

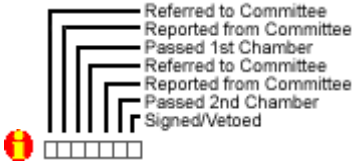
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 **HB 11** [Dutton, Harold\(D\)](#) [Creighton, Brandon\(R\)](#) Relating to the rights, certification, and compensation of public school educators, including financial and other assistance provided to public schools by the Texas Education Agency related to public school educators.




Companions: [HB 4188](#) [Dutton, Harold](#) (Identical)
3-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

Bill History: 05-11-23 S Committee action pending Senate Education

 **HB 12** [Rose, Toni\(D\)](#) Relating to the duration of services provided under Medicaid to women following a pregnancy.



Bill History: 05-02-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

 **HB 13** [King, Ken\(R\)](#) Relating to training, preparedness, and funding for school safety and school safety emergencies.



Bill History: 05-02-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education



 **HB 15** [Thompson, Senfronia\(D\)](#) Relating to the creation of the Mental Health and Brain Research Institute of Texas.



Companions: [HJR 135](#) [Thompson, Senfronia](#) (Enabling)

4-11-23 S Received in the Senate

Bill History: 04-11-23 S Received in the Senate

 **HB 25**


Talarico, James(D)
Kolkhorst, Lois(R)

Relating to wholesale importation of prescription drugs for resale to Texas residents.

Bill History: 05-10-23 S Committee action pending Senate Health and Human Services


 **HB 34**


Toth, Steve(R)

Relating to a public school classroom safety review and referral program for students who engage in violent criminal conduct.

Companions: [SB 1760](#) Middleton, Mayes (F) (Identical)
3-20-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education


Bill History: 05-02-23 H Failed in committee House Select on Youth Health & Safety

 **HB 36**


Talarico, James(D)

Relating to the membership of a public school's threat assessment and safe and supportive school team and committee and the permissible uses of the school safety allotment under the public school finance system.

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Youth Health & Safety



 **HB 39**


Murr, Andrew(R)

Relating to election fraud.

Companions: [HB 1368](#) Leach, Jeff (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 **HB 44**


Swanson, Valoree(R)
Middleton, Mayes (F)(R)

Relating to provider discrimination against a Medicaid recipient or child health plan program enrollee based on immunization status.

Bill History: 05-10-23 S Committee action pending Senate Health and Human Services

 **HB 49**


Klick, Stephanie(R)
Kolkhorst, Lois(R)

Relating to public access to certain hospital investigation information and materials.

Bill History: 05-08-23 G Sent to the Governor

A HB 52 Spiller, David(R) Relating to the penalty for the offense of illegal voting.



Companions: HB 1243 Hefner, Cole (Identical)
5- 1-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate State Affairs
HB 1735 Leach, Jeff (Identical)
3- 7-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 54 Thompson, Senfronia(D) Zaffirini, Judith(D) Relating to the personal needs allowance for certain Medicaid recipients who are residents of long-term care facilities.



Bill History: 05-11-23 S Voted favorably from committee as substituted Senate Health and Human Services

A HB 56 Ortega, Lina(D) Relating to the Medicaid eligibility of certain women following a pregnancy.



Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

A HB 62 Talarico, James(D) Relating to establishing an Office of Early Childhood to coordinate, consolidate and integrate early childhood programs.



Companions: HB 51 Talarico, James (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

A HB 68 Talarico, James(D) Relating to free tuition for youth in foster care.



Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education

A HB 75 Zwiener, Erin(D) Relating to acceptable forms of identification for voting.



Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 76 Reynolds, Ron(D) Relating to reporting the loss or theft of a firearm.



Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Community Safety

A HB 98 Moody, Joe(D) Relating to the provision of on-campus mental health services by a school district and reimbursement under Medicaid for certain services provided to eligible students.



Companions: SB 96 Menendez, Jose (Refiled from 87R Session)
SB 113 Menendez, Jose (Identical)
3-15-23 S Committee action pending Senate Education

Bill History: 04-27-23 S Received in the Senate - Referred to Senate Education

A HB 100 King, Ken(R) Relating to the compensation of public school educators and to the public school finance system, including enrollment-based funding for certain allotments under the Foundation School Program.



Bill History: 05-02-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education

A HB 109 Johnson, Julie(D)
Zaffirini, Judith(D) Relating to health benefit coverage for hearing aids for children and adults.



Companions: SB 51 Zaffirini, Judith (Identical)
4-18-23 S Recommended for Local/Uncontested Calendar

Bill History: 05-02-23 G Sent to the Governor

A HB 113 Ortega, Lina(D) Relating to the use of community health workers in Medicaid managed care.



Companions: SB 74 Johnson, Nathan (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 04-18-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A HB 123

Goodwin, Vikki(D)

Relating to extreme risk protective orders.



- Companions:**
- HB 136** Reynolds, Ron (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Community Safety
 - SB 144** Gutierrez, Roland (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs
- Bill History:** 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Community Safety

A HB 132

Bucy, John(D)

Relating to the expansion of eligibility for Medicaid to certain individuals under the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act.



- Companions:**
- HJR 7** Bucy, John (Enabling)
2-28-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform
 - SB 39** Zaffirini, Judith (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services
 - SB 71** Johnson, Nathan (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services
- Bill History:** 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

A HB 133

Gonzalez, Mary(D)

Relating to prohibiting the use of certain restraints on students enrolled in public schools who receive special education services.



- Companions:**
- SB 1610** Zaffirini, Judith (Identical)
3-16-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education
- Bill History:** 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Youth Health & Safety

A HB 134

Bernal, Diego(D)

Relating to coverage for childhood cranial remolding orthosis under certain health benefit plans.



- Bill History:** 05-01-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A HB 136

Reynolds, Ron(D)


Relating to extreme risk protective orders.




- Companions:**
- HB 123** Goodwin, Vikki (Identical)

[SB 144](#) 2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Community Safety
Gutierrez, Roland (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs


Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Community Safety


 [HB 139](#) [Klick, Stephanie\(R\)](#) Relating to the provision of notice of certain proposed rules by state agencies.



Companions: [SB 655](#) Hall, Bob (Identical)
2-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Business and Commerce


Bill History: 05-11-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Business and Commerce


 [HB 140](#) [Gonzalez, Mary\(D\)](#) Relating to the provision of certain co-navigation services to individuals who are deaf-blind.



Companions: [SB 1317](#) Hughes, Bryan (Identical)
3- 9-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services


Bill History: 04-12-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services


 [HB 161](#) [Toth, Steve\(R\)](#) Relating to identification of early voting ballots voted by mail by electronic code.




Companions: [HB 1979](#) Toth, Steve (Refiled from 87R Session)


Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 [HB 166](#) [Gonzalez, Mary\(D\)](#) Relating to the appointment of an educational representative for certain students with disabilities.



Bill History: 05-11-23 G Sent to the Governor

 [HB 185](#) [Gonzalez, Mary\(D\)](#) Relating to the inclusion of chronically absent students as students at risk of dropping out of school and the collection and reporting of data regarding those students.



Bill History: 04-27-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education

A [HB 186](#) [Johnson, Julie\(D\)](#) Relating to the county in which an application for court-ordered mental health services must be filed.



Companions: [SB 1587](#) Johnson, Nathan (Identical)
3-16-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

Bill History: 05-11-23 H Set on the House Calendar

A [HB 195](#) [Gonzalez, Mary\(D\)](#) [Zaffirini, Judith\(D\)](#) Relating to provisions and plans by public schools to ensure the safety of individuals with disabilities during a disaster or emergency situation.



Bill History: 05-09-23 S Removed from hearing 05/10/23 - Senate Education

A [HB 199](#) [Howard, Donna\(D\)](#) Relating to a sales and use tax exemption for child and adult diapers.



Companions: [HB 322](#) Howard, Donna (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 387](#) Pacheco, Leo (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means

A [HB 204](#) [Bernal, Diego\(D\)](#) Relating to the expansion of eligibility for Medicaid in certain counties under the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act.



Companions: [HB 143](#) Bernal, Diego (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

A [HB 211](#) [Gonzalez, Mary\(D\)](#) Relating to the regulation of child-care facilities and registered family homes providing services to children with disabilities or special needs.



Bill History: 05-12-23 H Passed (Vote: Y: 88/N: 51)

A [HB 212](#) [Bucy, John\(D\)](#) Relating to electronic voter registration.



Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 218

Moody, Joe(D)

Relating to the criminal and licensing consequences of certain marihuana possession, drug paraphernalia possession, and tetrahydrocannabinol possession offenses.



Bill History: 05-11-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate State Affairs

A HB 222

Slaton, Bryan(R)

Relating to increasing the punishment of conduct constituting the offense of illegal voting.



