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HB 1421	Independent Hospital Districts	Fine	Independent Hospital Districts: providing requirements for the conversion of an independent hospital district to a nonprofit entity; requiring that the final report be published on the district's website; authorizing the governing body of the independent hospital district to approve by supermajority vote the conversion of the district to a nonprofit entity; requiring independent hospital districts to conduct an evaluation for certain purposes; etc. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Local Administration, Federal Affairs & Special Districts Subcommittee House Select Committee on Health Innovation House State Affairs Committee	03/01/2024 HOUSE Engrossed Text (E1) Filed	Similar SB 1700 (DiCeglie) - 01/11/2024 SENATE Referred to Community Affairs; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Rules
SB 0938	Dentistry	Yarborough	Dentistry; Deleting the role of the Board of Dentistry in the administration of the licensure examination for dentists; deleting the requirement for the board to establish an examination fee; revising requirements for licensure as a dentist; deleting a time limitation on the validity of certain licensure examination results; deleting a board-imposed reexamination fee, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Health Policy Senate Fiscal Policy Senate Rules	03/01/2024 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 03/04/24	Identical HB 0547 (Altman) - 02/22/2024 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading
HB 7089	Health Care Expenses	Health & Human Services Committee	Health Care Expenses: Establishes 3-year statute of limitations for action to collect medical debt for services; provides personal property exemptions from legal process for medical debts; requires licensed facility to post on its website consumer-friendly list of standard charges; requires licensed facility to provide estimate to patient & patient's insurer; requires licensed facility to establish internal grievance process for patients to dispute charges; prohibits collection activities by licensed facility; requires health insurer to provide insured with advanced explanation of benefits for scheduled services; provides shared savings incentive offered by health insurer or HMO constitutes medical expense for rate development & rate filing purposes. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	No committees referenced	03/01/2024 HOUSE Engrossed Text (E1) Filed	Similar SB 1502 (Collins) - 01/05/2024 SENATE Withdrawn prior to introduction SB 1640 (Collins) - 02/28/2024 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed

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HB 1273	Reciprocity or Endorsement of Licensure	Plasencia	Reciprocity or Endorsement of Licensure: Provides requirements for applicable board or DBPR relating to licensure by reciprocity & by endorsement; requires respective boards of occupations or DBPR to allow licensure by endorsement if applicant meets certain criteria; requires applicable health care regulatory boards or DOH to issue license or certificate to applicants who meet specified conditions; revises licensure by endorsement requirements for practice of acupuncture, medicine, professional or practical nursing, certified nursing assistants, pharmacy, midwifery, speech-language pathology & audiology, nursing home administration, dietetics & nutrition, electrology, massage therapy, opticianry, physical therapy, physical therapist assistantship, psychology & school psychology, & clinical social work, marriage & family therapy, & mental health counseling. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Regulatory Reform & Economic Development Subcommittee House Commerce Committee	03/01/2024 HOUSE Temporarily Postponed on Second Reading	Compare HB 1381 (Alvarez) - 01/13/2024 HOUSE Now in Commerce Committee HB 1549 (Grant) - 02/21/2024 HOUSE Read Second Time; Substituted for SB 7016; Laid on Table, Refer to SB 7016 Similar SB 1600 (Collins) - 03/01/2024 HOUSE In Messages
SB 1188	Office Surgeries	Garcia (I)	Office Surgeries; Revising the types of procedures for which a medical office must register with the Department of Health to perform office surgeries; requiring that each office, as a condition of registration, list certain medical personnel and thereafter notify the department of the addition or termination of such personnel within a specified timeframe; specifying general requirements for office surgeries; specifying standards of practice for office surgeries, delineated by the level of surgery being performed, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law	Senate Health Policy Senate Fiscal Policy	03/01/2024 SENATE Retained on Special Order Calendar	Compare HB 1561 (Busatta Cabrera) - 03/01/2024 SENATE Received; Referred to Fiscal Policy
HB 0227	Intravenous Vitamin Treatment	Garcia (A)	Intravenous Vitamin Treatment: Provides requirements for persons administering intravenous vitamin treatment; requires Board of Nursing, Board of Medicine & Board of Osteopathic Medicine to adopt rules establishing procedures to administer intravenous vitamin treatment & emergency protocols; provides exemption for certain licensed facilities. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee	03/01/2024 HOUSE Read Second Time; Placed on Third Reading, 03/04/24	Similar SB 0672 (Calatayud) - 12/13/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy
HB 1561	Office Surgeries	Busatta Cabrera	Office Surgeries: Establishes financial responsibility requirements for physicians performing gluteal fat grafting procedures in office surgery settings; revises standards of practice for office surgeries & procedures. Effective Date: upon becoming a law	House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee	03/01/2024 SENATE Received; Referred to Fiscal Policy	Compare SB 1188 (Garcia (I)) - 03/01/2024 SENATE Retained on Special Order Calendar

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SB 0056	Coverage for Skin Cancer Screenings	Harrell	Coverage for Skin Cancer Screenings; Requiring the Department of Management Services to provide coverage and payment through state employee group health insurance contracts for certain annual skin cancer screenings, without imposing a cost-sharing requirement; specifying a requirement for and a restriction on payments for such screenings, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Banking and Insurance Senate Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government Senate Appropriations	03/01/2024 SENATE Read Second Time; Substituted for HB 0241; Laid on Table, Refer to HB 0241	Similar HB 0241 (Massullo, MD) - 03/01/2024 HOUSE Ordered enrolled
SB 1582	Department of Health	Rodriguez	Department of Health; Exempting environmental health technicians from certain certification requirements under certain circumstances; creating the Andrew John Anderson Pediatric Rare Disease Grant Program within the department for a specified purpose; providing that any health care practitioner present at a birth or responsible for primary care during the neonatal period has the primary responsibility of administering certain screenings; revising hearing loss screening requirements to include infants and toddlers; requiring the department to grant certain applicants 90 days to cure deficiencies with their medical marijuana treatment center license applications pursuant to a specified errors and omissions process, etc. Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act and except for this section, which shall take effect upon this act becoming a law, this act shall take effect July 1, 2024	Senate Health Policy Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy	03/01/2024 HOUSE In Messages	Compare SB 1300 (Davis) - 01/10/2024 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules HB 1441 (Anderson) - 02/26/2024 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading HB 1497 (Williams) - 01/13/2024 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee SB 7070 (Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services) - 02/27/2024 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading SB 7072 (Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services) - 02/29/2024 HOUSE In Messages HB 7085 (Health & Human Services Committee) - 02/28/2024 SENATE Received; Referred to Appropriations

