

CCHA 2017 Bill List

[AB 76](#)

(Chau D) Adult-use marijuana: marketing.

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2017 [Text](#)

Introduced: 1/4/2017

Last Amend: 3/28/2017

Status: 4/26/2017-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 10. Noes 0.) (April 25). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Is Urgency: N

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Would prohibit an operator, as defined, of an Internet Web site, online service, online application, or mobile application from marketing or advertising any marijuana, marijuana product, or marijuana business to a person who is under 21 years of age if the operator has actual knowledge that a person under 21 years of age is using its Internet Web site, online service, online application, or mobile application, and if the marketing or advertising is specifically directed to that person based upon information specific to that person, including, but not limited to, the person's profile, activity, address, or location.

Position

Support

Subject

Cannabis

[AB 175](#)

(Chau D) Adult-use marijuana: marketing: packaging and labeling.

Current Text: Introduced: 1/17/2017 [Text](#)

Introduced: 1/17/2017

Status: 5/3/2017-In committee: Set, first hearing. Referred to APPR. suspense file.

Is Urgency: N

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Would require a manufacturer, prior to introducing an edible marijuana product into commerce in California, to submit the packaging and labeling to the Bureau of Marijuana Control for approval and would require the bureau to determine whether the packaging and labeling are in compliance with the requirements of prescribed provisions of AUMA, including the requirements that the packaging be child resistant and not attractive to children, as specified. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

Position

Support

Subject

Cannabis

[AB 387](#)

(Thurmond D) Minimum wage: health professionals: interns.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/9/2017 [Text](#)

Introduced: 2/9/2017

Status: 5/3/2017-In committee: Set, first hearing. Referred to APPR. suspense file.

Is Urgency: N

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Current law requires the minimum wage for all industries to not be less than specified amounts to be increased from January 1, 2017, to January 1, 2022, inclusive, for employers employing 26 or more employees and from January 1, 2018, to January 1, 2023, inclusive, for employers employing 25 or fewer employees, except when the scheduled increases are temporarily suspended by the Governor, based on certain determinations. Current law defines an employer for purposes of those provisions. This bill would expand the definition of "employer" for purposes of these provisions to include a person who directly or indirectly, or through an agent or any other person, employs or exercises control over the wages, hours, or working conditions of a person engaged in a period of supervised work experience to satisfy requirements for licensure, registration, or certification as an allied health professional, as defined.

Position

Oppose

Subject

Labor &
Employment

[AB 391](#)

(Chiu D) Medi-Cal: asthma preventive services.

Current Text: Amended: 3/22/2017 [Text](#)

Introduced: 2/9/2017

Last Amend: 3/22/2017

Status: 4/19/2017-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 11. Noes 0.) (April 18). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Is Urgency: N

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Current federal law authorizes, at the option of the state, preventive services, as defined,

to be provided by practitioners other than physicians or other licensed practitioners. This bill, which would be known as the Asthma Preventive Services Program Act of 2017, would require the State Department of Health Care Services to seek an amendment to its Medicaid state plan to include qualified asthma preventive services providers, as defined, as providers of asthma preventive services, as defined, under the Medi-Cal program.

Position
Support

Subject
Asthma

[AB 422](#) (Arambula D) California State University: Doctor of Nursing Practice Degree Program.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/9/2017 [Text](#)

Introduced: 2/9/2017

Status: 4/5/2017-In committee: Set, first hearing. Referred to suspense file.

Is Urgency: N

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Current law, until July 1, 2018, establishes the Doctor of Nursing Practice Degree Pilot Program, under which the California State University is authorized to establish a Doctor of Nursing Practice degree pilot program at 3 campuses to award Doctor of Nursing Practice degrees, subject to specified program and enrollment requirements. This bill would repeal those provisions and would authorize the California State University to establish Doctor of Nursing Practice degree programs that offer Doctor of Nursing Practice degrees, subject to specified program and enrollment requirements.

Position
Support

Subject
Miscellaneous

[AB 470](#) (Arambula D) Medi-Cal: specialty mental health services: performance outcome dashboard.

Current Text: Amended: 3/28/2017 [Text](#)

Introduced: 2/13/2017

Last Amend: 3/28/2017

Status: 4/26/2017-In committee: Set, first hearing. Referred to suspense file.