Companions: [HB 397](#) Goldman, Craig (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 226

Bernal, Diego(D)

Relating to the expansion of eligibility for Medicaid to certain individuals under the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act.



Companions: [SB 72](#) Johnson, Nathan (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services
[SB 671](#) West, Royce (Identical)
2-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

A HB 233

Murr, Andrew(R)

Relating to inservice training on identifying abuse, neglect, and illegal, unprofessional, and unethical conduct in certain health care facilities.



Companions: [SB 831](#) Flores, Pete (Identical)
3- 1-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 05-09-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A HB 239

Slaton, Bryan(R)

Relating to requiring a voter to be affiliated with a political party to vote in that party's primary election or otherwise participate in that party's affairs.



Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 [HB 241](#)

[Bucy, John\(D\)](#)

Relating to early voting by mail by any qualified voter and to the repeal of certain criminal offenses concerning the solicitation and distribution of an application to vote by mail.



Companions:

[HB 67](#) Ortega, Lina (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

[HB 502](#) Meza, Terry (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

[SB 120](#) Menendez, Jose (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 [HB 245](#)

[Gonzalez, Mary\(D\)](#)

Relating to community attendants under the community attendant services program.



Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

 [HB 259](#)

[Goodwin, Vikki\(D\)](#)

Relating to the use of preferential voting in certain elections.



Companions:

[HB 2457](#) Goodwin, Vikki (Refiled from 87R Session)

[HB 2460](#) Goodwin, Vikki (Refiled from 87R Session)

[SB 359](#) Eckhardt, Sarah (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 [HB 266](#)

[Swanson, Valoree\(R\)](#)
[Zaffirini, Judith\(D\)](#)

Relating to the required filing and use of an affidavit containing the contact information of certain persons in a guardianship proceeding.



Bill History: 05-09-23 S Passed (Vote: Y: 31/N: 0)

 [HB 272](#)

[Johnson, Julie\(D\)](#)
[Parker, Tan \(F\)\(R\)](#)

Relating to the terminology used to refer to an individualized education program team.



Companions:

[SB 1539](#) Parker, Tan (F) (Identical)
3-16-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

Bill History: 05-09-23 S Removed from hearing 05/10/23 - Senate Education

A HB 279

Jetton, Jacey(R)
Bettencourt, Paul(R)

Relating to the prosecution and punishment of the offense of trafficking of persons.



Companions: [SB 466](#) Bettencourt, Paul (Identical)
2-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

Bill History: 05-10-23 S Passed (Vote: Y: 31/N: 0)

A HB 281

Bucy, John(D)

Relating to the registration of voters at a polling place and related procedures.



Companions: [HB 856](#) Bucy, John (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 1749](#) Crockett, Jasmine (F) (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 291

Murr, Andrew(R)

Relating to occupational driver's licenses and to the renewal of driver's licenses.



Bill History: 05-17-23 S Meeting set for 8:00 A.M., E1.016 - Senate Transportation

A HB 294

Schofield, Mike(R)

Relating to the separation of federal elections from state and local elections, and to related practices and procedures.



Companions: [SB 398](#) Hall, Bob (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 296

Bucy, John(D)

Relating to accommodating voters with a disability.



Companions: [HB 4019](#) Bucy, John (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 299

Murr, Andrew(R)

Relating to creating a voluntary accreditation for recovery housing.



Bill History: 05-11-23 G Sent to the Governor

A HB 300

Howard, Donna(D)
Huffman, Joan(R)

Relating to an exemption from sales and use taxes for certain family care items.



Bill History: 05-08-23 S Committee action pending Senate Finance

A HB 302

Bucy, John(D)

Relating to the designation of certain election days as state holidays.



Companions: [HB 596](#) Sherman, Carl (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 904](#) Bucy, John (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs

A HB 305

Johnson, Jarvis(D)

Relating to the release of certain inmates on medically recommended intensive supervision.



Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Corrections

A HB 315

Cortez, Philip(D)

Relating to a statement by the secretary of state regarding the furnishing of certain personal information on an application for a ballot to be voted by mail.



Bill History: 05-11-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate State Affairs

A HB 316

Bernal, Diego(D)

Relating to social work services in public schools.



Companions: [HB 28](#) Neave, Victoria (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 226](#) Bernal, Diego (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 04-24-23 H Committee action pending House Select on Youth Health & Safety

A HB 317

Bucy, John(D)

Relating to the days and hours during which the polls are open for early voting by personal appearance.



Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A [HB 322](#) Cortez, Philip(D) Relating to certain evidentiary presumptions and burdens of proof in determining a defendant's incompetency to stand trial or a defendant's insanity in a criminal case.



Bill History: 05-12-23 S Received in the Senate

A [HB 336](#) Toth, Steve(R) Relating to notice regarding certain benefits for which a representative payee or fiduciary has been appointed for a child in the conservatorship of the Department of Family and Protective Services.



Bill History: 04-05-23 S Received in the Senate

A [HB 339](#) Howard, Donna(D) Relating to voter registration application forms in high schools.



Companions:

HB 724	Guerra, Bobby	(Refiled from 87R Session)
HB 1031	Howard, Donna	(Refiled from 87R Session)
HB 1071	Guerra, Bobby	(Identical)
	3- 2-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections	
SB 636	Eckhardt, Sarah	(Identical)
	2-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs	

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A [HB 340](#) Thompson, Senfronia(D) Relating to the requirement and study of insurance coverage for serious emotional disturbance of a child.



Companions:

HB 240	Thompson, Senfronia	(Refiled from 87R Session)
SB 51	Zaffirini, Judith	(Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 05-08-23 S Received in the Senate

A [HB 355](#) Thompson, Senfronia(D) Relating to qualifications and registration of certain voters convicted of a felony.



Companions:

HB 161	Thompson, Senfronia	(Refiled from 87R Session)
HB 595	Sherman, Carl	(Refiled from 87R Session)
SB 187	Eckhardt, Sarah (F)	(Refiled from 87R Session)

SB 210 Eckhardt, Sarah (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs
SB 517 Eckhardt, Sarah (Identical)
2-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 HB 357

Bucy, John(D)
Hughes, Bryan(R)

Relating to the requirements to access the online tracker of an application for a ballot to be voted by mail.



Bill History: 05-12-23 S Voted favorably from committee as substituted Senate State Affairs

 HB 359

Bucy, John(D)

Relating to the method of returning a ballot to be voted by mail.



Companions: HB 844 Bucy, John (Refiled from 87R Session)
HB 1245 Cole, Sheryl (Refiled from 87R Session)
SB 377 West, Royce (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 HB 365

Bucy, John(D)

Relating to the electronic transmission of a ballot to a voter voting early by mail on the ground of absence from the county of residence.



Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 HB 374

Bucy, John(D)

Relating to an application for an early voting ballot by mail.



Companions: HB 2060 Bucy, John (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 05-09-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate State Affairs

 HB 380


Bucy, John(D)

Relating to the secretary of state posting on the secretary of state's Internet website databases containing certain information about elections.




Bill History: 05-09-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate State Affairs

A **HB 381** Thompson, Senfronia(D) Relating to the applicability of the death penalty to a capital offense committed by a person with an intellectual disability.




Bill History: 05-10-23 S Received in the Senate

A **HB 386** Gonzalez, Jessica(D) Relating to accommodating a voter unable to enter a polling place.



Bill History: 04-26-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate State Affairs


A **HB 397** Goldman, Craig(R) Relating to increasing the punishment of conduct constituting the offense of illegal voting.



Companions: **HB 222** Slaton, Bryan (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections


Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A **HB 400** Klick, Stephanie(R) Relating to innovation grant programs to support residency training programs in psychiatric specialty fields and recruitment, training, and retention programs in behavioral health fields.




Bill History: 05-09-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A **HB 415** Thompson, Senfronia(D) Relating to the duty of a peace officer to request and render aid for an injured person.




Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety

A **HB 430** VanDeaver, Gary(R) Relating to the criteria and qualifications for distributions under the rural volunteer fire department assistance program.



Bill History: 04-19-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Local Government


A **HB 446** Craddick, Tom(R)
Kolkhorst, Lois(R) Relating to the terminology used in statute to refer to intellectual disability and certain references to abolished health and human services agencies.



Companions: [SB 332](#) Kolkhorst, Lois (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 05-08-23 G Sent to the Governor


A [HB 459](#) Hull, Lacey(R) Relating to prohibiting the physical restraint of or use of chemical irritants on certain public school students by peace officers and school security personnel under certain circumstances.



Companions: [SB 133](#) West, Royce (Identical)
5-12-23 S Set on the Senate Items Eligible Calendar


Bill History: 05-06-23 H Laid on the table - subject to call - see SB 133

A [HB 466](#) Hull, Lacey(R) Relating to the requirements for and compilation of certain emergency mental health detention records.




Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety

A [HB 470](#) Thierry, Shawn(D) Relating to an acute psychiatric bed registry to list available beds for the inpatient psychiatric treatment of certain individuals.




Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health

A [HB 479](#) Hinojosa, Gina(D) Relating to the period for transporting a criminal defendant who is found incompetent to stand trial to a facility for competency restoration services.




Bill History: 05-01-23 S Received in the Senate

A [HB 484](#) Meza, Terry(D) Relating to suicide prevention in municipal jails.




Bill History: 05-01-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Criminal Justice

A [HB 486](#) Meza, Terry(D) Relating to the appointment of volunteer deputy voter registrars.



Companions: [HB 3201](#) Meza, Terry (Refiled from 87R Session)


Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 [HB 487](#) Thompson, Senfronia(D) Relating to the Medicaid eligibility of certain women following a pregnancy.



Companions: [HB 1824](#) Thierry, Shawn (Identical)
3- 7-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform


Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

 [HB 488](#) Meza, Terry(D) Relating to the registration of voters at a polling place and related procedures.



Companions: [HB 142](#) Meza, Terry (Refiled from 87R Session)


Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 [HB 499](#) Meza, Terry(D) Relating to participation in the countywide polling place program.




Companions: [HB 123](#) Meza, Terry (Refiled from 87R Session)
[SB 99](#) Menendez, Jose (Refiled from 87R Session)
[SB 117](#) Menendez, Jose (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 [HB 500](#) Bonnen, Greg(R) Relating to supplemental appropriations and reductions in appropriations and giving direction and adjustment authority regarding appropriations.



Bill History: 03-09-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations

 [HB 502](#) Meza, Terry(D) Relating to early voting by mail by any qualified voter and to the repeal of certain criminal offenses concerning the solicitation and distribution of an application to vote by mail.



Companions: [HB 67](#) Ortega, Lina (Identical)

HB 241	2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections
	Bucy, John (Identical)
SB 120	2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections
	Menendez, Jose (Identical)
	2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs
Bill History:	02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

HB 506 Wu, Gene(D)

Relating to requirements for a juvenile's appearance in a judicial proceeding.



Companions: [HB 488](#) Wu, Gene (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 04-20-23 H Reported favorably from committee on House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues

HB 512 Bernal, Diego(D)

Relating to the expansion of eligibility for Medicaid to certain persons under the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act.



Companions: [HB 171](#) Bernal, Diego (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 389](#) Israel, Celia (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 398](#) Bucy, John (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 4406](#) Ramos, Ana-Maria (Refiled from 87R Session)
[SB 38](#) Zaffirini, Judith (Refiled from 87R Session)
[SB 118](#) Johnson, Nathan (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

HB 516 Wu, Gene(D)

Relating to requiring a school district or open-enrollment charter school to report data regarding certain disciplinary or law enforcement actions taken against students.



Bill History: 03-29-23 H Recommended for Local and Consent Calendar

HB 530 Wu, Gene(D)

Relating to the terminology used in statute to refer to intellectual disability.



Companions: [SB 362](#) Zaffirini, Judith (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 04-10-23 H Reported favorably from committee on House Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence

A HB 549

Swanson, Valoree(R)

Relating to the enforcement of laws relating to elections.



Companions: [SB 220](#) Bettencourt, Paul (Identical)
5-11-23 H Referred to House Committee on House Elections

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 551

Toth, Steve(R)

Relating to a study on the prevalence of the use of psychoactive or psychotropic medication by persons who have committed suicide.



Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health

A HB 568

Bowers, Rhetta(D)
Menendez, Jose(D)

Relating to education and training for peace officers on interacting with persons with Alzheimer's disease and other dementias.



Companions: [SB 443](#) Menendez, Jose (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

Bill History: 05-15-23 S First placement on Senate Intent Calendar for

A HB 579

Burns, DeWayne(R)
Creighton, Brandon(R)

Relating to procedures for the alternative assessment of certain public school students that receive special education services and alternative accountability plans for certain campuses.



Companions: [HB 742](#) Burns, DeWayne (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 05-10-23 S Committee action pending Senate Education

A HB 580

Raymond, Richard(D)

Relating to a single Internet portal or equivalent electronic system through which Medicaid providers may submit and receive information.



Companions: [HB 1625](#) Raymond, Richard (Refiled from 87R Session)
[SB 432](#) Hinojosa, Chuy (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A HB 589

Toth, Steve(R)

Relating to processes to address election irregularities.



Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 605

Shaheen, Matt(R)

Relating to the disclosure of negotiated rates requested by members of the legislature from certain health care vendors that contract with this state.



Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs

A HB 652

Johnson, Julie(D)

Relating to the development and implementation of the Live Well Texas program and the expansion of Medicaid eligibility to provide health benefit coverage to certain individuals.



Companions: **SB 195** Johnson, Nathan (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

A HB 653

Allison, Steve(R)

Relating to guardianships of the person of wards with profound intellectual disabilities who are minors or were minors when their guardianship proceedings commenced.



Companions: **SB 2549** Middleton, Mayes (F) (Identical)
3-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Jurisprudence

Bill History: 05-02-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Jurisprudence

A HB 667

Johnson, Ann(D)

Relating to the licensing and regulation of music therapists.



Bill History: 05-10-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A HB 671

Gonzalez, Mary(D)

Relating to a veterans suicide prevention campaign.



Companions: **SB 581** Zaffirini, Judith (Identical)
2-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Veteran Affairs

Bill History: 05-08-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Veteran Affairs

A HB 675

Bucy, John(D)

Relating to electronic voter registration.



Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 676

Bucy, John(D)

Relating to the procedures for voting after changing residence to another county.



Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 678

Bell, Keith(R)
Schwertner, Charles(R)

Relating to the appointment by the attorney general of a special prosecutor to prosecute certain election offenses that are committed in an adjacent county.



Bill History: 02-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 701

Gonzalez, Jessica(D)

Relating to electronic submission of an application for an early voting ballot by mail.



Bill History: 02-28-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 705

Gonzalez, Jessica(D)

Relating to defense of certain actions brought against election judges and clerks.



Bill History: 02-28-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 720

Sherman, Carl(D)

Relating to allowing therapy or facility dogs to accompany a child or a person with a disability during testimony in certain criminal cases.



Companions:

HB 1636	Sherman, Carl	(Refiled from 87R Session)
SB 492	West, Royce	(Refiled from 87R Session)
SB 139	West, Royce	(Identical)
		2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

Bill History: 02-28-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Criminal Jurisprudence

A HB 726

Rose, Toni(D)

Relating to the criteria for court-ordered inpatient and extended inpatient mental health services.



Bill History: 02-28-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence

A HB 727

Rose, Toni(D)

Relating to the applicability of the death penalty to a capital offense committed by a person with severe mental illness.



Companions: [HB 140](#) Rose, Toni (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 04-05-23 S Received in the Senate

A HB 728

Rose, Toni(D)
Zaffirini, Judith(D)

Relating to the statewide interagency aging services coordinating council.



Bill History: 05-11-23 S Recommended for Local/Uncontested Calendar

A HB 729

Rose, Toni(D)

Relating to the statewide intellectual and developmental disability coordinating council.



Companions: [SB 524](#) West, Royce (Identical)
2-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 04-12-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A HB 772

Allen, Alma(D)

Relating to corporal punishment in public schools.



Companions: [HB 3879](#) Allen, Alma (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 04-26-23 H Failed to pass to third reading (Vote: N: 86/Y: 58)

A HB 773

Allen, Alma(D)

Relating to prohibiting certain releases of a student to the student's parent after school-initiated communication by a school district or open-enrollment charter school.



Bill History: 05-11-23 H Set on the House Calendar

A HB 786


Meza, Terry(D)

Relating to a report by the Texas Department of Criminal Justice on dyslexia and illiteracy among inmates.



Companions: [HB 265](#) Meza, Terry (Refiled from 87R Session)


Bill History: 05-01-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education

 [HB 788](#) Meza, Terry(D) Relating to a task force to study access to legal services for persons with disabilities.



Companions: [HB 2514](#) Meza, Terry (Refiled from 87R Session)


Bill History: 02-28-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

 [HB 791](#) Harrison, Brian(R) Relating to state agency review of adopted rules.



Companions: [SB 1320](#) Sparks, Kevin (F) (Identical)
4-18-23 S Committee action pending Senate Business and Commerce


Bill History: 05-11-23 H Set on the House Calendar

 [HB 795](#) Thompson, Ed(R) Relating to emergency generators or other power sources for nursing facilities and assisted living facilities.




