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H2700: REAR-FACING CAR SEATS
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S1397: INSURANCE; PREEXISTING CONDITION EXCLUSIONS; PROHIBITION
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S1529: HEALTH CARE MINISTRIES; EXEMPTION; DEFINITION
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S1570: OUTPATIENT TREATMENT CENTERS; BEHAVIORAL HEALTH
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### Bill Summaries

#### H2049: MEDICAL CONDITIONS; MEDICAL MARIJUANA

The list of debilitating medical conditions that qualifies a person to receive a medical marijuana registry identification card is expanded to include opioid use disorder and autism spectrum disorder. Due to voter protection, this legislation requires the affirmative vote of at least 3/4 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage.

**ARS Titles Affected:** 36
**First sponsor:** Rep. Espinoza (D - Dist 19)
**Others:** Rep. Sierra (D - Dist 19)

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#### H2051: INFORMED CONSENT; PELVIC EXAMINATIONS

It is an act of unprofessional conduct for a licensed physician, nurse practitioner, or physician assistant to perform or supervise an individual who performs a pelvic examination on an anesthetized or unconscious patient without first obtaining the patient’s informed consent to the pelvic examination. Some exceptions. AS PASSED HOUSE.

**ARS Titles Affected:** 32
**First sponsor:** Rep. Barto (R - Dist 15)
**Others:** Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22)

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A person is permitted to petition the Governor's Regulator Review Council (GRRC) to request a review of an existing agency practice that involves interpreting a rule adopted by the agency, substantive policy statement, or final rule of an agency established under statute governing campaign finance, including the Citizens Clean Elections Act, based on the person’s belief that the practice, policy, or rule does not meet the requirements of the Administrative Procedures Act, exceeds the agency's statutory authority or violates the state Constitution or the U.S. Constitution. If, after a public hearing, GRRC determines that the practice, policy, action or rule does not meet these requirements, GRRC is authorized to modify, revise or declare void any practice, policy, or rule.

ARS Titles Affected: 41
First sponsor: Rep. Biasiucci (R - Dist 5)
Others: Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20)
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H2054 Daily History

H2117: PHARMACY BOARD; RULEMAKING AUTHORITY

A licensed pharmacist who meets statutory requirements is authorized to prescribe and administer oral flouride varnish and to prescribe and dispense tobacco cessation drug therapies, the authority for the Board of Pharmacy to adopt rules for these prescriptions is deleted. For the purpose of Board of Pharmacy statues, the definition of "pharmacy" is modified.
ARS Titles Affected: 32
First sponsor: Rep. Lawrence (R - Dist 23)
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**H2135: VETERAN SUICIDES; ANNUAL REPORT**

Information that the Department of Health Services must include in the annual report on veteran suicides is expanded to include utilization and encounter data for a nonprofit veterans' services organization that provides services related to reducing suicides among Arizona's military and veteran populations.

ARS Titles Affected: 36
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H2152: APPROPRIATION; STEM; LEARNING; WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

Appropriates $3 million from the general fund in FY2020-21 to the Arizona Commerce Authority to cultivate STEM learning and STEM workforce development opportunities in Arizona. The legislature intends that the appropriation be considered ongoing funding in future years.

First sponsor: Rep. Nutt (R - Dist 14)

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H2157: PSPRS; BENEFIT COMPUTATION; RETURN-TO-WORK

In the computation of average monthly benefit compensation for the Public Safety Personnel Retirement System, a period of nonpaid or partially paid industrial leave must be considered based on the compensation the employee would have received in the employee's job classification if the employee was not on industrial leave.

ARS Titles Affected: 38
First sponsor: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6)
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PSPRS; BENEFIT COMPUTATION; RETURN-TO-WORK

1/16 referred to House.gov.

H2224: PSYCHOLOGY BOARD; LICENSURE; FINGERPRINTING

Beginning January 1, 2021, the State Board of Psychologist Examiners must require each applicant for licensure by the Board to have applied for a fingerprint clearance card and, if issued, submit the card to the Board with the license application. If an applicant is denied a card, the applicant may request that the Board consider the application and the Board may approve the application if the Board determines that the criminal history information on which the denial is based does not alone disqualify the applicant from licensure. Beginning March 1, 2020 through September 1, 2022, applicants for licensure by the Board are exempt from the requirements to have two full-time academic years of graduate study in a doctoral program and a residency completed at the institution that awarded the applicant's doctoral degree. This exemption is retroactive to March 1, 2020. AS PASSED HOUSE.

ARS Titles Affected: 32 41

First sponsor: Rep. Barto (R - Dist 15)
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H2235: RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS; CERTIFIED REPORTER

The state, political subdivisions, the judiciary and courts of law are authorized to use for any purpose electronic devices in lieu of certified reporters for court proceedings. Either party is permitted to provide a certified reporter or stenographer in addition to the electronic devices used by a court to record the proceedings. The official record of the proceedings is the record prepared by the court pursuant to rules adopted by the Supreme Court. Various statutory references to a “court reporter” are replaced with “certified reporter.” A judge of the superior court is authorized to appoint a certified reporter, instead of required to appoint a court reporter. The certified reporter is required to attend court during the hearing of matters before it as directed by the judge, instead of a court reporter being required to attend court during the hearing of all matters before it unless excused by the judge.

ARS Titles Affected: 8 12 13 21 26 27 32 36 40 41 48 49
First sponsor: Rep. J. Allen (R - Dist 15)

NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

H2244: AHCCCS; DENTAL SERVICES; NATIVE AMERICANS

Subject to approval by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, for persons treated at an Indian Health Service or Tribal facility, adult dental services that are eligible for a federal medical assistance percentage of 100 percent and that are in excess of the $1,000 annual limit are added to the list of covered services under the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS) and the Arizona Long-Term Care System. The AHCCCS Administration is required to seek federal authorization to reimburse the Indian Health Services and Tribal Facilities to cover the cost of adult dental services that are eligible for a federal medical assistance percentage of 100 percent, that are in excess of statutory limits, and that are received through these entities.

AS PASSED HOUSE.

ARS Titles Affected: 41
## H2244: AHCCCS; DENTAL SERVICES; NATIVE AMERICANS

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- **Support**
- **Oppose**
- **Neutral**

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## H2246: AHCCCS SERVICES; DIABETES MANAGEMENT

The list of medically necessary health and medical services that Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS) contractors are required to provide is expanded to include up to 10 program hours annually of diabetes outpatient self-management training services if prescribed by a primary care practitioner in specified circumstances. Monies from the Hospital Assessment Fund cannot be used to provide diabetes outpatient self-management training services.

- **ARS Titles Affected:** 36
- **First sponsor:** Rep. J. Allen (R - Dist 15)
- **For Vote Analysis:**
  - **Support**
  - **Oppose**
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## H2250: GRANTS; BEHAVIORAL HEALTH TREATMENT SERVICES
Establishes the Community Treatment and Safety Fund, to be administered by the Department of Health Services, and appropriates $5 million from the general fund in each fiscal year to the Fund. The Dept is required to analyze each county with a population of less than one million persons (all but Maricopa County) to determine which behavioral health treatment services are available and identify significant gaps in the availability of those services in that county. Based on the analysis, the Dept is required to award grants to expand treatment programs provided by nonprofit behavioral health treatment providers for persons in those counties who are in court-ordered substance abuse treatment programs, in State Department of Corrections community supervision programs, or on probation. The behavioral health treatment services that are eligible for grant awards are specified.

For Vote Analysis:  
Support  
Oppose  
Neutral

ARS Titles Affected: 36
First sponsor: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6)
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**H2254: LYME; VECTOR-BORNE DISEASES; TREATMENT**

A licensed prescribing health professional is authorized to prescribe, administer or dispense "long-term antimicrobial therapy" (defined) for a therapeutic purpose to eliminate pathogens or control a patient’s symptoms after making a clinical diagnosis that the patient has "Lyme or a vector-borne disease" (defined) or displays symptoms consistent with a clinical diagnosis of Lyme or a vector-borne disease.

For Vote Analysis:  
Support  
Oppose  
Neutral

ARS Titles Affected: 32
First sponsor: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6)
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**H2258: APPROPRIATION; ALCOHOL; TOBACCO; DRUG EDUCATION**

Appropriates $1 million from the Health Education Account in each fiscal year to the Department of Health Services for teaching children in grades 5 through 12 about the health dangers of federally defined illegal substances, tobacco, electronic smoking devices, alcohol, marijuana, opioids and nonprescription pharmaceuticals.

ARS Titles Affected: **41**

First sponsor: **Rep. Thorpe (R - Dist 6)**

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**H2260: HEALTH FACILITIES; RESUSCITATION; EMERGENCY CARE**

Skilled nursing facilities, assisted living centers, assisted living facilities, assisted living homes, adult foster care homes, group homes, residential care institutions and other similar health care institutions as prescribed in rule by the Department of Health Services and their respective employees have an affirmative duty to care for their residents. These facilities are required to provide basic life support, including initiating immediate resuscitation, before the arrival of emergency medical services to a resident who experiences cardiac arrest or any other cessation of respirations in accordance with that resident’s advance directives or in the absence of advance directives or a do-not-resuscitate order for that resident. These facilities are required to provide recovery assistance to noninjured residents who have fallen and are unable to reasonably recover themselves independently. Facility staff who are certified in cardiopulmonary resuscitation and who are certified in fall recovery must be available at the facility at all times. These facilities are prohibited from implementing policies that prevent employees from providing immediate resuscitation, emergency care or fall recovery assistance to their patients or residents.