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HB 0975	Background Screenings and Certifications	Trabulsy	Background Screenings and Certifications: Provides qualifications for person seeking certification as person with lived experience; requires continuum of care lead agencies to submit certain information to DCF for purposes of background screening; expands certain background screening requirements to apply to all health care practitioners; revises licensure, registration, or certification requirements for acupuncturists; optometrists; pharmacists; dentists; midwives; speech-language pathologists & audiologists; nursing home administrators; occupational therapists; respiratory therapists; dietitian/nutritionists; practitioners of orthotics, prosthetics, or pedorthics; electrologists; clinical laboratory personnel; medical physicists; genetic counselors; opticians; physical therapists; psychologists & school psychologists; clinical social workers, marriage & family therapists, & mental health counselors. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee	02/29/2024 SENATE Received; Referred to Fiscal Policy	Compare SB 0558 (Rouson) - 03/01/2024 SENATE Retained on Special Order Calendar HB 0563 (Campbell) - 02/13/2024 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee HB 1549 (Grant) - 02/21/2024 HOUSE Read Second Time; Substituted for SB 7016; Laid on Table, Refer to SB 7016 SB 7016 (Health Policy) - 02/22/2024 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed Similar SB 1008 (Grall) - 02/15/2024 SENATE Now in Fiscal Policy
HB 0309	Rural Emergency Hospitals	Shoaf	Rural Emergency Hospitals: Requires rural emergency hospitals to be subject to certain emergency services requirements for general hospitals; authorizes certain hospitals to apply to AHCA for designation as rural emergency hospitals; establishes requirements for rural emergency hospitals; exempts such hospitals from certain requirements; provides for administrative enforcement. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Select Committee on Health Innovation House Health & Human Services Committee	02/29/2024 HOUSE Temporarily Postponed on Second Reading	Similar SB 0644 (Simon) - 02/28/2024 HOUSE Bill referred to House Calendar
SB 0644	Rural Emergency Hospitals	Simon	Rural Emergency Hospitals; Subjecting rural emergency hospitals to certain requirements for the provision of emergency services and care; defining the terms "rural emergency hospital" and "rural emergency services"; authorizing qualifying hospitals to apply to the Agency for Health Care Administration for designation as a rural emergency hospital, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Health Policy Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy	02/28/2024 HOUSE Bill referred to House Calendar	Similar HB 0309 (Shoaf) - 02/29/2024 HOUSE Temporarily Postponed on Second Reading

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SB 1640	Payments for Health Care Services	Collins	Payments for Health Care Services; Establishing a 3-year statute of limitations for an action to collect medical debt for services rendered by certain health care facilities; providing additional personal property exemptions from legal process for medical debts resulting from services provided in certain licensed facilities; requiring certain licensed facilities to post on their respective websites a consumer-friendly list of standard charges for a minimum number of shoppable health care services, etc. Effective Date: 10/1/2024	Senate Banking and Insurance Senate Fiscal Policy (Current Reference)	02/28/2024 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed	Similar SB 1502 (Collins) - 01/05/2024 SENATE Withdrawn prior to introduction HB 7089 (Health & Human Services Committee) - 03/01/2024 HOUSE Engrossed Text (E1) Filed
SB 0106	Acceptance of Cash Payments by Businesses	Jones	Acceptance of Cash Payments by Businesses; Requiring certain businesses to accept cash payments for certain transactions; authorizing a business to satisfy such requirements by placing a cash-to-card kiosk at the business location for customers to make payments; prohibiting such businesses from charging a fee or placing conditions on acceptance of such cash payments, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Commerce and Tourism Senate Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government Senate Fiscal Policy (Current Reference)	02/27/2024 SENATE Temporarily Postponed by Fiscal Policy	Similar HB 0035 (Rudman) - 10/05/2023 HOUSE Now in Insurance & Banking Subcommittee
HB 0161	Payments for Health Care Providers and Surgical Procedures under Workers' Compensation	Daley	Payments for Health Care Providers and Surgical Procedures under Workers' Compensation: Increases maximum amounts of certain witness fees related to workers' compensation cases; increases maximum reimbursements for physicians & surgical procedures under workers' compensation; provides effective date. Effective Date: January 1, 2025	House Insurance & Banking Subcommittee House State Administration & Technology Appropriations Subcommittee House Commerce Committee	02/26/2024 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading	Similar SB 0362 (Bradley) - 03/01/2024 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 03/04/24
HB 1441	Department of Health	Anderson	Department of Health: Creates Andrew John Anderson Pediatric Rare Disease Grant Program within DOH; requires program to award grants for certain scientific & clinical research; specifies entities eligible to apply for grants; specifies types of applications that may be considered for grant funding; provides for competitive, peer-reviewed application & selection process. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee	02/26/2024 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading	Compare SB 1582 (Rodriguez) - 03/01/2024 HOUSE In Messages
HHS2	Health Care Expenses	Health & Human Services Committee	PCB HHS 24-02 – Health Care Expenses	House Health & Human Services Committee (Current Reference)	02/23/2024 HOUSE Committee Bill Text Filed as HB 7089	

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HB 0855	Dental Services	McClure	Dental Services: Requires dentists & certain partnerships, or corporations to designate with board dentist of record & provide information to certain patients; requires any individual, partnership, or corporation that provides dental services through telehealth to make available specified information; defines term "advertisement"; requires advertisements of dental services provided through telehealth to include specified disclaimer; provides requirements for initial examination for orthodontic appliances; defines "in-person examination." Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee	02/23/2024 SENATE Received; Referred to Fiscal Policy	Similar SB 0302 (Boyd) - 02/29/2024 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 03/04/24
SB 7018	Health Care Innovation	Health Policy	Health Care Innovation; Creating the Health Care Innovation Council within the Department of Health for a specified purpose; requiring the council to submit annual reports to the Governor and the Legislature; requiring the department to administer a revolving loan program for applicants seeking to implement certain health care innovations in this state; authorizing the department to contract with a third party to administer the program, including loan servicing, and manage the revolving loan fund, etc. APPROPRIATION: Indeterminate Effective Date: Upon becoming a law	Senate Health Policy Senate Fiscal Policy	02/22/2024 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed	Similar HB 1501 (Gonzalez Pittman) - 02/21/2024 HOUSE Read Second Time; Substituted for SB 7018; Laid on Table, Refer to SB 7018

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SB 7016	Health Care	Health Policy	Health Care; Revising the purpose of the Dental Student Loan Repayment Program; requiring the Department of Health to implement the Dr. and Mrs. Alfonse and Kathleen Cinotti Health Care Screening and Services Grant Program for a specified purpose; providing requirements for birth centers designated as advanced birth centers with respect to operating procedures, staffing, and equipment; requiring advanced birth centers to enter into a written agreement with a blood bank for emergency blood bank services; authorizing certain psychiatric nurses to order emergency treatment of certain patients; creating the Training, Education, and Clinicals in Health (TEACH) Funding Program for a specified purpose; enacting the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact in this state, etc. APPROPRIATION: \$717,105,294 Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act, this act shall take effect upon becoming a law	Senate Health Policy Senate Fiscal Policy	02/22/2024 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed	Compare SB 0668 (Rodriguez) - 12/13/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy HB 0877 (Overdorf) - 01/18/2024 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee HB 0975 (Trabulsky) - 02/29/2024 SENATE Received; Referred to Fiscal Policy SB 1008 (Grall) - 02/15/2024 SENATE Now in Fiscal Policy SB 1498 (Wright) - 01/10/2024 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy HB 1549 (Grant) - 02/21/2024 HOUSE Read Second Time; Substituted for SB 7016; Laid on Table, Refer to SB 7016 SB 2518 (Appropriations) - 02/26/2024 HOUSE Bill placed in Conference (Appropriations Conference Committee/Appropriations); Conference Committee appointed Linked SB 0322 (Burton) - 02/22/2024 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed
HB 1295	Health Care Practitioner Titles and Abbreviations	Massullo, MD	Health Care Practitioner Titles and Abbreviations: Specifies which titles & abbreviations health care practitioners may use in their advertisements, communications, & personal identification; prohibits health care practitioners from using deceptive or misleading terms or false representations in their advertisements; requires certain health care practitioners to prominently display copy of their license in conspicuous area of their practices; provides for denial of licensure & disciplinary action. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee	02/22/2024 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading	Similar SB 1112 (Harrell) - 02/15/2024 HOUSE In Messages

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HB 1549	Health Care	Grant	Health Care: Revises provisions relating to medical education, public health, health care practitioners, & health care facilities to allow more access to health care services; creates the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact, the Practice of Audiology & Speech-language Pathology Compact, & the Physical Therapy Interstate Compact. Effective Date: upon becoming a law	House Select Committee on Health Innovation House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee	02/21/2024 HOUSE Read Second Time; Substituted for SB 7016; Laid on Table, Refer to SB 7016	Compare SB 0322 (Burton) - 02/22/2024 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed SB 0668 (Rodriguez) - 12/13/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy HB 0877 (Overdorf) - 01/18/2024 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee HB 0975 (Trabulsky) - 02/29/2024 SENATE Received; Referred to Fiscal Policy SB 1008 (Grall) - 02/15/2024 SENATE Now in Fiscal Policy HB 1273 (Plasencia) - 03/01/2024 HOUSE Temporarily Postponed on Second Reading SB 1498 (Wright) - 01/10/2024 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy SB 1502 (Collins) - 01/05/2024 SENATE Withdrawn prior to introduction SB 2518 (Appropriations) - 02/26/2024 HOUSE Bill placed in Conference (Appropriations Conference Committee/Appropriations); Conference Committee appointed SB 7016 (Health Policy) - 02/22/2024 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed Linked HB 7041 (Select Committee on Health Innovation) - 02/21/2024 HOUSE Read Second Time; Substituted for SB 0322; Laid on Table, Refer to SB 0322
HB 1501	Health Care Innovation	Gonzalez Pittman	Health Care Innovation: Creates Health Care Innovation Council within DOH for specified purpose; requires council to submit annual reports to Governor & Legislature; requires department to administer revolving loan program for applicants seeking to implement certain health care innovations in this state; authorizes department to contract with third party to administer program, including loan servicing, & manage revolving loan fund. Effective Date: upon becoming a law	House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee	02/21/2024 HOUSE Read Second Time; Substituted for SB 7018; Laid on Table, Refer to SB 7018	Similar SB 7018 (Health Policy) - 02/22/2024 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed
HB 0935	Home Health Care Services	Franklin II	Home Health Care Services: Authorizes advanced practice registered nurses & physician assistants to order or write prescriptions for certain Medicaid services. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Select Committee on Health Innovation House Health & Human Services Committee Senate Fiscal Policy (Current Reference)	02/16/2024 SENATE Received; Referred to Fiscal Policy	Identical SB 1798 (Trumbull) - 03/01/2024 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar, 03/05/24

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HB 0063	Protection from Surgical Smoke	Woodson	Protection from Surgical Smoke: Requiring hospitals & ambulatory surgical centers to adopt & implement policies requiring use of smoke evacuation systems during certain surgical procedures. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Select Committee on Health Innovation House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee	02/16/2024 SENATE Received; Referred to Fiscal Policy	Identical SB 0410 (Garcia (I)) - 01/16/2024 SENATE Now in Fiscal Policy
SB 1112	Health Care Practitioner Titles and Designations	Harrell	Health Care Practitioner Titles and Designations; Providing that, for specified purposes, the use of specified titles or designations in connection with one's name constitutes the practice of medicine or the practice of osteopathic medicine; revising grounds for disciplinary action relating to a practitioner's use of such titles or designations in identifying himself or herself to patients or in advertisements for health care services; requiring certain health care practitioners to prominently display a copy of their license in a conspicuous area of their practice, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Health Policy Senate Rules	02/15/2024 HOUSE In Messages	Similar HB 1295 (Massullo, MD) - 02/22/2024 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading
SB 1118	Nursing Education Programs	Harrell	Nursing Education Programs; Revising application requirements for nursing education program approval; revising requirements for annual reports approved programs are required to submit to the board; authorizing agents of the Department of Health to conduct onsite evaluations and inspections of approved and accredited nursing education programs; deleting a provision authorizing approved nursing education programs to request an extension to meet the board's accreditation requirements, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Health Policy Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Rules (Current Reference)	02/14/2024 SENATE Now in Rules	Similar HB 1069 (Roth) - 01/09/2024 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee
SB 0458	Invalid Restrictive Covenants in Health Care	Brodeur	Invalid Restrictive Covenants in Health Care; Specifying that certain restrictive covenants in employment agreements relating to certain licensed physicians are not supported by a legitimate business interest; specifying that such restrictive covenants are void and unenforceable, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Health Policy Senate Commerce and Tourism Senate Rules (Current Reference)	02/08/2024 SENATE Now in Rules	Compare HB 0011 (Rudman) - 10/05/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee
HB 0659	Health Plans	Abbott	Health Plans: Prohibits health plans from declining to participate in filed claims; provides defaults against health plans for failure to respond; requires health plans to pay providers amounts provided in claim dispute orders under certain circumstances; requires prescription drug benefits-ID cards & health insurance & HMO ID cards to include specified information. Effective Date: January 1, 2025	House Select Committee on Health Innovation House Insurance & Banking Subcommittee House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Health & Human Services Committee	01/26/2024 HOUSE Now in Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee	Similar SB 0584 (Harrell) - 12/05/2023 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Appropriations

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HB 0677	Organ Donation	Berfield	Organ Donation: Provides administrative leave for certain employees; requires certain locations to display information about organ donation & registration; requires courses include information about organ donation; requires link to statewide organ donation registry be included on specified websites; prohibits insurance policies from limiting or excluding coverage for living organ donors. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Health & Human Services Committee House Infrastructure Strategies Committee (Current Reference)	01/24/2024 HOUSE Now in Infrastructure Strategies Committee	Compare SB 0646 (Harrell) - 12/13/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Finance and Tax; Appropriations
SB 0248	Medical Negligence	Yarborough	Medical Negligence; Revising the limits on noneconomic damages for personal injury or wrongful death arising from medical negligence; deleting a provision that prohibits adult children and parents of adult children from recovering certain damages in medical negligence suits; requiring that medical malpractice insurer rate filings reflect certain changes in costs and expenses; requiring the Office of Insurance Regulation to consider such changes in its review of rate filings, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Judiciary Senate Fiscal Policy (Current Reference) Senate Rules	01/24/2024 SENATE Now in Fiscal Policy	Compare HB 0077 (Roach) - 10/05/2023 HOUSE Now in Civil Justice Subcommittee HB 0129 (Lopez (J)) - 10/17/2023 HOUSE Now in Civil Justice Subcommittee SB 0310 (Martin) - 11/15/2023 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules SB 0442 (Book) - 11/28/2023 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules

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HB 1431	International Drug Reference Pricing	Fine	International Drug Reference Pricing: Requires prescription drug manufacturer permit holders to annually report certain international price data to AHCA; provides for administrative enforcement via specified fine & permit suspension; requires AHCA to contract with entity to designate reference price source countries & establish reference prices for prescription drugs based on certain criteria; requires agency contractor to weigh reference price benchmark value of such countries in two or more tiers, using specified criteria; requires agency contractor to analyze specified data to compare prices among source countries using specified exchange rate source; requires agency contractor to establish reference price for prescribed drugs or products; requires agency contractor to provide reference prices by specified date each year; requires AHCA to publish prices online within specified time; requires pharmacies to charge no more than reference price for cash-paying patients; requires certain health insurers to provide reimbursement for certain prescription drugs no higher than reference price; requires health insurers to use certain savings to offset certain payer costs; requires each health insurer to document anticipated savings & premium reductions in rate filings following availability of reference prices; requires each health insurer to assess actuarial effect of reference pricing program for each insurer product for each plan year; requires each health insurer to submit annual report on assessed effect of such program to OIR or AHCA; requires OIR & AHCA to submit joint report to Governor & Legislature; requires every health maintenance organization to comply with provisions of specified section. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Select Committee on Health Innovation House Appropriations Committee (Current Reference) House Health & Human Services Committee	01/23/2024 HOUSE Now in Appropriations Committee	Similar SB 1750 (Gruters) - 01/11/2024 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy
HB 0877	Electronic Health Records	Overdorf	Electronic Health Records: Requires certain hospitals to make patient's electronic health records available through a specified network directly or through a third-party vendor; requires hospitals & pharmacies to make available specified information for certain purpose. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Select Committee on Health Innovation House Health & Human Services Committee (Current Reference)	01/18/2024 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee	Compare HB 1549 (Grant) - 02/21/2024 HOUSE Read Second Time; Substituted for SB 7016; Laid on Table, Refer to SB 7016 SB 7016 (Health Policy) - 02/22/2024 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed Similar SB 0668 (Rodriguez) - 12/13/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy

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HB 0771	Autonomous Practice for Certified Psychiatric Nurses	Barnaby	Autonomous Practice for Certified Psychiatric Nurses: Authorizes advanced practice registered nurse who is certified as psychiatric nurse practitioner to engage in autonomous practice under certain circumstances. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Health & Human Services Committee	01/17/2024 HOUSE Temporarily Postponed by Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee	Similar SB 0936 (Rodriguez) - 01/04/2024 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules
HB 0257	Autonomous Practice by a Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist	Giallombardo	Autonomous Practice by a Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist: Revises staff membership & clinical privileges for certified registered nurse anesthetists; authorizes certified registered nurse anesthetists to perform specified acts; revises practice requirements for an autonomous advanced practice registered nurse & for certified nurse midwives; authorizes autonomous advanced practice registered nurse to perform certain acts; provides for expiration of Council on Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Autonomous Practice; authorizes certain advanced practice registered nurses to participate in Medical Education Reimbursement & Loan Repayment Program. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee	01/17/2024 HOUSE Temporarily Postponed by Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee	Similar SB 0810 (Ingoglia) - 01/04/2024 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules
SB 0410	Protection from Surgical Smoke	Garcia (I)	Protection from Surgical Smoke; Defining the terms "smoke evacuation system" and "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. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Health Policy Senate Fiscal Policy (Current Reference) Senate Rules	01/16/2024 SENATE Now in Fiscal Policy	Identical HB 0063 (Woodson) - 02/16/2024 SENATE Received; Referred to Fiscal Policy
HB 1535	Public Health Mandates and Policies	Plakon	Public Health Mandates and Policies: Prohibits DOH from requiring enrollment in state's immunization registry or otherwise requiring persons to submit to immunizations or immunization tracking; prohibits government entity or educational entity from adopting, implementing, or enforcing specified international public health policies or guidelines unless specifically approved by the Legislature; prohibits the department from requiring, as a school-entry requirement, that children receive immunizations approved only for emergency use unless specifically approved by the Legislature. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Health & Human Services Committee	01/13/2024 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee	Compare SB 0680 (Gruters) - 12/13/2023 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Health Policy; Rules

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HB 1515	Liens for Professional Services of Physicians	Holcomb	Liens for Professional Services of Physicians: Provides physician has lien for amount due for professional services; provides requirements for such lien; limits liability of certain persons; provides certain evidence is admissible at trial; specifies how funds are to be disbursed if there are multiple liens; prohibits instructions for disbursement of funds; requires specified accounting & certification to be given to lienholder; provides requirements for such certification; requires disputes to be settled before funds may be disbursed; prohibits certain liens; provides for attorney fees, costs, enforcement, & preemption. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Civil Justice Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee House Judiciary Committee	01/13/2024 HOUSE Now in Civil Justice Subcommittee	Compare SB 1592 (Berman) - 01/10/2024 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Banking and Insurance; Rules
HB 1481	Taxes, Licenses, and Fees	Beltran	Taxes, Licenses, and Fees: Revising provisions related to indigent care & trauma center surtax, fees for certificates of title, license taxes, voluntary contributions, International Registration Plans, fees for driver licenses & identification cards, driver license endorsements, citrus assessments, recreational licenses & permits, court costs for criminal offenses, state park fees, fees & costs for certain firearm licenses, & tax extensions. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Ways & Means Committee (Current Reference) House Appropriations Committee	01/13/2024 HOUSE Now in Ways & Means Committee	Compare HB 1619 (Beltran) - 01/13/2024 HOUSE Now in Criminal Justice Subcommittee SB 1770 (Gruters) - 01/31/2024 Bill to be Discussed During the Office of EDR's Revenue Estimating Impact Conference, 02/02/24 9:00 am, 117 K (No Votes Will Be Taken) HB 7073 (Ways & Means Committee) - 03/01/2024 SENATE Received; Referred to Appropriations SB 7074 (Finance and Tax) - 02/29/2024 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed Similar SB 1678 (Gruters) - 01/11/2024 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Appropriations

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HB 1475	Health Care Services	Berfield	Health Care Services: Provides requirements related to utilization review entities authorization process for accepting electronic prior authorization; provides requirements related to payment adjudicators; authorizes OIR to investigate & take appropriate actions; authorizes provider to bring private cause of action; revises requirements of insurer contracts; revises requirements for health insurers submitting claims electronically & nonelectronically; removes prohibition against waiving, voiding, or nullifying certain provisions by contract; prohibits health insurer from retrospectively denying claim; revises procedures for investigation of claims of improper billing; prohibits insurer from requiring information from provider before provision of emergency services & care. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Select Committee on Health Innovation (Current Reference) House Insurance & Banking Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee	01/13/2024 HOUSE Now in Select Committee on Health Innovation	Identical SB 1574 (Jones) - 01/10/2024 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules

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HB 1381	Interstate Mobility	Alvarez	Interstate Mobility: Requires respective boards of occupations, or DBPR if there is no board, to allow licensure by endorsement if applicant meets certain criteria; requires applicants of professions that require fingerprints for criminal history checks to submit such fingerprints before board or DBPR issues license by endorsement; requires that costs associated with fingerprint processing be borne by applicant; if fingerprints are submitted through authorized agency or vendor, requiring such agency or vendor to collect processing fees & remit them to FDLE; requires applicable health care regulatory boards, or DOH if there is no board, to issue license or certificate to applicants who meet specified conditions; requires DOH to verify certain information using National Practitioner Data Bank; specifies circumstances under which person is ineligible for license; authorizes boards or DOH to revoke license upon specified finding; authorizes boards or DOH to require that applicants successfully complete jurisprudential examination; requires DOH to submit annual report to Governor & Legislature by specified date; revises licensure by endorsement requirements for practice of acupuncture, medicine, professional or practical nursing, pharmacy, midwifery, speech-language pathology & audiology, nursing home administration, occupational therapy, radiology, respiratory therapy, dietetics & nutrition, electrology, massage therapy, opticianry, physical therapy, physical therapist assistantship, psychology & school psychology, & clinical social work, marriage & family therapy, & mental health counseling, respectively; authorizes boards & DOH to continue processing applications for licensure by endorsement, as authorized under Florida Statutes (2023), for specified timeframe. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Commerce Committee (Current Reference) House Appropriations Committee House Health & Human Services Committee	01/13/2024 HOUSE Now in Commerce Committee	Compare HB 1273 (Plasencia) - 03/01/2024 HOUSE Temporarily Postponed on Second Reading SB 1600 (Collins) - 03/01/2024 HOUSE In Messages
HB 1321	Formal Supervisory Relationships	Franklin II	Formal Supervisory Relationships: Exempts certain medical offices from specified supervisory relationship requirements under certain circumstances; provides that supervising physician is not required to be physically present while supervising provision of laser hair removal services by certain health care practitioners; defines term "laser hair removal." Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Health & Human Services Committee	01/13/2024 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee	Similar SB 1328 (Rodriguez) - 01/10/2024 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules

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SB 0568	Coverage for Out-of-network Ground Ambulance Emergency Services	Hooper	Coverage for Out-of-network Ground Ambulance Emergency Services; Defining the terms “ambulance service provider” and “nonparticipating ambulance service provider”; requiring certain health insurers to reimburse nonparticipating ambulance service providers at a specified rate for providing ground ambulance services; prohibiting certain cost-sharing responsibilities paid from exceeding a certain amount; requiring certain health maintenance contracts to require a health maintenance organization to reimburse out-of-network ambulance service providers at a specified rate for providing covered services, etc. Effective Date: 1/1/2025	Senate Banking and Insurance Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Rules	01/12/2024 SENATE Now in Health Policy	Similar HB 0639 (Yeager) - 02/14/2024 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee
SB 1412	Graduate Medical Education Program Performance Data	Davis	Graduate Medical Education Program Performance Data; Requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration, by a specified date, to develop and implement a methodology for collecting performance data from graduate medical education programs seeking or receiving public funding under the Statewide Medicaid Residency Program; specifying minimum requirements for the performance data; requiring the agency to establish certain minimum performance measurements for graduate medical programs receiving funding under the program, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy	01/10/2024 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy	
SB 1328	Formal Supervisory Relationships	Rodriguez	Formal Supervisory Relationships; Exempting certain medical offices from specified supervisory relationship requirements under certain circumstances; providing that a supervising physician is not required to be physically present while supervising the provision of laser hair removal services by certain health care practitioners, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Rules	01/10/2024 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules	Similar HB 1321 (Franklin II) - 01/13/2024 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee

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HB 1069	Nursing Education Programs	Roth	Nursing Education Programs: Revises application requirements for nursing education programs; requires, rather than authorizes, certain degree requirements to be documented in specified manner; requires each program director to submit annual report & written remediation plan to Board of Nursing; requires board to deny application under certain circumstances; authorizes board to revoke approval of specified existing programs; requires board to terminate program under certain circumstances; authorizes certain DOH agents & employees to conduct onsite evaluations & inspections; authorizes DOH to collect evidence; revises rulemaking authority; removes provisions authorizing extension of program's probationary status. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee	01/09/2024 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee	Similar SB 1118 (Harrell) - 02/14/2024 SENATE Now in Rules
SB 1108	Clinical Laboratory Personnel	Rodriguez	Clinical Laboratory Personnel; Deleting requirements that the Department of Health conduct examinations for clinical laboratory personnel licensure and register clinical laboratory trainees; deleting the requirement that the Board of Clinical Laboratory Personnel approve training curricula for licensure of clinical laboratory personnel; requiring that applicants for licensure as a technologist or technician who meet specified criteria be deemed to have satisfied minimum qualifications for licensure, as applicable, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Rules	01/08/2024 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules	Identical HB 1313 (Chamberlin) - 02/13/2024 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee
SB 1502	Health Care Expenses	Collins	Health Care Expenses; Establishing a 3-year statute of limitations for an action to collect medical debt for services rendered by a health care provider or facility; providing additional personal property exemptions from legal process for medical debts resulting from services provided in certain licensed facilities; requiring a licensed facility to post on its website a consumer-friendly list of standard charges for a minimum number of shoppable health care services; prohibiting certain collection activities by a licensed facility, etc. Effective Date: 10/1/2024	No committees referenced	01/05/2024 SENATE Withdrawn prior to introduction	Compare HB 1549 (Grant) - 02/21/2024 HOUSE Read Second Time; Substituted for SB 7016; Laid on Table, Refer to SB 7016 Similar SB 1640 (Collins) - 02/28/2024 SENATE Committee Substitute Text (C1) Filed HB 7089 (Health & Human Services Committee) - 03/01/2024 HOUSE Engrossed Text (E1) Filed

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SB 1076	Central Service Technician Services	Calatayud	Central Service Technician Services; Defining the terms "central service technician" and "health care practitioner"; authorizing licensed hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers to employ or otherwise retain the services of a central service technician only if he or she meets specified criteria; requiring hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers to, upon the written request of a central service technician, verify in writing the technician's dates of employment or contract period with the facility, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Community Affairs Senate Rules	01/04/2024 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Community Affairs; Rules	
SB 0936	Autonomous Practice of Certain Psychiatric Nurses	Rodriguez	Autonomous Practice of Certain Psychiatric Nurses; Authorizing certain advanced practice registered nurses who are psychiatric nurses to engage in autonomous practice in mental health practice, as defined by rule of the Board of Nursing, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Rules	01/04/2024 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules	Similar HB 0771 (Barnaby) - 01/17/2024 HOUSE Temporarily Postponed by Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee
SB 0952	Health Care Transparency	Harrell	Health Care Transparency; Requiring licensed nursing home facilities to report to the Agency for Health Care Administration any common ownership relationships they or their parent companies share with certain entities; requiring the agency to work with stakeholders to determine how to present such information on an easily accessible online dashboard; requiring the agency to submit annual reports on the success of the personal care attendant program to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law	Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Appropriations	01/04/2024 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations	Similar HB 0891 (Giallombardo) - 02/15/2024 HOUSE Placed on Calendar, on 2nd reading
SB 0828	Coverage for Orthotics and Prosthetics Services	Collins	Coverage for Orthotics and Prosthetics Services; Authorizing the Agency for Health Care Administration to pay for specified orthotics and prosthetics services for Medicaid recipients; requiring individual health insurance policies, group, blanket, and franchise health insurance policies, and health maintenance contracts, respectively, to provide coverage for specified orthotics and prosthetics services; prohibiting health insurers and health maintenance organizations from denying claims under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Banking and Insurance (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy	01/04/2024 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy	Identical HB 1003 (Bell) - 01/08/2024 HOUSE Now in Select Committee on Health Innovation

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SB 0810	Autonomous Practice by Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	Ingoglia	Autonomous Practice by Advanced Practice Registered Nurses; Exempting certain certified advanced practice registered nurses from specified medical direction requirements for clinical privileges in hospitals; revising the functions that certain certified registered nurse anesthetists may perform without an established protocol; revising the scope of autonomous practice for certain advanced practice registered nurses; providing for the future expiration of the Council on Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Autonomous Practice, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Rules	01/04/2024 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules	Similar HB 0257 (Giallombardo) - 01/17/2024 HOUSE Temporarily Postponed by Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee
HB 0695	Delivery of Patient Protection	Garcia (A)	Delivery of Patient Protection: Requires health care facilities to implement & maintain staffing plans; specifies minimum staffing levels for direct care registered nurses based on hospital or clinical unit setting; requires that patients be cared for only in hospital or clinical units that meet specified minimum staffing levels; prohibits health care facilities from using video cameras or monitors as substitute for direct observation; exempts health care facilities from minimum staffing level requirements during declared state of emergency; provides whistle-blower protections; creates cause of action; prohibits employers from taking actions with respect to employment for certain unionized staff. Effective Date: January 1, 2025	House Select Committee on Health Innovation (Current Reference) House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee	12/19/2023 HOUSE Now in Select Committee on Health Innovation	Identical SB 0376 (Garcia (I)) - 11/15/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy
SB 0798	Health Care Patient Protection	Harrell	Health Care Patient Protection; Adding additional disqualifying offenses to background screening requirements for certain persons in health care practice settings; defining the term "memory care provider"; requiring memory care providers to employ specified practices in the provision of memory care services; adding additional disqualifying offenses to level 2 background screening standards, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Criminal Justice Senate Rules	12/15/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Criminal Justice; Rules	Compare SB 1008 (Grall) - 02/15/2024 SENATE Now in Fiscal Policy

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SB 0690	Prevention of Pediatric Vehicular Heatstroke	Thompson	Prevention of Pediatric Vehicular Heatstroke; Citing this act as the "Jace Lucas Leslie Act"; requiring, by a specified date, that certain motor vehicles be equipped with an alarm system that prompts the driver to inspect the motor vehicle for unattended occupants before exiting; requiring, by a specified date, the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles to initiate a public awareness campaign regarding such alarm systems; revising transportation safety minimum standards for the licensure of child care facilities, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Transportation (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development Senate Fiscal Policy	12/13/2023 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Appropriations Committee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development; Fiscal Policy	Similar HB 1037 (Bracy Davis) - 01/08/2024 HOUSE Now in Transportation & Modals Subcommittee
SB 0680	Protection of Medical Freedom	Gruters	Protection of Medical Freedom; Prohibiting the Department of Health from requiring enrollment in the state's immunization registry or otherwise requiring persons to submit to immunization tracking; prohibiting business entities from requiring individuals to provide proof of vaccination or postinfection recovery from any communicable disease to gain access to, entry upon, or service from such entities; adding a person's vaccination and immunity status to the prohibited forms of discrimination by local housing assistance plans; prohibiting employers from refusing employment to, or discharging, disciplining, demoting, or otherwise discriminating against, an individual solely on the basis of vaccination or immunity status; prohibiting places of public accommodation from discriminating on the basis of vaccination or immunity status; prohibiting the Department of Health from requiring, as a school-entry requirement, that children receive immunizations approved only for emergency use, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Judiciary (Current Reference) Senate Health Policy Senate Rules	12/13/2023 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Health Policy; Rules	Compare HB 1535 (Plakon) - 01/13/2024 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee
SB 0672	Intravenous Vitamin Treatment	Calatayud	Intravenous Vitamin Treatment; Citing this act as the "Stephanie Balais Act"; specifying requirements for health care providers administering intravenous vitamin treatment; requiring the Board of Nursing, the Board of Medicine, and the Board of Osteopathic Medicine to adopt rules establishing procedures to administer intravenous vitamin treatment and emergency protocols; providing for disciplinary action for violations of the act, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy	12/13/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy	Similar HB 0227 (Garcia (A)) - 03/01/2024 HOUSE Read Second Time; Placed on Third Reading, 03/04/24

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SB 0668	Electronic Health Records	Rodriguez	Electronic Health Records; Requiring certain hospitals to make patients' electronic health records available through a nationally recognized trusted exchange framework; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to adopt rules; requiring certain hospitals to make specified patient data available to the agency's Florida Health Information Exchange program for specified purposes; requiring certain licensees to report certain information in a manner, timeframe, and frequency prescribed by agency rule, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy	12/13/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy	Compare HB 1549 (Grant) - 02/21/2024 HOUSE Read Second Time; Substituted for SB 7016; Laid on Table, Refer to SB 7016 SB 7016 (Health Policy) - 02/22/2024 SENATE Enrolled Text (ER) Filed Similar HB 0877 (Overdorf) - 01/18/2024 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Committee
SB 0584	Health Care Services	Harrell	Health Care Services; Prohibiting a health plan from declining to participate in a certain process; requiring a health plan to pay a claimant the amount provided in the Agency for Health Care Administration's final order within a specified timeframe; providing a financial penalty for failure to comply; requiring the agency to notify the appropriate licensure or certification entity under certain circumstances, etc. Effective Date: 1/1/2025	Senate Banking and Insurance (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government Senate Appropriations	12/05/2023 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Appropriations	Similar HB 0659 (Abbott) - 01/26/2024 HOUSE Now in Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee
SB 0464	Motor Vehicle Insurance	Grali	Motor Vehicle Insurance; Repealing provisions which comprise the Florida Motor Vehicle No-Fault Law; revising the motor vehicle insurance coverages that an applicant must show to register certain vehicles with the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles; revising minimum liability coverage requirements for motor vehicle owners or operators; revising authorized methods for meeting such requirements; revising financial responsibility requirements for owners or lessees of for-hire passenger transportation vehicles; revising the minimum net worth requirements to qualify certain persons as self-insurers, etc. APPROPRIATION: \$83,651 Effective Date: Except as otherwise expressly provided in this act and except for this section, which shall take effect upon this act becoming a law, this act shall take effect July 1, 2025	Senate Banking and Insurance (Current Reference) Senate Judiciary Senate Fiscal Policy	11/28/2023 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; Fiscal Policy	Identical HB 0653 (Alvarez) - 12/07/2023 HOUSE Now in Insurance & Banking Subcommittee
SB 0444	Pharmacy	Collins	Pharmacy; Authorizing registered pharmacy technicians to dispense medicinal drugs under certain circumstances; defining the terms "supervising pharmacy" and "telepharmacy"; providing requirements for remote-site pharmacies; exempting registered pharmacists serving as prescription department managers for remote-site pharmacies from certain practice limitations, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Fiscal Policy Senate Rules	11/28/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Fiscal Policy; Rules	Similar HB 0493 (Roach) - 02/05/2024 HOUSE Now in Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee

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HB 0363	Health Insurance Cost Sharing	Cross	Health Insurance Cost Sharing: Requires specified individual health insurers, group insurers, HMOs & their pharmacy benefit managers to apply payments of prescription drugs by or on behalf of insureds & subscribers toward total contributions of insureds' & subscribers' cost-sharing requirements under certain circumstances; provides disclosure requirements; requires specified contracts to require PBMs to apply payments by or on behalf of insureds & subscribers toward insureds' & subscribers' total contributions to cost-sharing requirements. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Select Committee on Health Innovation (Current Reference) House Appropriations Committee House Health & Human Services Committee	11/22/2023 HOUSE Now in Select Committee on Health Innovation	Similar SB 0228 (Wright) - 11/07/2023 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Health Policy; Appropriations
HB 0093	Termination of Pregnancies	Basabe	Termination of Pregnancies: Repeals section 4 of chapter 2023-21, Laws of Florida, relating to termination of pregnancy; prohibits physician from knowingly performing or inducing a termination of pregnancy after specified gestational age; requires physicians to report known or suspected human trafficking of adults to local law enforcement & incidents of rape, incest, or human trafficking of minors to the central abuse hotline; prohibits any person other than physician from inducing termination of pregnancy; prohibits physicians from using telehealth to perform abortions; provides requirements for medications intended for use in medical abortion. Effective Date: upon becoming a law	No committees referenced	11/21/2023 HOUSE Withdrawn prior to introduction	
SB 0376	Delivery of Patient Protection	Garcia (I)	Delivery of Patient Protection; Citing this act as the "Florida Patient Protection Act"; requiring health care facilities to implement staffing plans that comply with specified minimum staffing levels for direct care registered nurses; requiring that patients be cared for only in hospital or clinical units that meet the specified minimum staffing levels; providing whistle-blower protections; providing for complaints to and administrative actions by the Agency for Health Care Administration; prohibiting employers from taking specified actions with respect to employment for certain unionized staff, etc. Effective Date: 1/1/2025	Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy	11/15/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy	Identical HB 0695 (Garcia (A)) - 12/19/2023 HOUSE Now in Select Committee on Health Innovation

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HB 0277	Medicaid Eligibility for Young Adults	Cassel	Medicaid Eligibility for Young Adults: Requires AHCA, in consultation with Commission on Mental Health & Substance Use Disorder, to conduct study for specified purpose; provides requirements for study; provides duties of agency upon completion of study; requires agency to submit report of its findings & recommendations to Governor & Legislature by specified date. Effective Date: upon becoming a law	House Select Committee on Health Innovation (Current Reference) House Health Care Appropriations Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee	11/13/2023 HOUSE Now in Select Committee on Health Innovation	Identical SB 0140 (Berman) - 10/17/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy
SB 0228	Health Insurance Cost Sharing	Wright	Health Insurance Cost Sharing; Defining the term "cost-sharing requirement"; requiring specified individual health insurers and their pharmacy benefit managers to apply payments by or on behalf of insureds toward the total contributions of the insureds' cost-sharing requirements; providing disclosure requirements for specified health insurers and their pharmacy benefit managers; requiring that specified contracts require pharmacy benefit managers to apply payments by or on behalf of insureds toward the insureds' total contributions to cost-sharing requirements, etc. Effective Date: 7/1/2024	Senate Banking and Insurance (Current Reference) Senate Health Policy Senate Appropriations	11/07/2023 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Health Policy; Appropriations	Compare HB 1519 (Borrero) - 01/13/2024 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee Similar HB 0363 (Cross) - 11/22/2023 HOUSE Now in Select Committee on Health Innovation
HB 0221	Pub. Rec./Database for Patient-directed Doctor's Order Forms	Plasencia	Pub. Rec./Database for Patient-directed Doctor's Order Forms: Creates exemption from public records requirements for personal identifying information held in database for Patient-directed Doctor's Order forms; authorizes disclosure of such information to certain entities & individuals under specified conditions; provides for future legislative review & repeal of exemption. Effective Date: on the same date that HB 219 or similar legislation takes effect	House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Ethics, Elections & Open Government Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee	11/02/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee	Compare SB 0390 (Gruters) - 11/15/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Judiciary; Fiscal Policy Identical SB 0392 (Gruters) - 11/15/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Judiciary; Fiscal Policy Linked HB 0219 (Plasencia) - 11/02/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee
HB 0219	Patient-directed Doctor's Orders	Plasencia	Patient-directed Doctor's Orders: Establishes PDDO Program within DOH; authorizes EMTs & certain health care professionals to withhold or withdraw cardiopulmonary resuscitation or other medical interventions if presented with PDDO form that contains order not to resuscitate; provides specified health care providers & legal representatives with limited immunity. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Judiciary Committee House Health & Human Services Committee	11/02/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee	Compare SB 0392 (Gruters) - 11/15/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Judiciary; Fiscal Policy Similar SB 0390 (Gruters) - 11/15/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Judiciary; Fiscal Policy Linked HB 0221 (Plasencia) - 11/02/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee

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HB 0129	Damages Recoverable in Wrongful Death Actions	Lopez (J)	Damages Recoverable in Wrongful Death Actions: Removes provision that prohibits adult children & parents of adult children from recovering certain damages in medical negligence suits. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Civil Justice Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Judiciary Committee	10/17/2023 HOUSE Now in Civil Justice Subcommittee	Compare HB 0077 (Roach) - 10/05/2023 HOUSE Now in Civil Justice Subcommittee SB 0248 (Yarborough) - 01/24/2024 SENATE Now in Fiscal Policy SB 0310 (Martin) - 11/15/2023 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules Identical SB 0442 (Book) - 11/28/2023 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules
SB 0140	Medicaid Eligibility for Young Adults	Berman	Medicaid Eligibility for Young Adults; Requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration, in consultation with the Commission on Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder, to conduct a study for a specified purpose; providing the duties of the agency upon completion of the study; requiring the agency to submit a report of its findings and recommendations to the Governor and the Legislature by a specified date, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming a law	Senate Health Policy (Current Reference) Senate Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services Senate Fiscal Policy	10/17/2023 SENATE Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Fiscal Policy	Identical HB 0277 (Cassel) - 11/13/2023 HOUSE Now in Select Committee on Health Innovation
HB 0077	Recovery of Damages in Claims for Medical Negligence	Roach	Recovery of Damages in Claims for Medical Negligence: Removes provision that prohibits parents of adult child from recovering certain damages in medical negligence suits. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Civil Justice Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Judiciary Committee	10/05/2023 HOUSE Now in Civil Justice Subcommittee	Compare HB 0129 (Lopez (J)) - 10/17/2023 HOUSE Now in Civil Justice Subcommittee SB 0248 (Yarborough) - 01/24/2024 SENATE Now in Fiscal Policy SB 0442 (Book) - 11/28/2023 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules Identical SB 0310 (Martin) - 11/15/2023 SENATE Referred to Judiciary; Appropriations Committee on Health and Human Services; Rules
HB 0035	Acceptance of Cash Payments by Businesses	Rudman	Acceptance of Cash Payments by Businesses: Requires certain businesses to accept cash payments for certain transactions; prohibits fees or conditions for such transactions; provides applicability & civil penalties; requires DACS to adopt rules. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Insurance & Banking Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Agriculture & Natural Resources Appropriations Subcommittee House Commerce Committee	10/05/2023 HOUSE Now in Insurance & Banking Subcommittee	Similar SB 0106 (Jones) - 02/27/2024 SENATE Temporarily Postponed by Fiscal Policy
HB 0011	Invalid Restrictive Covenants with Physicians	Rudman	Invalid Restrictive Covenants with Physicians: Provides restrictive covenants which prohibit physician from practicing medicine within specified area for certain period of time are void & unenforceable. Effective Date: July 1, 2024	House Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee (Current Reference) House Civil Justice Subcommittee House Health & Human Services Committee	10/05/2023 HOUSE Now in Healthcare Regulation Subcommittee	Compare SB 0458 (Brodeur) - 02/08/2024 SENATE Now in Rules