Companions: [HB 2301](#) Thierry, Shawn (Identical)
3- 9-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services
[SB 1202](#) Miles, Borris (Identical)
3- 9-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 04-18-23 H Vote failed in committee on House Human Services

 [HB 803](#) Thierry, Shawn(D) Relating to the establishment of a work group to conduct a study on the feasibility of implementing an acute psychiatric bed registry.



Bill History: 03-01-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health

 [HB 812](#) Meza, Terry(D) Relating to limitations on the use of administrative segregation by the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.



Companions: [HB 2751](#) Meza, Terry (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 04-24-23 H Committee action pending House Corrections

 [HB 813](#)

Meza, Terry(D)

Relating to a study on the impact of the use of administrative segregation on inmates of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.



Companions: [HB 2752](#) Meza, Terry (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-01-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Corrections

 [HB 826](#)

Lambert, Stan(R)

Relating to modification of certain prescription drug benefits and coverage offered by certain health benefit plans.



Companions: [HB 1646](#) Lambert, Stan (Refiled from 87R Session)

[SB 1142](#) Zaffirini, Judith (Refiled from 87R Session)

[SB 1221](#) Zaffirini, Judith (Identical)

3- 9-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 04-21-23 H Removed from hearing 04/25/23 - House Insurance

 [HB 828](#)

Dutton, Harold(D)

Relating to the age of criminal responsibility and to certain substantive and procedural matters related to that age.



Bill History: 03-13-23 H Committee action pending House Select on Youth Health & Safety

 [HB 833](#)

Campos, Liz(D)

Relating to an evaluation by the housing and health services coordination council of the 2-1-1 services provided by the Texas Information and Referral Network.



Bill History: 04-27-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Local Government

 [HB 839](#)

Gonzalez, Jessica(D)

Relating to prior authorization for prescription drug benefits related to the treatment or prevention of infectious diseases.



Bill History: 03-01-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Insurance

A HB 848

Reynolds, Ron(D)

Relating to allowing straight-party voting.



Bill History: 03-01-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 849

Reynolds, Ron(D)

Relating to automatic voter registration on issuance or change of a driver's license or identification card by the Department of Public Safety.



Companions:

HB 111	Minjarez, Ina	(Refiled from 87R Session)
HB 124	Reynolds, Ron	(Refiled from 87R Session)
HB 584	Cole, Sheryl	(Refiled from 87R Session)
SB 98	Menendez, Jose	(Refiled from 87R Session)
HB 1274	Cole, Sheryl	(Identical)

3- 3-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

Bill History: 03-01-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 862

Schofield, Mike(R)

Relating to the cancellation of a person's voter registration on notice that the person has acknowledged that the person is not a citizen.



Companions:

HB 1924	Schofield, Mike	(Refiled from 87R Session)
HB 2253	Slawson, Shelby (F)	(Refiled from 87R Session)
SB 1700	Bettencourt, Paul	(Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 05-08-23 H Reported from committee as substituted House Elections

A HB 919

Slaton, Bryan(R)

Relating to the early voting period.



Bill History: 03-02-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 929

Dutton, Harold(D)

Relating to the extent of a defendant's criminal responsibility for the conduct of a coconspirator in a capital murder case.



Companions:

HB 688	Dutton, Harold	(Refiled from 87R Session)
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Bill History: 03-02-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Criminal Jurisprudence

A HB 932

Dutton, Harold(D)

Relating to the expansion of eligibility for Medicaid to certain working parents for whom federal matching money is available.



Companions:

[HB 1189](#) Dutton, Harold (Refiled from 87R Session)

[HB 3962](#) Morales, Eddie (Identical)

3-20-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

Bill History:

03-02-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

A HB 943

Dutton, Harold(D)

Relating to voter registration, including electronic voter registration.



Bill History:

03-02-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 949

Dutton, Harold(D)

Relating to the program requiring dyslexia screening and testing in public schools.



Companions:

[HB 3870](#) Dutton, Harold (Refiled from 87R Session)

[SB 1693](#) Paxton, Angela (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History:

03-02-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

A HB 950

Dutton, Harold(D)

Relating to a student's eligibility for special education services provided by a school district, including services for dyslexia and related disorders.



Companions:

[SB 2487](#) Parker, Tan (F) (Identical)

3-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

Bill History:

03-02-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

A HB 964

Jetton, Jacey(R)

Relating to the applicability of sex offender registration requirements to the offense of improper relationship between educator and student.



Bill History:

04-27-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Criminal Justice

A HB 1004

Shaheen, Matt(R)

Relating to the prosecution of the offenses of trafficking of persons and compelling prostitution and to certain consequences of compelling prostitution.



Companions: [SB 722](#) Springer, Drew (Identical)
3- 1-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

Bill History: 05-05-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Criminal Justice


 [HB 1007](#)

Turner, Chris(D)

Relating to prohibiting weapons in certain facilities or residences providing services to individuals with an intellectual disability or a developmental disability.



Bill History: 04-18-23 H Committee action pending House Select on Community Safety


 [HB 1008](#)

Turner, Chris(D)

Relating to employment and license suspension of persons who provide care to individuals with an intellectual or developmental disability and who are under investigation for certain misconduct.



Bill History: 05-01-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services


 [HB 1009](#)

Turner, Chris(D)

Relating to criminal history record information reviews of certain individuals providing services to individuals with an intellectual or developmental disability.



Bill History: 05-09-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services


 [HB 1010](#)

Turner, Chris(D)

Relating to the insurable interest of certain persons providing care to individuals with disabilities in the life of those individuals.



Bill History: 05-05-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Business and Commerce

 [HB 1037](#)


Meza, Terry(D)

Relating to a sales and use tax exemption for taxable items used to assist persons with an intellectual, developmental, or cognitive disability.



Companions: [HB 3195](#) Meza, Terry (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-02-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means

 [HB 1042](#)

Hinojosa, Gina(D)

Relating to certain notice and filing requirements in court proceedings involving persons with mental illness.



Companions: [SB 64](#) Zaffirini, Judith (Identical)

2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 05-11-23 H Set on the House Calendar

 [HB 1052](#)

[Hinojosa, Gina\(D\)](#)

Relating to the use of enrollment for purposes of the special education allotment under the Foundation School Program.



Bill History: 03-02-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 [HB 1062](#)

[Guerra, Bobby\(D\)](#)

Relating to the expansion of eligibility for Medicaid to certain individuals under the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act.



Companions: [HB 2903](#) [Martinez Fischer, Trey](#) (Identical)
3-14-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform
[SB 125](#) [Alvarado, Carol](#) (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-02-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

 [HB 1063](#)

[Guerra, Bobby\(D\)](#)

Relating to the content of certain biennial legislative reports on immunizations issued by the Department of State Health Services.



Companions: [SB 852](#) [Miles, Borris](#) (Identical)
3- 1-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-02-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health

 [HB 1070](#)

[Guerra, Bobby\(D\)](#)

Relating to the methods of voter registration.



Companions: [HB 1630](#) [Guerra, Bobby](#) (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-02-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 [HB 1071](#)

[Guerra, Bobby\(D\)](#)

Relating to voter registration application forms in high schools.



Companions: [HB 724](#) [Guerra, Bobby](#) (Refiled from 87R Session)

[HB 1031](#) Howard, Donna (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 339](#) Howard, Donna (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections
[SB 636](#) Eckhardt, Sarah (Identical)
2-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

Bill History: 03-02-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

[A](#) [HB 1100](#) Johnson, Julie(D) Relating to the regulation of certain senior living facilities.



Companions: [SB 611](#) Johnson, Nathan (Identical)
2-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 05-08-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

[A](#) [HB 1111](#) Meza, Terry(D) Relating to a study on the provision of applied behavior analysis services to children with autism under Medicaid and other public benefits programs.



Companions: [HB 4058](#) Meza, Terry (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-02-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

[A](#) [HB 1113](#) Meza, Terry(D) Relating to the creation of a low-interest loan program for entrepreneurs with physical or mental disabilities.



Companions: [HB 412](#) Meza, Terry (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 04-04-23 H Committee action pending House International Relations/Economic Dev

[A](#) [HB 1128](#) Martinez Fischer, Trey(D) Relating to availability of and benefits provided under health benefit plan coverage.



Companions: [HB 1529](#) Martinez Fischer, Trey (Refiled from 87R Session)


Bill History: 03-02-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Insurance

[A](#) [HB 1134](#) Jetton, Jacey(R) Relating to confirmation of a voter's residence by a voter registrar.




Companions: [SB 260](#) Kolkhorst, Lois (Identical)
4-20-23 H Referred to House Committee on House Elections

Bill History: 03-02-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 [HB 1140](#) Schofield, Mike(R) Relating to the voter identification required for submission of an early voting ballot by mail.