ARS Titles Affected: **36**

First sponsor: **Rep. Kern (R - Dist 20)**

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### H2269: DONATED MEDICINE; REQUIREMENTS

A "donor" (defined as any person or entity legally authorized to possess medicine) is permitted to donate "medicine" (defined) to an "authorized recipient" (defined as any entity that has a license or permit in good standing in Arizona and that is legally authorized to possess medicine). The authorized recipient is required to verify and record a list of specified information, including that the donor is legally authorized to posses the medicine. An authorized recipient is permitted to transfer donated medicine to another authorized recipient. Establishes requirements for donated medicine to be accepted, and donated medicine that does not meet the requirements must be disposed of. Establishes requirements for donated medicine to be repackaged, labeled, and dispensed. Medicine donated is prohibited from being resold, but authorized recipients are allowed to charge a handling, dispensing or administrative fee, subject to limits prescribed by the Board of Pharmacy. Establishes immunity from civil liability, criminal liability or professional disciplinary action for specified persons acting in good faith under these provisions. Repeals the prescription medication donation program under the Board of Pharmacy, which allowed a person, manufacturer or health care institution to donate prescription medication to a physician's office, pharmacy, hospital or health care institution that voluntarily participated in the program.

ARS Titles Affected: 32
First sponsor: Rep. Barto (R - Dist 15)

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### For Vote Analysis:
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The Arizona Area Health Education System in the College of Medicine of the University of Arizona is expanded to six area health education centers, from five centers, and one center is required to focus on the Indian health care delivery system.

ARS Titles Affected: 15
First sponsor: Rep. Shope (R - Dist 8)
NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

For Vote Analysis:
- Support
- Oppose
- Neutral

H2296 Daily History Date Action
ARIZONA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTERS; INCREASE 2/17 from House rules okay.
ARIZONA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTERS; INCREASE 2/11 from House educ do pass.
ARIZONA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTERS; INCREASE 2/10 House educ do pass; report awaited.
ARIZONA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTERS; INCREASE 1/22 referred to House educ.

H2299: UNLAWFUL FOOD OR DRINK CONTAMINATION

It is a class 2 (mid-level) misdemeanor to knowingly introduce, add or mingle any bodily fluid, foreign object not intended for human consumption or unsanitary surface with any water, food, drink or other product that may be consumed by a human being, except that if a human being consumes the contaminated product, the damage caused by the contamination is at least $1,000, or the person publishes a description, photograph, video or other depiction of the contamination on an internet website or provides it to another person the criminal classification is increased to a class 6 (lowest) felony.

ARS Titles Affected: 13
First sponsor: Rep. Shope (R - Dist 8)
NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

For Vote Analysis:
- Support
- Oppose
- Neutral
H2317: PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS; LICENSURE; BOARD

Members of the Arizona Regulatory Board of Physician Assistants are eligible to receive "up to $200" for each day of service, instead of $200 for each day of actual service. Statute allowing the Board to reinstate a revoked physician assistant license under specified conditions is expanded to include a surrendered license. AS PASSED HOUSE.

ARS Titles Affected: 32
First sponsor: Rep. Barto (R - Dist 15)
NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

H2318: HEALTH CARE INSTITUTIONS; ACCREDITATION; INSPECTIONS

The Department of Health Services is authorized to accept an accreditation report in lieu of a compliance inspection for any health care institution, instead of only a behavioral health residential facility providing services to children, only if the institution is accredited by an independent, nonprofit accrediting organization approved by the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, and the institution has not been subject to an enforcement action within the year preceding the annual licensing fee anniversary date.

ARS Titles Affected: 36
HEALTH CARE INSTITUTIONS; ACCREDITATION; INSPECTIONS 2/20 House hel-hu ser do pass; report awaited.
HEALTH CARE INSTITUTIONS; ACCREDITATION; INSPECTIONS 1/23 referred to House hel-hu ser.

**H2408: HEALTH PROFESSIONALS; VOLUNTARY CARE; IMMUNITY**

For the purpose of qualified immunity for a health professional providing services without compensation at a nonprofit clinic, the definition of "nonprofit clinic" is expanded to include a private medical office maintained by a health professional where treatment, care or screening is provided at no cost to the patient. A "health care provider" (defined) may receive one hour of continuing education credit for each hour of free medical services the health care provider provides to "eligible patients" (defined), up to a maximum of eight continuing education credits per licensure period. AS PASSED HOUSE.

ARS Titles Affected: 12 32
First sponsor: Rep. Cobb (R - Dist 5)

**For Vote Analysis:**

Support Oppose Neutral

HEALTH PROFESSIONALS; VOLUNTARY CARE; IMMUNITY 2/19 passed House hel-hu ser 60-0; ready for Senate.
HEALTH PROFESSIONALS; VOLUNTARY CARE; IMMUNITY 2/13 House COW approved with amend #4043 and floor amend 4224.
HEALTH PROFESSIONALS; VOLUNTARY CARE; IMMUNITY 2/11 from House rules okay.
HEALTH PROFESSIONALS; VOLUNTARY CARE; IMMUNITY 1/30 from House hel-hu ser with amend #4043.
HEALTH PROFESSIONALS; VOLUNTARY CARE; IMMUNITY 1/30 House hel-hu ser amended; report awaited.
HEALTH PROFESSIONALS; VOLUNTARY CARE; IMMUNITY 1/27 referred to House hel-hu ser.
Adds a new chapter to Title 20 (Insurance) governing "Step Therapy Protocols," defined as a protocol or program that establishes the specific sequence in which prescription drugs that are for a specified medical condition and that are medically appropriate for a particular patient are covered by a health care insurer under a health care plan. Establishes requirements for clinical review criteria. If coverage of a prescription drug for the treatment of any medical condition is restricted for use by a health care insurer, pharmacy benefits manager or utilization review organization through the use of a step therapy protocol, the patient and prescribing practitioner must have access to a clear and convenient process to request a step therapy exception determination, and an exception must be granted if sufficient evidence of any of a list of circumstances is submitted. Unless an exigent circumstance exists, a health care insurer, pharmacy benefits manager or utilization review organization is required to respond to a request for a step therapy exception determination within 72 hours after receipt of all required documentation. On granting a step therapy exception determination, the health care insurer, pharmacy benefits manager or utilization review organization is required to authorize coverage for the prescription drug prescribed by the patient's treating health care provider. Applies to any policy, contract or evidence of coverage delivered, issued for delivery or renewed on or after December 31, 2021.

For Vote Analysis:
- Support
- Oppose
- Neutral

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**H2433: CLINICAL LABORATORIES; PROFICIENCY TESTING**

Any laboratory test performed on a direct-access basis without a health care provider's request or written authorization is authorized to be provided only by a laboratory that routinely participates in proficiency testing for the offered test through a program approved by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. Does not mandate proficiency testing for a laboratory test if the proficiency testing is not available from an approved program.

For Vote Analysis:
- Support
- Oppose
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**For Vote Analysis:**
- Support
- Oppose
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- Support
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**CLINICAL LABORATORIES; PROFICIENCY TESTING**

- 2/19: passed House 60-0; ready for Senate.
- 2/11: from House rules okay.
- 1/21: referred to House hel-hu ser.

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**H2529: NONRETRALIATION POLICIES; HEALTH CARE INSTITUTIONS**

The policy prohibiting retaliatory action against a health professional who in good faith reports a practice or policy that violates professional standards of practice or is against the law or poses a substantial risk to the health, safety or welfare of a patient, which licensed health care institutions are required to adopt, is expanded to include prohibiting retaliatory action by any of the health care institutions "third-party contractors" (defined).

For Vote Analysis:
- Support
- Oppose
- Neutral

**ARS Titles Affected:** 36

First sponsor: Rep. Shah (D - Dist 24)

NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

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**H2530: EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES; COUNCIL; CARE**

Increases the membership of the Emergency Medical Services Council by adding one physician who specializes in emergency medicine and who represents a professional association of emergency physicians, and one physician who specializes in emergency medicine.
medicine and who represents a professional association of emergency medical services physicians. The standards and criteria that the Council is required to recommend to the Director of the Department of Health Services are modified to include medical standards for certification of centralized medical direction communications centers.

ARS Titles Affected: 36

First sponsor: Rep. Shah (D - Dist 24)

NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

H2530 Daily History

No actions posted for this bill.

H2535: AHCCCS; PREVENTIVE DENTAL CARE

The list of covered services under the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS) is expanded to include preventive dental care for persons who are at least 21 years of age that includes two regular cleanings, a fluoride treatment and one set of x-rays annually.

ARS Titles Affected: 36

First sponsor: Rep. Shah (D - Dist 24)


NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

H2535 Daily History

AHCCCS; PREVENTIVE DENTAL CARE 1/29 referred to House hel-hu ser, appro.

H2536: TELEMEDICINE; HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS
For the purpose of statutes regulating telemedicine, the definition of "health care provider" is expanded to include a person who is licensed by the Board of Physical Therapy, Board of Occupational Therapy Examiners, Board of Athletic Training, or by the Department of Health Services as a hearing aid dispenser, audiologist or speech-language pathologist.

ARS Titles Affected: 36
First sponsor: Rep. Shah (D - Dist 24)
NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

H2536 Daily History Date Action
TELEMEDICINE; HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS 2/17 from House hel-hu ser with amend #4250.
TELEMEDICINE; HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS 2/13 House hel-hu ser amended; report awaited.
TELEMEDICINE; HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS 1/28 referred to House hel-hu ser.

H2538: HEALTH CARE WORKERS; ASSAULT; PREVENTION
The list of victims of assault that cause an assault to be classified as aggravated assault if the defendant knows of their profession is expanded to include a "health care worker" (defined) while engaged in the health care worker's work duties. Aggravated assault committed on a health care worker in these circumstances is a class 5 (second lowest) felony if the assault involved physical injury. Within six months after the effective date of this legislation, "health care employers" (defined as licensed health care institutions with more than 50 employees) are required to develop, implement and maintain a written workplace violence prevention plan that includes specified provisions. As soon as practicable after a workplace violence incident that a health care employer has knowledge of, the employer is required to investigate the incident and to document the findings, recommendations and corrective measures taken for each investigation conducted.

ARS Titles Affected: 13
First sponsor: Rep. Shah (D - Dist 24)
NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.
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### H2540: EMOTIONAL ABUSE; VULNERABLE ADULTS

For the purpose of Adult Protective Services statutes, the definition of "abuse" is expanded to include "emotional abuse" (defined).