Is Urgency: N

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Current law requires the State Department of Health Care Services to develop a performance outcome system for Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis, and Treatment mental health services provided to eligible Medi-Cal beneficiaries under 21 years of age. This bill would require the department, in collaboration with the California Health and Human Services Agency, to create a performance outcome dashboard, as specified, for specialty mental health services provided to eligible Medi-Cal beneficiaries.

Position
Support

Subject
Oversight

[AB 583](#) (Wood D) Emergency medical air transportation.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/14/2017 [Text](#)

Introduced: 2/14/2017

Status: 4/19/2017-Coauthors revised. From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 14. Noes 0.) (April 18). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Is Urgency: N

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Current law repeals the Emergency Medical Air Transportation Act on January 1, 2020. This bill would extend the dates of the Emergency Medical Air Transportation Act, so that the assessment of the penalties will terminate commencing January 1, 2028, and any moneys unexpended and unencumbered in the Emergency Medical Air Transportation Act Fund on June 30, 2029, will transfer to the General Fund. The bill would extend the operation of the Emergency Medical Air Transportation Act until January 1, 2030

Position
Support

Subject
Paramedicine

[AB 612](#) (Rubio D) Newborns and infants: hearing screening.

Current Text: Amended: 3/15/2017 [Text](#)

Introduced: 2/14/2017

Last Amend: 3/15/2017

Status: 4/26/2017-In committee: Set, first hearing. Referred to suspense file.

Is Urgency: N

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Current law requires the State Department of Health Care Services to implement a newborn and infant hearing screening program and to develop and implement a reporting and tracking system for newborns and infants tested for hearing loss. Current law requires certain medical

providers to report specified information to the department or the department's designee to be included in the department's reporting and tracking system. This bill would require those providers to report that information electronically.

Position
Support

Subject
Miscellaneous

[AB 654](#) (Maienschein R) Pediatric home health care.

Current Text: Amended: 3/13/2017 [Text](#)

Introduced: 2/14/2017

Last Amend: 3/13/2017

Status: 4/26/2017-In committee: Set, first hearing. Referred to suspense file.

Is Urgency: N

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Would require the Department of Public Health, on or before January 1, 2018, to establish an incentive-based, supplemental payment program, as defined, which would apply to licensed home health agencies that treat children who are receiving continuous nursing care or private nursing services through the Medi-Cal program. The purpose of the program would be to increase access to quality in-home nursing services and encouraging additional home health agencies to participate in nursing care for children receiving Medi-Cal services.

Position
Support

Subject
Home Health

[AB 1601](#) (Bloom D) Hearing aids: minors.

Current Text: Amended: 3/16/2017 [Text](#)

Introduced: 2/17/2017

Last Amend: 3/16/2017

Status: 4/26/2017-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. (Ayes 14. Noes 0.) (April 25). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Is Urgency: N

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Current law requires health care service plan contracts and health insurance policies to provide coverage for specified benefits. This bill, until January 1, 2020, would, to the extent permitted under federal law, require a health care service plan contract or a health insurance policy issued, amended, or renewed on or after January 1, 2018, to include coverage for hearing aids for an enrollee or insured under 18 years of age, as specified. Because a willful violation of these requirements by a health care service plan would be a crime, this bill would impose a state-mandated local program.

Position
Support

Subject
Coverage
Mandates

[SB 152](#) (Hernandez D) Medi-Cal.

Current Text: Amended: 3/23/2017 [Text](#)

Introduced: 1/18/2017

Last Amend: 3/23/2017

Status: 5/1/2017-Read third time. Passed. (Ayes 36. Noes 0.) Ordered to the Assembly. In Assembly. Read first time. Held at Desk.

Is Urgency: N

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Current law requires the State Department of Health Care Services to develop and prepare one or more reports issued on at least a quarterly basis for the purpose of informing the California Health and Human Services Agency, the California Health Benefit Exchange, the Legislature, and the public about the enrollment process for all insurance affordability programs. This bill would instead require this report to be issued on at least a biannual basis and would make a conforming change.

Position
Support

Subject
CCS

[SB 283](#) (Wilk R) Developmental services.