Bill History: 05-08-23 H Reported from committee as substituted House Elections

 [HB 1144](#) Reynolds, Ron(D) Relating to a "Texas Way" to reforming and addressing issues related to the Medicaid program, including the creation of an alternative program designed to ensure health benefit plan.



Companions: [HB 922](#) Reynolds, Ron (Refiled from 87R Session)


Bill History: 03-02-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

 [HB 1145](#) Reynolds, Ron(D) Relating to electronic voter registration.



Companions: [HB 104](#) Reynolds, Ron (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-02-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 [HB 1157](#) Lozano, Jose(R) Relating to excused absences from public school for certain students to attend mental health care appointments.



Companions: [SB 1101](#) Paxton, Angela (Identical)
3- 9-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

Bill History: 04-18-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education

 [HB 1180](#) Paul, Dennis(R) Relating to practices and procedures for an early voting ballot voted by mail.



Companions: [SB 2499](#) Middleton, Mayes (F) (Identical)

3-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

Bill History: 03-02-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 [HB 1190](#)

[Klick, Stephanie\(R\)](#)

Relating to the prescribing and ordering of Schedule II controlled substances by certain advanced practice registered nurses and physician assistants.



Companions: [HB 1524](#) [Lucio III, Eddie](#) (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 05-11-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

 [HB 1211](#)

[Guillen, Ryan\(R\)](#)

Relating to repayment of certain mental health professional education loans.



Bill History: 05-05-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Subcommittee on Higher Education

 [HB 1217](#)

[Swanson, Valoree\(R\)](#)

Relating to the hours during which early voting by personal appearance is conducted.



Bill History: 05-09-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate State Affairs

 [HB 1219](#)

[Reynolds, Ron\(D\)](#)

Relating to criminal history record information checks for applicants for employment and employees of group homes.



Companions: [SB 188](#) [Miles, Borris](#) (Identical)
5-11-23 G Sent to the Governor

Bill History: 05-02-23 H Recommended for Local and Consent Calendar

 [HB 1220](#)

[Reynolds, Ron\(D\)](#)

Relating to failure to report assault, neglect, or omission of care in certain group homes.



Companions: [SB 187](#) [Miles, Borris](#) (Identical)
5- 9-23 H Committee action pending House Human Services

Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A HB 1238

VanDeaver, Gary(R)

Relating to the school health and related services program, including parental consent for program services, the establishment of a school health and related services program advisory council.



Bill History: 05-05-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A HB 1243

Hefner, Cole(R)

Relating to the penalty for the offense of illegal voting.



Companions:

HB 52	Spiller, David	(Identical)
	2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections	
HB 1735	Leach, Jeff	(Identical)
	3- 7-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections	

Bill History: 05-01-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate State Affairs

A HB 1270

Cole, Sheryl(D)

Relating to the registration of voters at a polling place and related procedures.



Companions: [HB 1244](#) Cole, Sheryl (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 1271

Cole, Sheryl(D)

Relating to the method of returning a ballot to be voted by mail.



Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 1274

Cole, Sheryl(D)

Relating to automatic voter registration on issuance or change of a driver's license or identification card by the Department of Public Safety.



Companions:

HB 111	Minjarez, Ina	(Refiled from 87R Session)
HB 124	Reynolds, Ron	(Refiled from 87R Session)
HB 584	Cole, Sheryl	(Refiled from 87R Session)
SB 98	Menendez, Jose	(Refiled from 87R Session)
HB 849	Reynolds, Ron	(Identical)
	3- 1-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections	

Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 1288

Lopez, Ray(D)

Relating to health benefit plan coverage for early childhood intervention services.



Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Insurance

A HB 1290

Campos, Liz(D)
Flores, Pete(R)

Relating to the confiscation or misappropriation by a nursing facility of certain federal payments to a Medicaid recipient.



Companions: [HB 2449](#) Campos, Liz (F) (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 05-11-23 S Voted favorably from committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A HB 1293

Rose, Toni(D)

Relating to the reimbursement of prescription drugs under Medicaid and the child health plan program.



Bill History: 04-25-23 H Meeting set for 8:00 A.M., E2.030 - House Human Services

A HB 1295

Goodwin, Vikki(D)

Relating to electronic voter registration.



Companions: [HB 350](#) Israel, Celia (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 527](#) Pacheco, Leo (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 1299

Noble, Candy(R)

Relating to the signature required on a carrier envelope for a ballot voted by mail.



Bill History: 05-12-23 H Passed (Vote: Y: 91/N: 48)

A HB 1310

Gamez, Erin (F)(D)

Relating to detention orders in a juvenile court proceeding.



Bill History: 04-20-23 H Committee action pending House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues

A HB 1337


Hull, Lacey(R)
Menendez, Jose(D)

Relating to step therapy protocols required by health benefit plans for coverage of prescription drugs for serious mental illnesses.




Companions: [SB 452](#) Menendez, Jose (Identical)
2-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services


Bill History: 05-10-23 S Committee action pending Senate Health and Human Services

 **HB 1355** Sherman, Carl(D) Relating to air conditioning requirements at facilities operated by the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

Bill History: 04-26-23 H Reported favorably from committee on House Corrections

 **HB 1356** Morales Shaw, Penny(D) Relating to documentation of proof of identification for voting.


Bill History: 05-09-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate State Affairs

 **HB 1359** Wu, Gene(D) Relating to certain proceedings in juvenile court for children with mental illness and intellectual disabilities.

Companions: [HB 2037](#) Johnson, Ann (Identical)
4-17-23 S Received in the Senate


[SB 1585](#) Sparks, Kevin (F) (Identical)
4-28-23 H Referred to House Committee on House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues

Bill History: 03-22-23 H Committee action pending House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues

 **HB 1364** Munoz, Sergio(D) Relating to a direct payment to a health care provider in lieu of a claim for benefits under a health benefit plan.

Companions: [SB 583](#) Hughes, Bryan (Identical)
2-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

 **HB 1369** Toth, Steve(R) Relating to a student's eligibility for special education services provided by a school district, including services for dyslexia and related disorders.

Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

A [HB 1378](#) [Ortega, Lina\(D\)](#) Relating to a report regarding Medicaid reimbursement rates, supplemental payment amounts, and access to care.



Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A [HB 1396](#) [Moody, Joe\(D\)](#) Relating to the provision of counseling services by certain providers under Medicaid and reimbursement for those services.



Companions: [SB 2132](#) [Miles, Borris](#) (Identical)
3-21-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A [HB 1398](#) [Moody, Joe\(D\)](#) Relating to extreme risk protective orders.



Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Community Safety

A [HB 1400](#) [Moody, Joe\(D\)](#) Relating to the establishment of outpatient treatment programs to provide court-ordered outpatient mental health services in certain counties.



Bill History: 03-29-23 H Committee action pending House County Affairs

A [HB 1401](#) [Moody, Joe\(D\)](#) Relating to procedures regarding defendants who may lack the capacity to understand or participate in criminal proceedings or who have participated in certain competency restoration programs.




Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Criminal Jurisprudence

A [HB 1416](#) [Bell, Keith\(R\)](#)
[Paxton, Angela\(R\)](#) Relating to accelerated instruction provided to public school students who fail to achieve satisfactory performance on certain assessment instruments.



Companions: [SB 1261](#) [Paxton, Angela](#) (Identical)
4-24-23 S Reported from committee as substituted Senate Education

Bill History: 05-12-23 S Reported from committee as substituted Senate Education



 **HB 1421**


Campos, Liz(D)

Relating to increasing the criminal penalty for a peace officer who fails to report the suspected abuse, neglect, or exploitation of an elderly person or a person with a disability.

Companions: [HB 2583](#) Campos, Liz (F) (Refiled from 87R Session)



Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

 **HB 1430**


Meza, Terry(D)

Relating to establishing a minimum wage for certain personal attendants under Medicaid and other programs administered by the Health and Human Services Commission.

Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

 **HB 1444**


Cortez, Philip(D)

Relating to preferential voting in runoff elections for certain voters voting by mail.



Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 **HB 1448**


Oliverson, Tom(R)

Relating to procedures for verification of a ballot voted by mail.

Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 **HB 1451**



Anchia, Rafael(D)

Relating to electronic voter registration.

Companions: [HB 134](#) Meza, Terry (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 350](#) Israel, Celia (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 527](#) Pacheco, Leo (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 1174](#) Crockett, Jasmine (F) (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 2870](#) Anchia, Rafael (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 1484](#) Meza, Terry (Identical)
3- 3-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections


Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A [HB 1463](#) [Campos, Liz\(D\)](#) Relating to a state plan and requirements for nursing facilities and related institutions that provide care and treatment for persons with Alzheimer's disease and related disorders.




Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A [HB 1464](#) [Campos, Liz\(D\)](#) Relating to preliminary examination periods for mental health protective custody and the criteria for and duration of certain court-ordered mental health services.