**ARS Titles Affected:** 46

First sponsor: Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24)


*NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.*

### H2540 Daily History

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### H2608: OVERDOSE; DISEASE PREVENTION; PROGRAMS

Counties, municipalities, and nongovernmental organizations, or any combination of these entities, are authorized to establish and operate an overdose and disease prevention program, and required objectives for the program are listed. A program is required to offer specified services, including disposal of used needles and hypodermic syringes, needles and hypodermic syringes at no cost, access to kits that contain naloxone hydrochloride or any other opioid antagonist that is approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration to treat a drug overdose or referrals to programs that provide access, and consultations concerning mental health or substance use disorder treatment. An employee, volunteer or participant in the program cannot be charged with or prosecuted for possession of a needle, hypodermic syringe or other injection supply item obtained from or returned to a program or possession of a residual amount of a controlled substance contained in a used needle, hypodermic syringe or injection fluid.

**For Vote Analysis:**
- Support
- Oppose
- Neutral
supply item obtained from or returned to a program, if the person claiming immunity provides verification that the item was obtained from a program.

ARS Titles Affected: 36
First sponsor: Rep. Rivero (R - Dist 21)
NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

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**H2628: HEALTH CARE INSURANCE; AMENDMENTS**

Various changes to statutes relating to health insurance. The article of statute regulating insurance holding company systems applies to all service corporations. Statute prohibiting payment for services to persons other than the assignee apply to a hospital and medical service corporation. Hospital, medical, dental and optometric service corporations are no longer prohibited from influencing the subscriber in the subscriber's free choice of hospital or practitioner. Deletes provisions requiring an insurer to make payments to the state program when payment for covered expenses had been made under the state program. Modifies reporting requirements due dates. Statute establishing requirements for premium rates and rating practices does not apply if a small employer obtains a health benefits plan that is subject to and complies with specified federal law. The Department of Insurance and Financial Institutions is required to adopt rules establishing criteria and factors to evaluate when determining whether an independent review organization has demonstrated bias toward a health care insurer or health care provider or in the organization's decisions. The Dept is required to adopt rules that substantially conform to the current version of the National Association of Insurance Commissioners unfair claim settlement practices model act. More.

ARS Titles Affected: 20
First sponsor: Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20)
Others: Rep. Carroll (R - Dist 22)
NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

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H2632: AHCCCS; ELIGIBILITY

The Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System Administration is required to annually renew the eligibility of an individual who was in the custody of the Department of Child Safety when the individual reached 18 years of age without requiring additional information from the individual until the individual reaches 26 years of age, unless the individual notifies the AHCCCS Administration that the individual moved out of Arizona or has provided information indicating that the individual may qualify for a different eligibility category.

ARS Titles Affected: 36
First sponsor: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6)
NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

For Vote Analysis:
- Support
- Oppose
- Neutral

H2632 Daily History
Date Action

AHCCCS; ELIGIBILITY 2/17 from House hel-hu ser do pass.
AHCCCS; ELIGIBILITY 2/13 House hel-hu ser do pass; report awaited.
AHCCCS; ELIGIBILITY 1/30 referred to House hel-hu ser.

H2642: CIVIL RIGHTS; AMENDMENTS

For the purpose of employment discrimination statutes, the terms "because of sex" and "on the basis of sex" includes because of or on the basis of pregnancy or childbirth or related medical conditions. Women who are affected by pregnancy or childbirth or related medical conditions must be treated the same for all employment-related purposes, including receipt of benefits under fringe benefit programs, as other persons not so affected but similar in their ability or inability to work.

ARS Titles Affected: 41
First sponsor: Rep. Weninger (R - Dist 17)
NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

For Vote Analysis:
- Support
- Oppose
- Neutral

H2642 Daily History
Date Action
CIVIL RIGHTS; AMENDMENTS 2/11 from House rules okay.
CIVIL RIGHTS; AMENDMENTS 2/4 from House com do pass.
CIVIL RIGHTS; AMENDMENTS 2/4 House com do pass; report awaited.
CIVIL RIGHTS; AMENDMENTS 1/29 referred to House com.

H2643: INSURANCE; OPTOMETRISTS; CONTRACTS; COVERED SERVICES

A contract entered into or renewed on or after January 1, 2021 between an optometric service corporation, health care services organization or disability insurer and an licensed optometrist cannot require the optometrist to provide services to an individual covered under a subscription contract, evidence of coverage or insurance policy based on a fee set by the corporation, organization or insurer unless the service for which the fee applies is a "covered service" (defined) under the individual's contract, coverage or policy.

ARS Titles Affected: 20
First sponsor: Rep. Weninger (R - Dist 17)
Others: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6), Rep. Cobb (R - Dist 5), Sen. Fann (R - Dist 1), Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22)
NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

H2643 Daily History

Date Action

INSURANCE; OPTOMETRISTS; CONTRACTS; COVERED SERVICES 2/17 from House rules okay.
INSURANCE; OPTOMETRISTS; CONTRACTS; COVERED SERVICES 2/12 from House com with amend #4167.
INSURANCE; OPTOMETRISTS; CONTRACTS; COVERED SERVICES 2/11 House com amended; report awaited.
INSURANCE; OPTOMETRISTS; CONTRACTS; COVERED SERVICES 2/11 from House reg affairs do pass.
INSURANCE; OPTOMETRISTS; CONTRACTS; COVERED SERVICES 2/10 House reg affairs do pass; report awaited.
INSURANCE; OPTOMETRISTS; CONTRACTS; COVERED SERVICES 1/29 referred to House reg affairs, com.

H2700: REAR-FACING CAR SEATS

A child who is under two years of age is required to be in a rear-facing child restraint system unless the child weighs at least 40 pounds or is at least 40 inches tall, in which case the child restraint system may be forward facing.

ARS Titles Affected: 28
First sponsor: Rep. Bolding (D - Dist 27)

For Vote Analysis:
**H2700 Daily History**  
Date Action

REAR-FACING CAR SEATS 2/20 from House pub safety do pass.
REAR-FACING CAR SEATS 2/19 House pub safety do pass; report awaited.
REAR-FACING CAR SEATS 2/13 from House trans do pass.
REAR-FACING CAR SEATS 2/12 House trans do pass; report awaited.
REAR-FACING CAR SEATS 2/3 referred to House trans, pub safety.

**H2727: AHCCCS; PREGNANT WOMEN; DENTAL CARE**

The list of covered services under the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS) is expanded to include comprehensive dental care for women who are at least 21 years of age and in any stage of pregnancy. Appropriates $178,900 from the general fund and $478,300 from federal Medicaid authority in FY2020-21 to the AHCCCS Administration for dental services to pregnant women. Appropriates $3.63 million from the general fund in FY2020-21 to the AHCCCS Administration to cover costs incurred due to eligibility changes directly related to the introduction of a dental benefit for pregnant women. By October 1, 2021, the AHCCCS Administration is required to report to the Governor and the Legislature the actual costs incurred to provide dental services to pregnant women and the actual costs incurred due to eligibility changes directly related to the introduction of a dental benefit for pregnant women during FY2020-21.

ARS Titles Affected: 36
First sponsor: Rep. Osborne (R - Dist 13)

For Vote Analysis:
- Supports
- Opposes
- Neutrals

**H2727 Daily History**  
Date Action

AHCCCS; PREGNANT WOMEN; DENTAL CARE 2/17 from House hel-hu ser with amend #4253.
AHCCCS; PREGNANT WOMEN; DENTAL CARE 2/13 House hel-hu ser amended; report awaited.
H2764: MENTAL HEALTH OMNIBUS

Numerous changes to statutes relating to mental health. Adds a new chapter to Title 20 (Insurance) requiring each health care insurer that issues a health plan in Arizona to comply with the federal Mental Health Parity and Addiction Equity Act. Requires the Department of Insurance and Financial Institutions (DIFI) to evaluate health plan compliance and enforce related regulations. Appropriates $200,000 and one FTE position from the general fund in FY2020-21 to DIFI to administer the mental health parity requirements of this legislation. Prohibits health care insurers that issue a health plan including mental health or substance use disorder benefits for a minor solely on the grounds that the service was provided in a school or ordered by a court. Establishes a Mental Health Parity Advisory Committee to advise the Directors of the DIFI and the Department of Health Services (DHS) on matters relating to mental health parity. Establishes the Suicide Mortality Review Team in DHS to develop a suicide mortality data collection system and study the adequacy of statutes and services to determine changes needed to decrease the incidence of preventable suicides and take steps to implement those changes. DHS is authorized to use monies in the Child Fatality Review Fund to staff the Review Team. Establishes the Children's Behavior Health Services Fund, to be administered by DHS and used to enter into an agreement with one or more contractors for children's behavioral health services. Appropriates $8 million from the general fund in FY2020-21 to ADE to conduct a study to determine the adequacy of behavioral health services offered in school districts and charter schools in Arizona. Information that must be included in the study is specified. By June 30, 2023, ADE is required to submit a report summarizing the research study to the Governor and the Legislature. Appropriates $300,000 from the general fund in FY2020-21 to ADE for the research study. Requires DIFI and DHS to adopt various rules relating to this legislation.

ARS Titles Affected: 20 36 41

First sponsor: Rep. Weninger (R - Dist 17)


NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.
broad range of services necessary to meet the unique medical and functional needs of people with complex medical needs. Provisions that must be included in the rules and policies are listed.

ARS Titles Affected: 36
First sponsor: Rep. Longdon (D - Dist 24)
Others: Rep. Jermaine (D - Dist 18)
NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

For Vote Analysis:
- Support
- Oppose
- Neutral

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### H2774: MEDICAL ASSISTANTS; TRAINING REQUIREMENTS

The training requirements for a medical assistant may be satisfied through a training program that is designed and offered by a physician, that meets or exceeds any of the approved training program requirements specified in Arizona Medical Board rule, and that verifies the entry-level competencies of a medical assistant as prescribed by Board rule.

ARS Titles Affected: 32
First sponsor: Rep. Grantham (R - Dist 12)
NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

For Vote Analysis:
- Support
- Oppose
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### H2784: MEDICAL MARIJUANA: RESEARCH; GRANTS
The Department of Health Services is required to establish a Medical Marijuana Research Committee to oversee and provide grants from monies in the Medical Marijuana Fund for marijuana research studies on the safety and efficacy of using marijuana for medical purposes. Due to voter protection, this legislation requires the affirmative vote of at least 3/4 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage.

ARS Titles Affected: 36
First sponsor: Rep. Payne (R - Dist 21)
NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

H2784 Daily History

MEDICAL MARIJUANA: RESEARCH; GRANTS 2/20 House hel-hu ser do pass; report awaited.
MEDICAL MARIJUANA: RESEARCH; GRANTS 2/6 referred to House hel-hu ser.

H2824: PHARMACY BOARD; NONPRESCRIPTION DRUGS; DIVERSION

Statutes relating to the Arizona State Board of Pharmacy do not require a person to hold a Board-issued permit to sell only nonprescription drugs at retail in original packages. Eliminates the nonprescription drug wholesale permit that was previously issued by the Board. A person licensed or permitted by the Board is not subject to an investigation, civil penalty or other disciplinary action for failing to disclose a criminal charge if the criminal charge is more than four years old and does not involve sexual misconduct, an incident or occurrence involving a felony, diversion of a controlled substance or impairment while practicing.

ARS Titles Affected: 13 32
First sponsor: Rep. Barto (R - Dist 15)
NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

H2824 Daily History

PHARMACY BOARD; NONPRESCRIPTION DRUGS; DIVERSION 2/17 from House hel-hu ser do pass.
PHARMACY BOARD; NONPRESCRIPTION DRUGS; DIVERSION 2/13 House hel-hu ser do pass; report awaited.
PHARMACY BOARD; NONPRESCRIPTION DRUGS; DIVERSION 2/10 referred to House hel-hu ser.
H2826: TOBACCO; VAPING; PENALTIES; LEGAL AGE

It is unlawful for a person to knowingly sell, give or furnish a tobacco product, vapor product or any instrument or paraphernalia solely designed for smoking or ingesting tobacco or shisha to a person who is under the minimum age of sale for tobacco products as set by the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, instead of to minors. Establishes penalties for violations, including mandatory attendance at a court-approved tobacco retailer educational course and graduated fines. In addition to the fines, if a person commits a second or subsequent violation, the Department of Revenue is required to suspend the person's use of the transaction privilege tax class code for the retail sale of tobacco products and vapor products for a specified period based on the number of violations.

ARS Titles Affected: 13 42
First sponsor: Rep. Osborne (R - Dist 13)

NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

H2826 Daily History

TOBACCO; VAPING; PENALTIES; LEGAL AGE 2/19 from House com do pass.
TOBACCO; VAPING; PENALTIES; LEGAL AGE 2/18 House com do pass; report awaited.
TOBACCO; VAPING; PENALTIES; LEGAL AGE 2/12 referred to House com.

H2831: EPINEPHRINE INJECTIONS; FIRST RESPONDERS; IMMUNITY

Pursuant to a standing order issued by a licensed physician or nurse practitioner, a "first responder" (defined) who is trained in administering epinephrine injections is authorized to administer an epinephrine injection to a person who the first responder believes in good faith is experiencing anaphylaxis. Licensed physicians and nurse practitioners who issue a standing order and first responders who administer epinephrine injections are immune from professional liability and criminal prosecution for any decision made, act or omission or injury that results from that act if the person acts with reasonable care and in good faith, except in cases of wanton or willful neglect.

ARS Titles Affected: 36
First sponsor: Rep. Bowers (R - Dist 25)

NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

H2831 Daily History

For Vote Analysis:

Support  ☑  Oppose  ☐  Neutral  ☐
**H2840: MEDICAL MARIJUANA; REGISTRY IDENTIFICATION CARDS**

A medical marijuana cardholder is allowed to choose to have either an electronic or a tangible registry identification card. Due to voter protection, this legislation requires the affirmative vote of at least 3/4 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage.

**For Vote Analysis:**
- Support
- Oppose
- Neutral

**ARS Titles Affected:** 36

First sponsor: Rep. Powers Hannley (D - Dist 9)


**NOTE:** Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

**H2840 Daily History**

**Date Action**

MEDICAL MARIJUANA; REGISTRY IDENTIFICATION CARDS 2/20 House hel-hu ser do pass; report awaited.

MEDICAL MARIJUANA; REGISTRY IDENTIFICATION CARDS 2/11 referred to House hel-hu ser.

**H2843: SOBER LIVING HOMES; FEES; PENALTIES**

Licensure of a sober living home is for three years, increased from one year. The fee for initial licensure and license renewal is capped at $500. The Department of Health Services is prohibited from charging a fee on a per bed basis. Various penalties for violations of sober living home licensure requirements are deleted.

**For Vote Analysis:**
- Support
- Oppose
- Neutral

**ARS Titles Affected:** 36

First sponsor: Rep. Kern (R - Dist 20)

**NOTE:** Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.
SOBER LIVING HOMES; FEES; PENALTIES 2/20 House hel-hu ser amended; report awaited.

SOBER LIVING HOMES; FEES; PENALTIES 2/11 referred to House hel-hu ser.

**H2846: PUBLIC OFFICIALS; ENTITIES; CIVIL LIABILITY**

A public entity is not liable for damages as a result of an injury caused by any act or omission by a public officer who renders emergency care gratuitously and in good faith in a public building, at a public gathering on the grounds of a public building, or at the scene of an emergency, or as the result of any act or failure to act to provide or arrange for further medical treatment for the injured person, unless the public officer is guilty of gross negligence.

For Vote Analysis:
- Support
- Oppose
- Neutral

AR5 Titles Affected: 12
First sponsor: Rep. Shah (D - Dist 24)

NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

PUBLIC OFFICIALS; ENTITIES; CIVIL LIABILITY 2/20 House hel-hu ser do pass; report awaited.

PUBLIC OFFICIALS; ENTITIES; CIVIL LIABILITY 2/12 referred to House hel-hu ser.

**H2853: FURNISHING TOBACCO; MINORS; ENTERPRISE PENALTIES**

If an enterprise violates the prohibition on knowingly selling, giving or furnishing a tobacco product, vapor product or any instrument or paraphernalia solely designed for smoking or ingesting tobacco or shisha to a minor, the court is required to impose specified penalties based on the number of violations. Penalties include mandatory attendance at a court-approved tobacco retailer educational course and graduated fines. For a second or subsequent violation, the court is required to prohibit the enterprise from selling, giving or furnishing tobacco products or vapor products for a specified time period. A violation of this restriction is a petty offense, subject to an additional fine and an extension of the prohibition.

For Vote Analysis:
- Support
- Oppose

AR5 Titles Affected: 13
First sponsor: Rep. Bolick (R - Dist 20)
Others: Rep. Blackman (R - Dist 6)

NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.
**H2853 Daily History**

FURNISHING TOBACCO; MINORS; ENTERPRISE PENALTIES 2/19 from House com with amend #4302.
FURNISHING TOBACCO; MINORS; ENTERPRISE PENALTIES 2/18 House com amended; report awaited.
FURNISHING TOBACCO; MINORS; ENTERPRISE PENALTIES 2/12 referred to House com.

**H2881: GENETIC TESTING; PRIVATE PROPERTY**

Except as specifically authorized or required by state or federal law, genetic testing and the information derived from genetic testing, whether in the possession of a public or private entity, are the exclusive private property of the person tested.
ARS Titles Affected: 12
First sponsor: Rep. Roberts (R - Dist 11)

NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

**H2881 Daily History**

GENETIC TESTING; PRIVATE PROPERTY 2/19 from House tech do pass.
GENETIC TESTING; PRIVATE PROPERTY 2/19 House tech do pass; report awaited.
GENETIC TESTING; PRIVATE PROPERTY 2/12 referred to House tech.

**HCR2045: MEDICAL MARIJUANA; MENTAL HEALTH; RESEARCH**

The 2020 general election ballot is to carry the question of whether to amend state statute to make various changes to the Arizona Medical Marijuana Act. Establishes the medical marijuana classification of transaction privilege taxes and levies a tax of five percent of the tax base on that classification. Requires the Department of Health Services to provide grants from monies in the Medical Marijuana Fund for marijuana research studies on the safety and efficacy of using marijuana for medical purposes.

For Vote Analysis:
and the side effects of marijuana use, with a specific focus on the relationship between marijuana use and schizophrenia and the correlation between marijuana use and violent behavior. Requires warning labels to be affixed to the packaging of any medical marijuana dispensed to a qualified patient or designated caregiver. Prohibits a registered nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary from dispensing medical marijuana with a tetrahydrocannabinol concentration of more than two percent.

ARS Titles Affected: 36 42

First sponsor: Rep. Bowers (R - Dist 25)

NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

**HCR2045 Daily History**

MEDICAL MARIJUANA; MENTAL HEALTH; RESEARCH 2/20 House hel-hu ser do pass; report awaited.
MEDICAL MARIJUANA; MENTAL HEALTH; RESEARCH 2/17 referred to House hel-hu ser.

**S1024: TECH CORRECTION; PUBLIC HEALTH**

Minor change in Title 36 (Public Health and Safety) related to public health menaces. Apparent striker bus.

ARS Titles Affected: 36

First sponsor: Sen. Brophy McGee (R - Dist 28)

NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

**S1024 Daily History**

TECH CORRECTION; PUBLIC HEALTH 2/20 retained on Senate COW calendar.
TECH CORRECTION; PUBLIC HEALTH 2/18 from Senate rules okay.
TECH CORRECTION; PUBLIC HEALTH 2/12 from Senate hel-hu ser with amend #4174.
TECH CORRECTION; PUBLIC HEALTH 2/12 Senate hel-hu ser amended; report awaited.
S1027: INFORMED CONSENT; PELVIC EXAMINATIONS

It is an act of unprofessional conduct for a licensed physician, nurse practitioner, or physician assistant to perform or supervise an individual who performs a pelvic examination on an anesthetized or unconscious patient without first obtaining the patient's informed consent to the pelvic examination. Some exceptions. AS PASSED SENATE.

ARS Titles Affected: 32

First sponsor: Sen. Carter (R - Dist 15)

NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

S1027 Daily History

Date Action

INFORMED CONSENT; PELVIC EXAMINATIONS 2/4 passed Senate 30-0; ready for House.
INFORMED CONSENT; PELVIC EXAMINATIONS 2/3 Senate COW approved with amend #4008 and floor amend #4058.
INFORMED CONSENT; PELVIC EXAMINATIONS 1/29 retained on Senate COW calendar.
INFORMED CONSENT; PELVIC EXAMINATIONS 1/23 from Senate hel-hu ser with amend #4008.
INFORMED CONSENT; PELVIC EXAMINATIONS 1/22 Senate hel-hu ser amended; report awaited.

S1028: DHS; ENHANCED SURVEILLANCE; PUBLIC HEALTH

The list of circumstances under which the Governor is authorized to issue an enhanced surveillance advisory is expanded to include if the Governor has reasonable cause to believe that an illness, health condition or clinical syndrome caused by an emerging public health threat has occurred or may occur.

ARS Titles Affected: 36

First sponsor: Sen. Carter (R - Dist 15)

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**S1028 Daily History**

DHS; ENHANCED SURVEILLANCE; PUBLIC HEALTH 1/13 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.

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**S1051: DHS; CONTINUATION**

The statutory life of the Department of Health Services is extended eight years to July 1, 2028. Retroactive to July 1, 2020.

ARS Titles Affected: 41

First sponsor: Sen. Brophy McGee (R - Dist 28)

NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

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**S1051 Daily History**

DHS; CONTINUATION 1/30 Senate COW approved. passed Senate 29-1; ready for House.

DHS; CONTINUATION 1/21 from Senate rules okay.

DHS; CONTINUATION 1/16 from Senate hel-hu ser do pass.

DHS; CONTINUATION 1/15 Senate hel-hu ser do pass; report awaited.

DHS; CONTINUATION 1/13 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.

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**S1057: LYME; VECTOR-BORNE DISEASES; TREATMENT**

A licensed prescribing health professional is authorized to prescribe, administer or dispense "long-term antimicrobial therapy" (defined) for a therapeutic purpose to eliminate pathogens or control a patient's symptoms after making a clinical diagnosis that the patient has "Lyme or a tick-borne disease" (defined) or displays symptoms consistent with a clinical diagnosis of Lyme or a
tick-borne disease. A health professions regulatory board is prohibited from initiating disciplinary action against a licensed
prescribing health professional due to past, present or future prescribing, administering or dispensing of long-term antimicrobial
therapy to a patient who is clinically diagnosed with Lyme or a tick-borne disease. AS PASSED SENATE.

ARS Titles Affected: 32

First sponsor: Sen. S. Allen (R - Dist 6)

NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still
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**S1079: HEALTH CARE SERVICE CORPORATIONS; SCOPE**

The list of statutes that apply to all hospital service corporations, medical service corporations, dental service corporations,
optic service corporations and hospital, medical, dental and optometric service corporations is expanded to include statute
allowing the application of deductibles, coinsurance, preferred provider organization requirements, cost containment measures
or quality assurance measures if they are equally applied to all types of physicians, and if any limitation or condition placed on
payment to or on services, diagnosis or treatment by those physicians is equally applied without discrimination to the usual and
customary procedures of any type of physician.

ARS Titles Affected: 20

First sponsor: Sen. D. Farnsworth (R - Dist 16)

NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still
support the measure.
HEALTH CARE SERVICE CORPORATIONS; SCOPE 2/20 from Senate fin with amend #4370.
HEALTH CARE SERVICE CORPORATIONS; SCOPE 2/19 Senate fin amended; report awaited.
HEALTH CARE SERVICE CORPORATIONS; SCOPE 1/13 referred to Senate fin.

**S1088: DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES; SPINA BIFIDA**

The definition of "developmental disability" is expanded to include a severe, chronic disability that is attributable to "spina bifida" (defined).

ARS Titles Affected: 36  
First sponsor: Sen. Brophy McGee (R - Dist 28)  
Note: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

**For Vote Analysis:**
- Support
- Oppose
- Neutral

**S1088 Daily History**  Date Action

DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES; SPINA BIFIDA 1/30 passed Senate 30-0; ready for House.
DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES; SPINA BIFIDA 1/22 from Senate hel-hu ser do pass.
DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES; SPINA BIFIDA 1/22 Senate hel-hu ser do pass; report awaited.
DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES; SPINA BIFIDA 1/13 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.

**S1095: CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES; SCHEDULE DESIGNATIONS**

The State Board of Pharmacy is required to adopt by rule the schedule I, II, III, IV and V controlled substances listed in the code of federal regulations and to amend the rules as necessary to reflect changes in the designations. The definition of "controlled substances" throughout statute is modified to include those adopted by the Board by rule according to this requirement. The statutory lists of chemicals that are designated as controlled substances in each schedule level are deleted.

ARS Titles Affected: 13 32 36  
First sponsor: Sen. Pace (R - Dist 25)  
Note: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

**For Vote Analysis:**
- Support
- Oppose
- Neutral
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES; SCHEDULE DESIGNATIONS 2/4 from Senate rules okay.
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES; SCHEDULE DESIGNATIONS 1/30 from Senate hel-hu ser do pass.
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES; SCHEDULE DESIGNATIONS 1/29 Senate hel-hu ser do pass; report awaited.
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES; SCHEDULE DESIGNATIONS 1/13 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.

S1127: ATHLETIC TRAINERS; DRY NEEDLING

By December 31, 2020, the Board of Athletic Training is required to adopt rules establishing the professional standards of care and training and education qualifications for the performance of "dry needling" (defined) for therapeutic purposes. Failing to comply with Board standards for dry needling is added to the list of acts that constitute unprofessional conduct for athletic trainers.

ARS Titles Affected: 32
First sponsor: Sen. Brophy McGee (R - Dist 28)
Others: Rep. Barto (R - Dist 15)

For Vote Analysis:

S1127 Daily History

ATHLETIC TRAINERS; DRY NEEDLING 1/30 passed Senate 30-0; ready for House.
ATHLETIC TRAINERS; DRY NEEDLING 1/22 from Senate hel-hu ser do pass.
ATHLETIC TRAINERS; DRY NEEDLING 1/22 Senate hel-hu ser do pass; report awaited.
ATHLETIC TRAINERS; DRY NEEDLING 1/15 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.

S1138: DENTAL INSURERS; WEBSITE; OVERPAYMENTS; PREDETERMINATIONS;

Various changes relating to dental insurers. Dental service corporations, health care services organizations, and disability insurers are required to establish an internet website to provide resources and information to dentists and subscribers at no charge. The
website must include information about each type of subscription contract to allow subscribers and dentists to determine the covered services and the payment or reimbursement amounts for those covered services. Dental service corporations, health care services organizations, and disability insurers are prohibited from deducting the amount of an overpayment of a claim from a payment or reimbursement of another claim unless both claims were for covered services provided to the same subscriber by the same dentist. Dental service corporations, health care services organizations, and disability insurers that provide a written predetermination of benefits to a dentist for a covered service that includes a specific benefit payment or reimbursement amount are prohibited from paying or reimbursing the dentist for providing that service in an amount that is less than the amount in the predetermination.

ARS Titles Affected: 20
First sponsor: Sen. S. Allen (R - Dist 6)

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### S1146: SCHOOLS; SEIZURE MANAGEMENT; TREATMENT PLANS

Beginning in the 2020-2021 school year, the parent or guardian of a student who has a seizure disorder and who is enrolled in public school in Arizona is authorized to seek care for the student's seizures while the student is at school or participating in a school-sponsored activity. The parent or guardian is required to submit to the school district or charter school a copy of a seizure management and treatment plan developed by the parent or guardian and the physician responsible for the student's seizure treatment. Requirements for the plan are specified. School districts, charter schools, employees of school districts or charter schools and nurses who are under contract with a school district or charter school are immune from civil liability with respect to all decisions made and actions taken that are based on good faith implementation of a seizure management and treatment plan. By December 1, 2020, the State Board of Education is required to approve an online course of instruction that is provided free of charge by a nonprofit national foundation and that supports the welfare of individuals with epilepsy and seizure disorders. School nurses and school employees whose duties include regular contact with students are required to complete the online course.

ARS Titles Affected: 15
First sponsor: Sen. Kerr (R - Dist 13)
Others: Rep. Dunn (R - Dist 13), Rep. Osborne (R - Dist 13)

NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.
SCHOOLS; SEIZURE MANAGEMENT; TREATMENT PLANS 2/11 from Senate rules okay.
SCHOOLS; SEIZURE MANAGEMENT; TREATMENT PLANS 2/5 from Senate educ do pass.
SCHOOLS; SEIZURE MANAGEMENT; TREATMENT PLANS 2/4 Senate educ do pass; report awaited.
SCHOOLS; SEIZURE MANAGEMENT; TREATMENT PLANS 1/21 referred to Senate educ.

**S1151: AHCCCS SERVICES; DIABETES MANAGEMENT**

The list of medically necessary health and medical services that Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS) contractors are required to provide is expanded to include up to 10 program hours annually of diabetes outpatient self-management training services if prescribed by a primary care practitioner in specified circumstances. Monies from the Hospital Assessment Fund cannot be used to provide diabetes outpatient self-management training services.

ARS Titles Affected: 36
First sponsor: Sen. Carter (R - Dist 15)

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**S1152: MEDICAL STUDENT LOAN PROGRAM**

Various changes to the Medical Student Loan Program. Membership of the Board of Medical Student Loans is modified to remove all current members except the Director of the Department of Health Services and replace them with one representative from each accredited medical school in Arizona. Session law allows current Board members to continue to serve until the expiration of their normal terms. Removes the requirement for at least 50 percent of loan monies to be apportioned for students attending private medical schools. Modifies penalties for a loan recipient who does not fulfill the conditions of the loan contract.

ARS Titles Affected: 15

For Vote Analysis: Support
The list of diseases or impairment of a firefighter's health that are presumed to be an occupational disease for the purpose of workers' compensation is expanded to include ovarian and breast cancer. Eliminates the requirement that a firefighter was exposed to a known carcinogen and informed the department of the exposure and that the carcinogen is reasonably related to the cancer in order for the presumptions to be granted. The presumptions apply to all firefighters and fire investigators who are currently in service, and to former firefighters or fire investigators who are 65 years of age or younger and who are diagnosed with one of the specified cancers no more than 15 years after the last date of employment as a firefighter or fire investigator. The presumption is conclusive and irrebuttable if the statutory requirements are met. Previously, the presumption could be rebutted by a preponderance of the evidence that there was a specific cause of the cancer other than an occupational exposure. Contains a legislative findings and intent section. AS PASSED SENATE.

ARS Titles Affected:

First sponsor: Sen. Carter (R - Dist 15)

NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

S1160 Daily History

Date Action

FIREFIGHTERS; CANCERS; PRESUMPTION; WORKERS' COMPENSATION 2/12 passed Senate 25-4; ready for House.
**S1163: AHCCCS; SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT**

The Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System replaces the Department of Health Services as a joint administrator with the Department of Child Safety of community programs for substance abuse treatment assistance.

**AR5 Titles Affected:** 8

First sponsor: Sen. Brophy McGee (R - Dist 28)

*NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.*

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**For Vote Analysis:**

- Support
- Oppose
- Neutral

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**S1167: AHCCCS; GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION; REIMBURSEMENT**

Beginning October 1, 2020, the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System Administration is required to establish a separate Graduate Medical Education Program to reimburse qualifying community health centers that have an approved primary care graduate medical education program. The AHCCCS Administration is required to adopt rules specifying the formula by which monies appropriated for graduate medical education are distributed to qualifying community health centers. Establishes reporting analysis.
requirements for recipients of the funds, and requires the AHCCCS Administration to report to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee by July 1 of each year on the number of new residency positions created with the funds.

ARS Titles Affected: 36

First sponsor: Sen. Carter (R - Dist 15)

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**S1168: NURSING SHORTAGE; PLAN; PILOT PROGRAM**

Establishes a 18-member Nursing Workforce Preparation and Shortage Work Group in the Department of Health Services to review nursing education curriculum, establish a long-term plan to address Arizona's nursing workforce preparation and shortage, and prepare recommendations for changes to curriculum and the feasibility of a nurse residency pilot program. The Work Group is required to report its recommendations to the Legislature, the Arizona Board of Regents, and the Joint Legislative Budget Committee. Self-repeals January 1, 2023. AS PASSED SENATE.

ARS Titles Affected: 41

First sponsor: Sen. Carter (R - Dist 15)

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**S1170: AHCCCS; PREGNANT WOMEN; DENTAL CARE**

The list of covered services under the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS) is expanded to include comprehensive dental care for women who are at least 21 years of age and in any stage of pregnancy. Appropriates $178,900 from the general fund and $478,300 from federal Medicaid authority in FY2020-21 to the AHCCCS Administration for dental services to pregnant women. Appropriates $3.63 million from the general fund in FY2020-21 to the AHCCCS Administration to cover costs incurred due to eligibility changes directly related to the introduction of a dental benefit for pregnant women. By October 1, 2021, the AHCCCS Administration is required to report to the Governor and the Legislature the actual costs incurred to provide dental services to pregnant women and the actual costs incurred due to eligibility changes directly related to the introduction of a dental benefit for pregnant women during FY2020-21.

ARS Titles Affected: 36
First sponsor: Sen. Carter (R - Dist 15)

**S1211: ADMINISTRATIVE RULES; EXPIRATION; LEGISLATIVE EXTENSION**

All "rules" (defined as a rule published in the Administrative Code) that were adopted before the effective date of this legislation expire on July 1, 2022. If an agency wishes to extend a rule that was adopted before the effective date of this legislation before the expiration of that rule, the agency is required to comply with the rulemaking procedures of the Administrative Procedures Act. Beginning July 1, 2023, the Administrative Code expires on July 1 of each year unless the Code is approved by the Legislature for a period of up to one year.

ARS Titles Affected: 41
First sponsor: Sen. Leach (R - Dist 11)
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ADMINISTRATIVE RULES; EXPIRATION; LEGISLATIVE EXTENSION

### S1227: DENTAL HYGIENISTS; AFFILIATED PRACTICE

An affiliated practice agreement between a dental hygienist and a dentist is required to include the conditions under which the affiliated practice dental hygienist may administer local anesthesia and provide root planing, and is permitted to include the circumstances under which the affiliated practice dental hygienist must consult with the affiliated practice dentist before initiating further treatment on patients who have not been seen by a dentist within 12 months after the initial treatment by the dental hygienist. Dentists in an affiliated practice relationship are no longer prohibited from allowing the provision of dental hygiene services by more than three affiliated practice dental hygienists at any one time. A dental hygienist is prohibited from administering nitrous oxide. AS PASSED SENATE.

ARS Titles Affected: 32

First sponsor: Sen. Brophy McGee (R - Dist 28)

Others: Sen. Bowie (D - Dist 18)

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### S1291: EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE; FALLS; LIABILITY

DENTAL HYGIENISTS; AFFILIATED PRACTICE
A person who in good faith renders emergency care or emergency assistance either at the direction of an emergency dispatch operator for or to prevent further injury to a person who has fallen is not liable for any civil damages as the result, unless the person acted with gross negligence while rendering the emergency care or emergency assistance.

ARS Titles Affected: 32
First sponsor: Sen. Carter (R - Dist 15)
Others: Sen. Brophy McGee (R - Dist 28)
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First sponsor: Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22)
Others: Sen. Fann (R - Dist 1)
NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.
DOI; DFI; OMNIBUS 2/18 from Senate rules okay.
DOI; DFI; OMNIBUS 2/6 from Senate fin with amend #4904.
DOI; DFI; OMNIBUS 2/5 Senate fin amended; report awaited.
DOI; DFI; OMNIBUS 1/27 referred to Senate fin.

**S1324: OPIOID PRESCRIPTIONS; NALOXONE REQUIREMENT; EXCEPTION**

The requirement for a health professional prescribing a patient more than 90 morphine milligram equivalents per day to also prescribe naloxone hydrochloride or another opioid antagonist does not apply to a patient who is receiving hospice care or end-of-life care.

ARS Titles Affected:

First sponsor: Sen. Brophy McGee (R - Dist 28)

NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

For Vote Analysis:

- Support
- Oppose
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**S1329: DEFINED CONTRIBUTION; HEALTH SUBSIDY; DISABILITY**

Retired members of the Public Safety Personnel Defined Contribution Retirement System are no longer required to pay the premium for coverage in the group health and accident coverage and are no longer excluded from eligibility for benefits under the health insurance premium assistance program for members with disabilities. The accidental disability pension for a member of the Public Safety Personnel Retirement System must be at least 50 percent of the member's average monthly benefit.

For Vote Analysis:

ARS Titles Affected: 38
First sponsor: Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22)
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S1329 Daily History

Date Action

DEFINED CONTRIBUTION; HEALTH SUBSIDY; DISABILITY 2/20 passed Senate 25-0; ready for House.
DEFINED CONTRIBUTION; HEALTH SUBSIDY; DISABILITY 2/18 from Senate rules okay.
DEFINED CONTRIBUTION; HEALTH SUBSIDY; DISABILITY 2/6 Senate fin do pass.
DEFINED CONTRIBUTION; HEALTH SUBSIDY; DISABILITY 1/28 referred to Senate fin.

S1334: PHARMACISTS; VACCINES

Modifies the vaccines that pharmacists are authorized to administer without a prescription order to include vaccines recommended by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (CDC Committee) for a person who is at least 6 years of age, instead of at least 13 years of age. A pharmacist is authorized to administer vaccines with a prescription order to a person who is at least 3 years of age but under 6 years of age, instead of a person who is at least 6 years of age but under 13 years of age. Establishes additional requirements for pharmacists who administer vaccines, including policies and protocols for administration, providing vaccine information and educational materials, and notifying the vaccine adverse event reporting system as recommended by the CDC Committee.

ARS Titles Affected: 32

S1334 Daily History

Date Action

PHARMACISTS; VACCINES 2/20 Senate hel-hu ser amended; report awaited.
PHARMACISTS; VACCINES 1/28 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.
S1351: CHILD SAFETY; NEGLECT; DEFINITION

For the purpose of Title 8 (Children), the definition of "neglect" is modified to include a determination by a toxicology screen or other laboratory test that indicates that a newborn infant was exposed prenatally to a drug or controlled substance listed in the criminal code, in addition to a determination by a health professional.

ARS Titles Affected: 8

First sponsor: Sen. Brophy McGee (R - Dist 28)

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S1370: CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES MONITORING PROGRAM; DELEGATES

The State Board of Pharmacy is authorized to release data collected by the Controlled Substances Prescription Monitoring Program to a health care insurer. Data provided by the Board from the Program is prohibited from being used for credentialing health care professionals, determining payment, preemployment screening, or any other purpose other than preventing overuse or abuse of controlled substances and the safety and quality of care provided. Each employee of the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System Administration, a contractor or a health care insurer who is a licensed health care professional and who is authorized to prescribe or dispense controlled substances may authorize up to ten delegates to receive delegate access to the Program. A person who is assigned delegate access is required to operate under the authority and responsibility of the AHCCCS Administration's, contractor's or health care insurer's chief medical officer or other employee who is a licensed health care professional and who is authorized to prescribe or dispense controlled substances. A licensed health care professional who fails to supervise a delegate commits an act of unprofessional conduct.

ARS Titles Affected: 36

First sponsor: Sen. Brophy McGee (R - Dist 28)

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CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES MONITORING PROGRAM; DELEGATES 2/12 Senate hel-hu ser amended; report awaited.
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES MONITORING PROGRAM; DELEGATES 1/29 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.

S1371: AHCCCS; ELIGIBILITY

The Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System Administration is required to annually renew the eligibility of an individual who was in the custody of the Department of Child Safety when the individual reached 18 years of age without requiring additional information from the individual until the individual reaches 26 years of age, unless the individual notifies the AHCCCS Administration that the individual moved out of Arizona or has provided information indicating that the individual may qualify for a different eligibility category.

ARS Titles Affected: 36
First sponsor: Sen. Brophy McGee (R - Dist 28)

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S1373: AUTOMATED PRESCRIPTION-DISPENSING KIOSKS; PERMITS

A person is required to apply to the Arizona State Board of Pharmacy for a permit to operate an automated prescription-dispensing kiosk. The kiosk must be operated as an extension of the pharmacy responsible for its operation, and the pharmacy is responsible for inventory control and billing for the medications dispensed from the kiosk. Permit requirements are specified. An automated prescription-dispensing kiosk that is approved by the Board before August 3, 2018 and that is required to obtain a permit under this legislation is not required to provide specified information required by this legislation in its application that was submitted to the Board before August 3, 2018 as part of the Board's approval process in order to obtain a permit. The Board is required to issue a permit to any kiosk that was approved before August 3, 2018 and that has submitted an application for a permit with the required fees.

ARS Titles Affected: 32
First sponsor: Sen. Pace (R - Dist 25)
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S1390: BEHAVIORAL HEALTH; RATES; STUDY; APPROPRIATION

Appropriates $300,000 from the general fund in FY2020-21 to the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System Administration to engage an independent consultant with actuarial expertise to study the current outpatient behavioral health rates set by the AHCCCS Administration as its managed care fee for service schedule. Factors the consultant is required to consider are listed. The consultant is required to deliver a final report to the AHCCCS Administration by July 1, 2021. Self-repeals January 1, 2022.

ARS Titles Affected: 41

First sponsor: Sen. Carter (R - Dist 15)
NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

S1392: AHCCCS; PREGNANT WOMEN; POSTPARTUM; APPROPRIATIONS

A woman who is less than one year postpartum with a family income that does not exceed 150 percent of the federal poverty guidelines is added to the definition of "eligible person" for the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System. Appropriates $13 million from the general fund and $900,000 from Medicaid expenditure authority in FY2020-21 to the AHCCCS Administration for eligible postpartum women.

ARS Titles Affected: 36 41

First sponsor: Sen. Carter (R - Dist 15)
Others: Sen. Brophy McGee (R - Dist 28)
S1392 Daily History

| AHCCCS; PREGNANT WOMEN; POSTPARTUM; APPROPRIATIONS | 1/29 referred to Senate | appro |

S1397: INSURANCE; PREEXISTING CONDITION EXCLUSIONS; PROHIBITION

Every "health care insurer" that offers an "individual health plan" (both defined) in Arizona is required to provide guaranteed availability of coverage to an eligible individual who desires to enroll in health insurance coverage and is prohibited from declining to offer that coverage to, or denying enrollment of, that individual. Every health care insurer that offers an individual health plan in Arizona is prohibited from imposing any "preexisting condition exclusion" (defined) with respect to the issuance, renewal or scope of benefits provided in such coverage. A health care insurer is permitted to restrict enrollment in individual health plans to open enrollment periods and special enrollment periods to the extent the periods are not inconsistent with applicable federal law. Some exceptions. Conditionally enacted on a court of competent jurisdiction ruling that the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act is unconstitutional and the judgment of that court becoming final and definitive on or before June 30, 2023.

ARS Titles Affected: 20

First sponsor: Sen. Mesnard (R - Dist 17)

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S1397 Daily History

| INSURANCE; PREEXISTING CONDITION EXCLUSIONS; PROHIBITION | 2/11 from Senate rules okay. |
| INSURANCE; PREEXISTING CONDITION EXCLUSIONS; PROHIBITION | 2/6 from Senate fin do pass. |
| INSURANCE; PREEXISTING CONDITION EXCLUSIONS; PROHIBITION | 2/5 Senate fin do pass; report awaited. |
| INSURANCE; PREEXISTING CONDITION EXCLUSIONS; PROHIBITION | 1/29 referred to Senate fin. |

S1437: MEDICAL MARIJUANA FUND; OPIOID TREATMENT
The Department of Health Services is required to annually transfer $6 million from the Medical Marijuana Fund to the Substance Use Disorder Services Fund. Due to voter protection, this legislation requires the affirmative vote of at least 3/4 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage.

ARS Titles Affected: 36
First sponsor: Sen. Borrelli (R - Dist 5)
Others: Sen. Gray (R - Dist 21)

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**S1439: BREAST IMPLANT SURGERY; INFORMED CONSENT**

Before performing breast implant surgery, a licensed physician is required to provide specified information to the patient and obtain written informed consent for the procedure. A physician who knowingly violates this requirement commits an act of unprofessional conduct and is subject to license suspension or revocation.

ARS Titles Affected: 32
First sponsor: Sen. Ugenti-Rita (R - Dist 23)

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S1472: AHCCCS; POSTPARTUM VISITS; INCENTIVE PAYMENTS

The Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System Administration is required to develop a plan to increase the rate at which enrollees complete their six-week postpartum visit by providing incentive payments to contractors that meet specified goals for the percentage of the contractor's enrollees who gave birth that attend the enrollee's six-week postpartum visit. Appropriates $348,000 from the general fund and $852,000 from Medicaid expenditure authority in FY2020-21 to the AHCCCS Administration for these contractor incentive payments.

ARS Titles Affected: 36

First sponsor: Sen. Carter (R - Dist 15)

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S1473: ARIZONA NURSES ACADEMY

"Eligible postsecondary institutions" (defined) are required to implement an Arizona Nurses Academy to provide incentives for students to enter the nursing profession and commit to practice in Arizona in a hospital, community health center, skilled nursing facility or public school that is located in a county with a population of less than 500,000 persons or on an Indian reservation. Each eligible postsecondary institution is required to develop formalized partnerships in Arizona to build commitments for nurse employment on a student's completion of the Academy. Each eligible postsecondary institution is required to provide to each full-time student who is enrolled in the Academy an annual scholarship of $5,000 per year for a maximum of four academic years or eight semesters for undergraduate university students, or $3,000 per year for a maximum of two academic years or four semesters for community college students, for tuition and fees associated with the student's program of study. Requirements to qualify for the scholarships are established. By September 1, 2021 and each year thereafter, the Arizona Board of Regents is required to report to the Governor and the Legislature specified information relating to the Academy.

ARS Titles Affected: 15

First sponsor: Sen. Carter (R - Dist 15)

NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.
S1493: PHARMACISTS; DISPENSING AUTHORITY; HORMONAL CONTRACEPTIVES

A pharmacist is authorized to dispense a "self-administered hormonal contraceptive" (defined) to a patient who is 18 years of age or older pursuant to a standing prescription drug order. A prescriber who is licensed to prescribe a self-administered hormonal contraceptive is authorized to issue a standing prescription drug order authorizing the dispensing of a self-administered hormonal contraceptive. The State Board of Pharmacy is required to adopt rules to establish standard procedures for pharmacists to dispense self-administered hormonal contraceptives. A pharmacist or prescriber acting reasonably and in good faith in dispensing or prescribing a self-administered hormonal contraceptive is not liable for any civil damages for acts or omissions resulting from doing so. Some exceptions.

ARS Titles Affected: 32

First sponsor: Sen. Ugenti-Rita (R - Dist 23)

NOTE: Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.
is prohibited from adopting any rule that in any way restricts this right. A physician who performs a medical examination for workers' compensation and any other physician who testifies at an employee's workers' compensation hearing regarding the employee's condition is required to have expertise in diagnosing and treating the employee's specific injury.

ARS Titles Affected: 23
First sponsor: Sen. Boyer (R - Dist 20)
Others: Sen. Carter (R - Dist 15)

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**S1501: ELECTRONIC SMOKING DEVICES; TOBACCO SALES**

It is unlawful for a person to sell, give or furnish a tobacco product to a person who is under the minimum age of sale for tobacco products as set by the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, instead of for a person to sell or furnish tobacco products to minors. For the purposes this prohibition and statutes regulating tobacco sales, the definition of "tobacco products" is expanded to include any product containing, made of or derived from tobacco or nicotine and that is intended for human consumption, and to include an "electronic smoking device" (defined) and any substance that may be aerosolized or vaporized by the device, whether or not it contains nicotine, and any component, part, or accessory that is used in the consumption of these products. Before distributing any tobacco product, a retail tobacco vendor or the vendor's representative or employee is required to verify that the purchaser is at least the minimum age of sale for tobacco products as set by the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act. Establishes civil penalties for violations. The Department of Health Services (DHS) is required to conduct at least two unannounced compliance checks on a retail tobacco vendor annually. Beginning January 1, 2022, a retail tobacco vendor is prohibited from distributing tobacco products in Arizona without a valid tobacco retail sales license from DHS. DHS is required to establish fees for licenses. Licensing requirements are specified. Licenses are nontransferable and are valid for two years. Establishes civil penalties for selling tobacco products without a license. A person is prohibited from advertising or causing to be advertised a tobacco product, including an electronic smoking device, on an outdoor billboard that is located within 1,000 feet of a school or public playground. More. Due to voter protection, one section of this legislation requires the affirmative vote of at least 3/4 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage.

ARS Titles Affected: 13 36 44
First sponsor: Sen. Carter (R - Dist 15)
**NOTE:** Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

**S1501 Daily History**  
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ELECTRONIC SMOKING DEVICES; TOBACCO SALES 2/3 referred to Senate com.

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**S1505: NURSING SUPPORTED GROUP HOMES; LICENSURE**

By July 1, 2021, a "nursing supported group home" (defined) that is operated in Arizona by the Department of Economic Security or a private entity is required to be licensed as a health care institution. Effective July 1, 2021, nursing supported group homes are added to various statutes regulating group homes.

ARS Titles Affected:

- First sponsor: Sen. Brophy McGee (R - Dist 28)
- Others: Sen. Carter (R - Dist 15)

**NOTE:** Measure was originally sponsored by the member(s) shown here. If it has been changed by amendment the sponsor(s) may or may not still support the measure.

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**S1505 Daily History**  
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NURSING SUPPORTED GROUP HOMES; LICENSURE 2/19 Senate COW approved with amend #4177.
NURSING SUPPORTED GROUP HOMES; LICENSURE 2/18 from Senate rules okay.
NURSING SUPPORTED GROUP HOMES; LICENSURE 2/12 from Senate hel-hu ser with amend #4177.
NURSING SUPPORTED GROUP HOMES; LICENSURE 2/12 Senate hel-hu ser amended; report awaited.
NURSING SUPPORTED GROUP HOMES; LICENSURE 2/3 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.

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**S1522: HEALTH CARE LIENS; INSURANCE**

A health care provider may not assert a lien if the services provided are covered by health insurance unless the health insurance insurer denies coverage for the services or the patient owes a copayment, deductible or coinsurance, in which case the lien extends to the amount owed.

ARS Titles Affected: 33
First sponsor: Sen. Ugenti-Rita (R - Dist 23)

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S1523: MENTAL HEALTH OMNIBUS

Numerous changes to statutes relating to mental health. Adds a new chapter to Title 20 (Insurance) requiring each health care insurer that issues a health plan in Arizona to comply with the federal Mental Health Parity and Addiction Equity Act. Requires the Department of Insurance and Financial Institutions (DIFI) to evaluate health plan compliance and enforce related regulations. Appropriates $200,000 and one FTE position from the general fund in FY2020-21 to DIFI to administer the mental health parity requirements of this legislation. Prohibits health care insurers that issue a health plan including mental health or substance use disorder benefits for a minor solely on the grounds that the service was provided in a school or ordered by a court. Establishes a Mental Health Parity Advisory Committee to advise the Directors of the DIFI and the Department of Health Services (DHS) on matters relating to mental health parity. Establishes the Suicide Mortality Review Team in DHS to develop a suicide mortalities data collection system and study the adequacy of statutes and services to determine changes needed to decrease the incidence of preventable suicides and take steps to implement those changes. DHS is authorized to use monies in the Child Fatality Review Fund to staff the Review Team. Establishes the Children's Behavior Health Services Fund, to be administered by DHS and used to enter into an agreement with one or more contractors for children's behavioral health services. Appropriates $8 million from the general fund in FY2020-21 to the Fund. By January 1, 2021, the Arizona Department of Education (ADE) is required to contract with a research entity to conduct a study to determine the adequacy of behavioral health services offered in school districts and charter schools in Arizona. Information that must be included in the study is specified. By June 30, 2023, ADE is required to submit a report summarizing the research study to the Governor and the Legislature. Appropriates $300,000 from the general fund in FY2020-21 to ADE for the research study. Requires DIFI and DHS to adopt various rules relating to this legislation.

For Vote Analysis:
- Support
- Oppose
- Neutral

ARS Titles Affected: 20 36

First sponsor: Sen. Brophy McGee (R - Dist 28)
11), Sen. Livingston (R - Dist 22), Sen. Mesnard (R - Dist 17), Sen. Navarrete (D - Dist 30), Sen. Otondo (D - Dist 4), Sen. Pace (R - Dist 25), Sen. Peshlakai (D - Dist 7), Sen. Pratt (R - Dist 8), Sen. Quezada (D - Dist 29), Sen. Rios (D - Dist 27), Sen. Steele (D - Dist 9), Sen. Ugenti-Rita (R - Dist 23)

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**S1523: DAILY HISTORY**

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**S1529: HEALTH CARE MINISTRIES; EXEMPTION; DEFINITION**

For the purpose of the exemption from insurance regulations for health care sharing ministries, the definition of a "health care sharing ministry" is modified to change the federal code referred to.

For Vote Analysis:

- Support
- Oppose
- Neutral

**S1529 Daily History**

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**S1547: CHILDREN'S HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM; ELIGIBILITY**

Beginning October 1, 2020, a person under 19 years of age whose gross household income is at or below 250 percent, increased from 200 percent, of the federal poverty level, is eligible for the Children's Health Insurance Program.
**ARS Titles Affected:** 36  
First sponsor: Sen. Rios (D - Dist 27)  

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### S1570: OUTPATIENT TREATMENT CENTERS; BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

An employee of a licensed outpatient treatment center that provides behavioral health services is authorized to provide behavioral health services at a private office or clinic that is operated by an exempt health care provider if a list of specified conditions are met, including that the services are provided to a patient of the exempt health care provider or the licensed outpatient treatment center, and the licensed outpatient treatment center and the exempt health care provider have a written agreement specifying the terms of the provided services. The licensed outpatient treatment center is required to report to the Department of Health Services any unexpected death, self-injury or other injury of a patient under the care of its employee that occurs on the premises of the exempt health care provider and whether the injury required medical attention., and the Dept is authorized to report the incident to the licensing board of any health care professional involved in the incident.

*ARS Titles Affected: 36*  
First sponsor: Sen. Brophy McGee (R - Dist 28)  

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### S1573: BEHAVIORAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS; UNAUTHORIZED PRACTICE
A person who is not licensed and who practices or attempts to practice or who holds himself out as trained and authorized to practice behavioral health, including diagnosing or treating any mental ailment, disease, disorder or other mental condition of any person, without being authorized by law to perform the act, is engaging in the unauthorized practice of behavioral health, is guilty of a class 2 (mid-level) misdemeanor and is subject to a civil penalty of up to $500 for each offense. A person who conspires with or aids and abets another to commit any act constituting the unauthorized practice of behavioral health is guilty of a class 2 (mid-level) misdemeanor and is subject to a civil penalty of up to $500 for each offense. The Board of Behavioral Health Examiners is required to notify the Department of Health Services if a licensed health care institution employs or contracts with a person who is investigated for the unauthorized practice of behavioral health.

ARS Titles Affected: 32
First sponsor: Sen. Brophy McGee (R - Dist 28)
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S1573 Daily History Date Action
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BEHAVIORAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS; UNAUTHORIZED PRACTICE 2/19 Senate hel-hu ser do pass; report awaited.
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS; UNAUTHORIZED PRACTICE 2/4 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.

S1574: GENETIC COUNSELORS; LICENSURE

Establishes a new article in Title 36 (Public Health) regulating "genetic counseling" (defined). Beginning January 1, 2021, a person is prohibited from acting as a genetic counselor without being licensed by the Department of Health Services. Some exceptions. A person who was practicing genetic counseling on the effective date of this legislation is required to apply to the Dept for licensure by April 1, 2021. License qualifications are established, including current certification by the American Board of Genetic Counseling or the American Board of Medical Genetics and Genomics. Establishes grounds for denial, suspension or revocation of a license and disciplinary actions for violations, including civil penalties. The Dept is authorized to investigate information indicating a violation of these requirements. License fees are established. The Dept is required to deposit 90 percent of the fees in the Health Services Licensing Fund and 10 percent in the general fund. Due to a potential increase in state revenue, this legislation requires the affirmative vote of at least 2/3 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage, and becomes effective on signature of the Governor.

ARS Titles Affected: 32 36
First sponsor: Sen. Brophy McGee (R - Dist 28)
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S1574 Daily History Date Action
GENETIC COUNSELORS; LICENSURE 2/19 from Senate hel-hu ser do pass.
S1591: NURSES; CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENT

A person who is certified or licensed by the Board of Nursing is required to submit to the Board with the person's application for license or certification renewal documentation showing completion of 15 hours of continuing education during each of the previous 12-month periods for which the certification or license is valid.

ARS Titles Affected: 32
First sponsor: Sen. Pace (R - Dist 25)
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S1592: HEALTH PROFESSIONALS; PRECEPTORSHIPS

The Arizona Medical Board, Board of Osteopathic Examiners in Medicine and Surgery, Arizona Regulatory Board of Physician Assistants, and Board of Nursing are each required to develop a "preceptorship" (defined) awareness campaign that educates licensed medical professionals on how to become a medical preceptor for students. The Department of Health Services is required to establish an online medical preceptorship availability list for the purpose of connecting medical preceptors to students for preceptorships.

ARS Titles Affected: 32 36
First sponsor: Sen. Pace (R - Dist 25)
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HEALTH PROFESSIONALS; PRECEPTORSHIPS 2/20 Senate hel-hu ser amended; report awaited.
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S1674: MEDICAL MARIJUANA DISPENSARIES; REGISTRATION TRANSFER

A nonprofit medical marijuana dispensary is prohibited from transferring or assigning its dispensary registration certificate (certificate) unless the transferring dispensary holds more than one certificate, all certificates held by the transferring dispensary were initially issued more than five years before the application date to transfer or assign the certificate, the transferring dispensary wishes to transfer the certificate to an entity that has the same principal officers or board members as the transferring dispensary at the time of the transfer or assignment, and the transferee or assignee meets all of the criteria necessary for the issuance of a certificate. Due to voter protection, this legislation requires the affirmative vote of at least 3/4 of the members of each house of the Legislature for passage.

ARS Titles Affected: 36
First sponsor: Sen. Gowan (R - Dist 14)

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S1674 Daily History

MEDICAL MARIJUANA DISPENSARIES; REGISTRATION TRANSFER 2/21 Senate hel-hu ser do pass; report awaited.
MEDICAL MARIJUANA DISPENSARIES; REGISTRATION TRANSFER 2/5 referred to Senate hel-hu ser.

SCR1019: CANCER SCREEN WEEK 2020

The members of the Legislature proclaim November 30–December 5, 2020 as Cancer Screen Week in Arizona and encourage the citizens of Arizona to talk to their health care providers about their risk factors for all cancer types and recommended screening options.

ARS Titles Affected: 99
First sponsor: Sen. Brophy McGee (R - Dist 28)
Others: Sen. S. Allen (R - Dist 6), Sen. Bowie (D - Dist 18), Sen. Pace (R - Dist 25), Sen. Steele (D - Dist 9)

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