Current Text: Amended: 4/6/2017 [Text](#)

Introduced: 2/9/2017

Last Amend: 4/6/2017

Status: 5/4/2017-Set for hearing May 15.

Is Urgency: N

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Current law defines a "developmental disability" as a disability that originates before an

individual attains 18 years of age, continues, or can be expected to continue, indefinitely, and constitutes a substantial disability for the individual. This bill would modify that definition to mean a disability that originates before an individual attains 22 years of age, continues, or can be expected to continue, indefinitely, and constitutes a substantial disability for the individual.

Position
Support

Subject
Young Adults

SB 300 **(Monning D) Sugar-sweetened beverages: health warnings.**

Current Text: Introduced: 2/13/2017 [Text](#)

Introduced: 2/13/2017

Status: 4/28/2017-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(2). (Last location was HEALTH on 2/23/2017) (May be acted upon Jan 2018)

Is Urgency: N

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Would establish the Sugar-Sweetened Beverages Health Warning Act, which would prohibit a person from distributing, selling, or offering for sale a sugar-sweetened beverage in a sealed beverage container, or a multipack of sugar-sweetened beverages, in this state unless the beverage container or multipack bears a health warning, as prescribed.

Position
Support

Subject
Miscellaneous

SB 538 **(Monning D) Hospital contracts.**

Current Text: Amended: 5/2/2017 [Text](#)

Introduced: 2/16/2017

Last Amend: 5/2/2017

Status: 5/4/2017-Set for hearing May 15.

Is Urgency: N

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: This bill, the Health Care Market Fairness Act of 2017, would prohibit contracts between hospitals and contracting agents, health care service plans, or health insurers from containing certain provisions, including, but not limited to, setting payment rates or other terms for nonparticipating affiliates of the hospital, requiring the contracting agent, plan, or insurer to keep the contract's payment rates confidential from any payor, as defined, that is or may become financially responsible for the payment, and requiring the contracting agent, plan, or insurer to submit to arbitration, or any other alternative dispute resolution program, any claims or causes of action that arise under state or federal antitrust laws after those claims or causes of action arise, except as provided.

Position
Oppose

Subject
Contracts

SB 643 **(Pan D) The Holden-Moscone-Garamendi Genetically Handicapped Persons Program: Duchenne muscular dystrophy.**

Current Text: Introduced: 2/17/2017 [Text](#)

Introduced: 2/17/2017

Status: 5/4/2017-Set for hearing May 15.

Is Urgency: N

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Current law, the Holden-Moscone-Garamendi Genetically Handicapped Persons Program, requires the Director of the State Department of Health Care Services to establish and administer a program for the medical care of persons with genetically handicapping conditions, including, but not limited to, cystic fibrosis, hemophilia, sickle cell disease, and Huntington's disease. This bill would add Duchenne muscular dystrophy to the list of medical conditions eligible for the program.

Position
Support

Subject
Young Adults

SB 687 **(Skinner D) Health facilities: emergency centers: Attorney General.**

Current Text: Amended: 5/3/2017 [Text](#)

Introduced: 2/17/2017

Last Amend: 5/3/2017

Status: 5/5/2017-Set for hearing May 15.

Is Urgency: N

Is Fiscal: Y

Summary: Current law requires any nonprofit corporation, as defined, that operates or controls a health facility or operates or controls a facility that provides similar health care, to provide written notice to, and obtain the written consent of, the Attorney General prior to agreeing to sell or otherwise dispose of a material amount of its assets to a for-profit corporation or entity, a mutual benefit

corporation or entity, or another nonprofit corporation or entity. Current law authorizes the Attorney General to consider whether the terms and conditions of the agreement or transaction are fair and reasonable to the corporation, and whether the agreement or transaction is at a fair market value, as specified. This bill would apply the above notice and consent requirements to a nonprofit corporation, as defined, prior to agreeing to sell, transfer, lease, exchange, option, convey, or otherwise dispose of the assets resulting from the reduction or elimination of emergency medical services provided at a licensed emergency center after the Attorney General gives a specified consent or conditional consent.

Position

Oppose

Subject

Change of
Ownership

Total Measures: 16

Total Tracking Forms: 16