Bill History: 05-08-23 H Reported favorably from committee on House Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence

A [HB 1469](#) [Capriglione, Giovanni\(R\)](#) Relating to personnel training requirements for nursing facilities and assisted living facilities that advertise an Alzheimer's care unit or memory care unit.



Bill History: 05-09-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services


A [HB 1472](#) [Walle, Armando\(D\)](#)
[West, Royce\(D\)](#) Relating to eligibility requirements under the owner-builder loan program.



Companions: [SB 2512](#) [West, Royce](#) (Identical)
5-11-23 S Placed on the Senate Calendar for


Bill History: 05-12-23 S Voted favorably from committee on Senate Local Government

A [HB 1477](#) [Anchia, Rafael\(D\)](#) Relating to the issuance and acceptance of a high school student identification card and certain other forms of identification as identification for voting.



Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A [HB 1483](#) [Frank, James\(R\)](#) Relating to the adoption and voidability of certain rules proposed by a state agency.



Companions: [SB 918](#) [Hall, Bob](#) (Identical)
3- 3-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Business and Commerce


Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs

 [HB 1484](#) Meza, Terry(D) Relating to electronic voter registration.



Companions: [HB 134](#) Meza, Terry (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 1174](#) Crockett, Jasmine (F) (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 2870](#) Anchia, Rafael (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 1451](#) Anchia, Rafael (Identical)
3- 3-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections


Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 [HB 1485](#) Ramos, Ana-Maria(D) Relating to staff development requirements for public educators regarding suicide prevention and other mental health training.




Companions: [HB 1144](#) Ramos, Ana-Maria (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-30-23 H Removed from hearing 04/03/23 - House Select on Youth Health & Safety

 [HB 1486](#) Gerdes, Stan (F)(R) Relating to the adoption of a mental health leave policy for certain telecommunicators.




Bill History: 04-18-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Criminal Justice

 [HB 1493](#) Gonzalez, Mary(D) Relating to accommodations for the assessment of certain public school students receiving special education services.




Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 [HB 1520](#) Canales, Terry(D) Relating to the continuation and functions of the Texas Juvenile Justice Department and the functions of the office of independent ombudsman for the Texas Juvenile Justice Department.



Companions: [SB 1727](#) Schwertner, Charles (Identical)
5-16-23 H Set on the House Calendar

Bill History: 04-19-23 H Committee action pending House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues

 [HB 1567](#) Allison, Steve(R) Relating to written communications brought to a polling place.



Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 1571

Lozano, Jose(R)

Relating to the reimbursement under Medicaid of local educational agencies for the provision of health care services to students.



Companions:

HB 2773 Bucy, John (Identical)
3-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

SB 2544 Blanco, Cesar (Identical)
3-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-28-23 H Committee action pending House Human Services

A HB 1576

Leo-Wilson, Terri (F)(R)

Relating to the use of certain devices by a person near a voting station.



Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 1580

Metcalf, Will(R)

Relating to paid leave by certain state employees for the birth or adoption of a child.



Companions:

HB 3463 Metcalf, Will (Identical)
3-16-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs

Bill History: 04-24-23 H Laid on the table - subject to call - see SB 222

A HB 1593

Campos, Liz(D)

Relating to infection prevention and control programs and other measures for communicable diseases at certain long-term care facilities.



Bill History: 03-03-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A HB 1604

Gonzalez, Mary(D)

Relating to a report by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board regarding students with disabilities in higher education.



Bill History: 04-24-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Subcommittee on Higher Education

A HB 1605

Buckley, Brad(R)
Creighton, Brandon(R)



Relating to instructional material and technology, the adoption and revision of essential knowledge and skills of the public school foundation curriculum, and creating allotments for procurement of instructional materials.

Companions: [SB 2565](#) Creighton, Brandon (Identical)
4-27-23 H Referred to House Committee on House Public Education

Bill History: 05-12-23 S Passed (Vote: Y: 22/N: 8)

A HB 1615

Button, Angie Chen(R)
Birdwell, Brian(R)



Relating to strategies to increase the availability of child-care and prekindergarten programs.

Companions: [HB 4153](#) Button, Angie Chen (Identical)
3-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House International Relations/Economic Dev

Bill History: 05-15-23 S First placement on Senate Intent Calendar for

A HB 1625

Hull, Lacey(R)



Relating to the use of parental leave, family and medical leave, vacation leave, and sick leave by certain state employees.

Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs

A HB 1626

Allen, Alma(D)
Menendez, Jose(D)



Relating to a public school student's transition from an alternative education program to a regular classroom and the admission of certain students with a criminal or disciplinary history.

Companions: [HB 4106](#) Allen, Alma (Refiled from 87R Session)
[SB 2083](#) Menendez, Jose (Identical)
3-21-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

Bill History: 05-09-23 S Removed from hearing 05/10/23 - Senate Education

A HB 1627

Hernandez, Ana(D)



Relating to implicit bias training for justices and judges of state courts, judicial officers, certain court personnel, and attorneys licensed to practice law in this state.

Companions: [HB 2714](#) Hernandez, Ana (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 04-05-23 H Committee action pending House Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence

 [HB 1632](#)

[Paul, Dennis\(R\)](#)
[Middleton, Mayes \(F\)\(R\)](#)

Relating to standardized training for election officers.



Bill History: 05-12-23 S Voted favorably from committee on Senate State Affairs

 [HB 1638](#)

[Canales, Terry\(D\)](#)

Relating to a study by the Texas Department of Transportation on future transportation needs for the year 2045.



Companions: [HB 2222](#) [Canales, Terry](#) (Refiled from 87R Session)
[SB 1464](#) [Nichols, Robert](#) (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-21-23 H Removed from hearing 03/22/23 - House Transportation

 [HB 1643](#)

[Vasut, Cody\(R\)](#)

Relating to exemptions granted by the Parks and Wildlife Commission to persons with disabilities.



Bill History: 03-07-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Culture, Recreation, and Tourism

 [HB 1644](#)

[Romero, Ramon\(D\)](#)

Relating to a study on mental health professionals or mental health response teams responding to a behavioral health-related emergency call.



Bill History: 03-07-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health

 [HB 1667](#)

[Jetton, Jacey\(R\)](#)

Relating to the reporting of child abuse or neglect.



Bill History: 05-12-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

 [HB 1671](#)

[Jetton, Jacey\(R\)](#)

Relating to vote harvesting.



Bill History: 05-05-23 H Reported favorably from committee on House Elections

 [HB 1701](#)

[Collier, Nicole\(D\)](#)

Relating to administrative and judicial review of certain Medicaid reimbursement disputes.



Bill History: 03-07-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence

A HB 1708

Canales, Terry(D)

Relating to the temperature at which a facility operated by the Texas Department of Criminal Justice is maintained.



Companions:

HB 342 Rosenthal, Jon (Refiled from 87R Session)

HB 1213 Rosenthal, Jon (Identical)

3- 3-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Corrections

SB 1035 Menendez, Jose (Identical)

3- 3-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance

Bill History: 05-01-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Finance

A HB 1717

Hernandez, Ana(D)

Relating to the consideration of ownership interests of certain persons with a disability in determining whether a business is a historically underutilized business for purposes of state contracting.



Companions:

HB 676 Hernandez, Ana (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-07-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs

A HB 1726

Hernandez, Ana(D)

Relating to the reimbursement and payment of claims by certain health benefit plan issuers for telemedicine medical services, teledentistry dental services, and telehealth services.



Companions:

SB 724 Lamantia, Morgan (F) (Identical)

3- 1-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

SB 1043 Blanco, Cesar (Identical)

3- 3-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 05-11-23 H Set on the House Calendar

A HB 1735

Leach, Jeff(R)

Relating to the penalty for the offense of illegal voting.



Companions:

HB 52 Spiller, David (Identical)

2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

HB 1243 Hefner, Cole (Identical)

5- 1-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate State Affairs

Bill History: 03-07-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A [HB 1750](#) Burns, DeWayne(R)
Perry, Charles(R) Relating to the applicability of certain city requirements to agricultural operations.

Bill History: 05-15-23 S Placed on the Senate Calendar for

A [HB 1751](#) Jones, Jolanda (F)(D) Relating to the collection and reporting of certain information regarding mental health jail diversion.

Companions: [HB 3075](#) Coleman, Garnet (Refiled from 87R Session)
[SB 1844](#) Eckhardt, Sarah (F) (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-07-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety

A [HB 1755](#) Button, Angie Chen(R)
Alvarado, Carol(D) Relating to the creation of the Lone Star Workforce of the Future Fund.

Companions: [SB 592](#) Alvarado, Carol (Identical)
4-19-23 S Committee action pending Senate Natural Resources/Economic Development

Bill History: 05-12-23 S Passed (Vote: Y: 22/N: 8)

A [HB 1781](#) Hinojosa, Gina(D) Relating to evaluation under the state accountability system of school district campuses that enroll certain students who receive special education services.

Companions: [HB 807](#) Hinojosa, Gina (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-07-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

A [HB 1795](#) Howard, Donna(D) Relating to the reimbursement under Medicaid of local educational agencies for the provision of health care services to students.


Companions: [HB 3225](#) Hinojosa, Gina (Refiled from 87R Session)


Bill History: 03-07-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A [HB 1798](#) Howard, Donna(D) Relating to the development of a strategic plan for home and community-based services provided under Medicaid and the child health plan program.

Companions: [SB 663](#) Perry, Charles (Identical)
2-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services


Bill History: 05-12-23 H Passed on local calendar (Vote: Y:140/N: 0)


 [HB 1803](#) Rose, Toni(D) Relating to the eligibility of certain individuals to purchase Medicare supplement benefit plans.



Companions: [SB 1790](#) Zaffirini, Judith (Identical)
3-20-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services


Bill History: 05-10-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services


 [HB 1805](#) Klick, Stephanie(R) Relating to the medical use of low-THC cannabis by patients with certain medical conditions.




Companions: [SB 1747](#) Perry, Charles (Identical)
3-16-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services


Bill History: 05-03-23 S Rereferred to Committee on Senate Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs

 [HB 1814](#) Goodwin, Vikki(D) Relating to creating a special education certification to teach students with disabilities.




Bill History: 03-07-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education


 [HB 1824](#) Thierry, Shawn(D) Relating to the Medicaid eligibility of certain women following a pregnancy.



Companions: [HB 487](#) Thompson, Senfronia (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

Bill History: 03-07-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

 [HB 1850](#) DeAyala, Emilio (F)(R) Relating to the signature required on an application for voter registration.



Bill History: 03-07-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A [HB 1867](#) [Campos, Liz\(D\)](#) Relating to the regulation of referral agencies for assisted living facilities.



Bill History: 03-07-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A [HB 1868](#) [Campos, Liz\(D\)](#) Relating to minimum staffing standards for assisted living facilities that provide care to persons with Alzheimer's disease or related disorders.



Bill History: 03-07-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A [HB 1873](#) [Campos, Liz\(D\)](#) Relating to patients' rights, consumer protection, and directives for the provision of health care services.



Bill History: 03-07-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health

A [HB 1877](#) [Swanson, Valoree\(R\)](#) Relating to the enforcement of laws relating to elections.



Bill History: 03-07-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A [HB 1879](#) [Darby, Drew\(R\)](#) Relating to the provision of counseling services by certain providers under Medicaid and reimbursement for those services.



Bill History: 05-09-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A [HB 1898](#) [Jetton, Jacey\(R\)](#) Relating to a grant program to fund the provision by children's hospitals of mental and behavioral health services to children in this state.



Companions: [SB 1365](#) [Hinojosa, Chuy](#) (Identical)
3-16-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 04-19-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A [HB 1904](#) [Gamez, Erin \(F\)\(D\)](#) Relating to the establishment of a border county mental health task force.



Bill History: 03-08-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health

A [HB 1917](#) [Walle, Armando\(D\)](#) Relating to the establishment and implementation by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs of the Texas Tenant Readiness and Landlord Incentive Pilot Program.



Bill History: 05-08-23 H Voted favorably from committee on House Urban Affairs

A [HB 1926](#) [Hull, Lacey\(R\)](#) Relating to the expiration date of the supplemental special education services program.



Bill History: 05-10-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education

A [HB 1927](#) [Hull, Lacey\(R\)](#) Relating to a parent's right to intervene in the apprehension by a peace officer of a child for an emergency detention and certain requirements and restrictions applicable to an emergency detention.



Bill History: 05-08-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Criminal Justice

A [HB 1943](#) [Rosenthal, Jon\(D\)](#) Relating to annual applications for ballots to be voted by mail.



Companions: [HB 1832](#) [Rosenthal, Jon](#) (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-08-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A [HB 1944](#) [Rosenthal, Jon\(D\)](#) Relating to the use of certain devices by a person occupying a voting station.



Companions: [HB 1170](#) [Rosenthal, Jon](#) (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-08-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A [HB 1946](#) [Rosenthal, Jon\(D\)](#) Relating to the categorization, collection, and publication of demographic and other information pertaining to certain public benefits programs.



Bill History: 03-08-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A [HB 1972](#) [Campos, Liz\(D\)](#) Relating to policies and procedures regarding children placed by the Department of Family and Protective Services in a residential treatment center or program.



Bill History: 05-05-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A [HB 1980](#) [Dorazio, Mark \(F\)\(R\)](#) Relating to the procedures for the issuance of a personal identification certificate to a person whose driver's license is surrendered.



Companions: [SB 975](#) [Menendez, Jose](#) (Identical)
5-16-23 H Set on the House Calendar

Bill History: 05-11-23 H Set on the House Calendar

A [HB 1981](#) [Vasut, Cody\(R\)](#) Relating to the administration of assessment instruments to public school students.



Bill History: 03-08-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

A [HB 2020](#) [Oliverson, Tom\(R\)](#) Relating to the suspension of a county elections administrator.



Companions: [SB 823](#) [Bettencourt, Paul](#) (Identical)
4- 6-23 S Reported from committee as substituted Senate State Affairs

Bill History: 03-30-23 H Committee action pending House Elections

A [HB 2029](#) [Dutton, Harold\(D\)](#) Relating to the definitions of abuse and neglect of a child.



Companions: [SB 1611](#) [Zaffirini, Judith](#) (Identical)
3-16-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-08-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues

 **HB 2036**

Meza, Terry(D)

Relating to the reimbursement rate for meals provided under the home-delivered meals program.



Bill History: 03-08-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

 **HB 2037**

Johnson, Ann(D)

Relating to certain proceedings in juvenile court for children with mental illness and intellectual disabilities.



Companions: [HB 1359](#) Wu, Gene (Identical)
3-22-23 H Committee action pending House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues
[SB 1585](#) Sparks, Kevin (F) (Identical)
4-28-23 H Referred to House Committee on House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues

Bill History: 04-17-23 S Received in the Senate

 **HB 2047**

Zwiener, Erin(D)

Relating to the expansion of eligibility for Medicaid to certain individuals who are younger than 26 years of age.



Bill History: 03-08-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

 **HB 2066**

Cook, David(R)

Relating to the diversion of certain foster youth from the juvenile justice system, including through emergency behavior intervention by certain persons providing foster care services.



Bill History: 05-01-23 S Received in the Senate

 **HB 2078**

Jetton, Jacey(R)

Relating to the authority of a physician to provide and dispense and to delegate authority to provide and dispense certain drugs.



Bill History: 03-08-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health

 **HB 2082**

Jetton, Jacey(R)

Relating to insurance regulation of a prepaid health care plan for certain individuals with low income.



Bill History: 03-08-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

A HB 2100

Price, Four(R)
Schwertner, Charles(R)

Relating to eligibility requirements for student loan repayment assistance for certain mental health professionals.



Companions: [SB 804](#) Schwertner, Charles (Identical)
4- 6-23 S Voted favorably from committee on Senate Subcommittee on Higher Education

Bill History: 05-12-23 S Recommended for Local/Uncontested Calendar

A HB 2108

Allison, Steve(R)

Relating to eligibility for tuition and fee exemptions at public institutions of higher education for certain students who were under the conservatorship of the Department of Family and Protective Services.



Companions: [SB 937](#) Eckhardt, Sarah (Identical)
3- 3-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Subcommittee on Higher Education

Bill History: 05-04-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Subcommittee on Higher Education

A HB 2114

Toth, Steve(R)

Relating to the establishment of an empowerment scholarship account program.



Bill History: 03-09-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

A HB 2124

Gonzalez, Jessica(D)

Relating to the Medicaid eligibility of certain individuals who are lawfully present in the United States.



Bill History: 03-09-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

A HB 2125

Bucy, John(D)

Relating to a required training course for persons serving as special education representatives and hearing officers at impartial due process hearings or as facilitators for individualized education program facilitation.



Companions: [HB 3446](#) Bucy, John (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 04-18-23 H Committee action pending House Public Education

A HB 2126

Goodwin, Vikki(D)

Relating to information reported through the Public Education Information Management System and to parents regarding disciplinary measures used by a public school.



Companions: [SB 1292](#) West, Royce (Identical)

3- 9-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

Bill History: 05-11-23 H Set on the House Calendar

 [HB 2164](#)

[Guerra, Bobby\(D\)](#)

Relating to the monitoring of public school bilingual education and special language programs by the Texas Education Agency.



Bill History: 05-11-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education

 [HB 2182](#)

[Gonzalez, Jessica\(D\)](#)

Relating to the consideration of ownership interests of certain persons in determining whether a business is a historically underutilized business for purposes of state contracting.



Companions: [SB 877](#) [Eckhardt, Sarah](#) (Identical)
3- 1-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Business and Commerce

Bill History: 03-09-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House State Affairs

 [HB 2187](#)

[Davis, Yvonne\(D\)](#)

Relating to the criminal offense of abandoning or endangering a child, elderly individual, or disabled individual.



Bill History: 05-11-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Criminal Justice

 [HB 2189](#)

[Johnson, Julie\(D\)](#)

Relating to increasing the criminal penalty for assault of certain hospital personnel.



Companions: [HB 3548](#) [Anchia, Rafael](#) (Identical)
5- 6-23 H Laid on the table - subject to call - see SB 840
[SB 840](#) [West, Royce](#) (Identical)
5-11-23 S Senate concurred in House amendments (Vote: Y: 30/N: 0)
[SB 2473](#) [Hinojosa, Chuy](#) (Identical)
3-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

Bill History: 05-06-23 H Reported from committee as substituted House Criminal Jurisprudence

 [HB 2192](#)

[Murr, Andrew\(R\)](#)


Relating to increasing the criminal penalty for election fraud.



Companions: [HB 2299](#) Holland, Justin (Identical)
3- 9-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections


Bill History: 03-09-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

[A](#) [HB 2210](#) King, Ken(R) Relating to an extension of the formula transition grant under the Foundation School Program.




Bill History: 03-09-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

[A](#) [HB 2233](#) Spiller, David(R) Relating to required mental health awareness training for first responders.




Bill History: 05-09-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

[A](#) [HB 2234](#) Thompson, Senfronia(D) Relating to certain policies and procedures for the placement and use of video cameras in certain classrooms including classrooms that provide special education services.



Bill History: 05-12-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education


[A](#) [HB 2244](#) Campos, Liz(D) Relating to the establishment of a pilot project to provide supportive housing services through Medicaid to persons experiencing chronic homelessness.



Companions: [HB 2469](#) Campos, Liz (F) (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-09-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

[A](#) [HB 2246](#) Smithee, John(R) Relating to suits affecting the parent-child relationship, including the payment and enforcement of support ordered in a suit affecting the parent-child relationship.



Companions: [SB 869](#) West, Royce (Identical)
5-11-23 G Sent to the Governor

Bill History: 04-12-23 H Committee action pending House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues

[A](#) [HB 2272](#) Swanson, Valoree(R) Relating to associate judges and Department of Family and Protective Services representation in child protection court proceedings.



Bill History: 03-22-23 H Committee action pending House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues

A HB 2283

Martinez, Armando(D)

Relating to the notification of a peace officer through an indication associated with vehicle registration that the vehicle owner may be transporting a person with a disability.



Companions: SB 661 Lamantia, Morgan (F) (Identical)
2-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Transportation

Bill History: 05-03-23 H Reported favorably from committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety

A HB 2299

Holland, Justin(R)

Relating to increasing the criminal penalty for election fraud.



Companions: HB 2192 Murr, Andrew (Identical)
3- 9-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

Bill History: 03-09-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 2301

Thierry, Shawn(D)

Relating to emergency generators or other power sources for nursing facilities and assisted living facilities.



Companions: HB 795 Thompson, Ed (Identical)
4-18-23 H Vote failed in committee on House Human Services
SB 1202 Miles, Borris (Identical)
3- 9-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-09-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A HB 2351

Vo, Hubert(D)

Relating to renewal of an appointment as a volunteer deputy registrar.



Companions: HB 2124 Vo, Hubert (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 05-04-23 S Received in the Senate

A HB 2379

Meza, Terry(D)

Relating to the ability of voters with certain disabilities to cast a secret ballot.



Bill History: 03-09-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 2430

Zwiener, Erin(D)

Relating to the ability of a volunteer deputy registrar to distribute and receive applications for a ballot to be voted by mail.



Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 2473

Bucy, John(D)

Relating to improvements to the Texas Information and Referral Network.



Companions: SB 2115 Flores, Pete (Identical)
3-21-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 05-01-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A HB 2498

Swanson, Valoree(R)

Relating to the conduct and administration of elections.



Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 2506

Jetton, Jacey(R)

Relating to procedures applicable to the emergency detention of a person with mental illness at a mental health facility, including the detention, transportation, and transfer of the person.



Bill History: 05-09-23 H Reported from committee as substituted House Public Health

A HB 2519

Thompson, Senfronia(D)

Relating to law enforcement misconduct and law enforcement interactions with certain detained or arrested individuals and other members of the public, to public entity liability.



Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety

A HB 2521

Thompson, Senfronia(D)

Relating to the prohibition on the use of a neck restraint by a peace officer during a search or arrest.



Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety

A HB 2526

Campos, Liz(D)

Relating to the personal needs allowance for certain Medicaid recipients who are residents of long-term care facilities.



Companions: [HB 2121](#) Campos, Liz (F) (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A HB 2536

Toth, Steve(R)

Relating to processes to address election irregularities.



Companions: [SB 1039](#) Bettencourt, Paul (Identical)
5- 8-23 H Voted favorably from committee as substituted House Elections

Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 2554

Oliverson, Tom(R)

Relating to creation of the Texas Health Insurance Exchange.



Companions: [HB 700](#) Oliverson, Tom (Identical)
3-30-23 H Committee action pending House Select on Health Care Reform

Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

A HB 2589

Howard, Donna(D)

Relating to the form of a medical power of attorney.



Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health

A HB 2601

Garcia, Josey (F)(D)

Relating to the criminal penalties for possession of marihuana.



Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Criminal Jurisprudence

A HB 2613

Hull, Lacey(R)

Relating to monetary assistance provided by the Department of Family and Protective Services to certain relative or designated caregivers.



Companions: [SB 908](#) West, Royce (Identical)

3- 3-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

 HB 2615

Gates, Gary(R)

Relating to the operation by a school district of a vocational education program to provide eligible high school students with vocational and educational training.



Bill History: 05-11-23 H Point of order sustained under Rule 4, Section 32(c)(3), regarding the absence of rulemaking authority referenced in the bill analysis

 HB 2618

Vasut, Cody(R)

Relating to the noncommercial taking of shrimp using mechanical means by a person with a disability.



Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Culture, Recreation, and Tourism

 HB 2619

Tinderholt, Tony(R)

Relating to imposing a civil penalty for a violation of the Election Code.



Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 HB 2623

Hinojosa, Gina(D)

Relating to postage for early voting ballots voted by mail.



Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

 HB 2631

Jones, Jolanda (F)(D)

Relating to the withdrawal or revocation of an athletic scholarship by a public institution of higher education on the basis of a student athlete's injury, illness, or disability.



Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education

 HB 2641


Johnson, Ann(D)

Relating to Medicaid coverage and reimbursement for the provision of rapid whole genome sequencing to certain infants with acute or complex illnesses.




Bill History: 03-21-23 H Committee action pending House Human Services

A [HB 2645](#) [Lujan, John\(R\)](#) Relating to a pilot program to increase the financial independence of foster youth who are transitioning to independent living.




Bill History: 05-12-23 H Passed on local calendar (Vote: Y:140/N: 0)

A [HB 2649](#) [Allison, Steve\(R\)](#) Relating to the retirement system in certain municipalities for firefighters and police officers.



Bill History: 05-06-23 H Withdrawn from the Local Calendar


A [HB 2650](#) [Howard, Donna\(D\)](#) Relating to the continuation and duties of the Sexual Assault Survivors' Task Force and establishment of a mandatory training program for peace officers on responding to reports of child sexual abuse.



Companions: [SB 1402](#) [Zaffirini, Judith](#) (Identical)
5-11-23 H Voted favorably from committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety


Bill History: 05-12-23 H Passed (Vote: Y: 96/N: 35)

A [HB 2651](#) [Howard, Donna\(D\)](#) Relating to required training and continuing education requirements for persons who provide medical care or other support to survivors of sexual assault.




Bill History: 05-05-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A [HB 2670](#) [Howard, Donna\(D\)](#) Relating to the composition of the Sexual Assault Survivors' Task Force and to compensation for task force members and certain other task force participants.




Bill History: 05-16-23 S Meeting set for 8:30 A.M., E1.016 - Senate Criminal Justice

A [HB 2695](#) [Jones, Venton \(F\)\(D\)](#) Relating to a school district policy regarding custodian workloads.



Companions: [SB 2169](#) [Alvarado, Carol](#) (Identical)
3-22-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice


Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 [HB 2696](#) [Howard, Donna\(D\)](#) Relating to the prosecution of the offense of sexual assault.




Companions: [SB 2169](#) [Alvarado, