/2021, Recommendation 2/9/2021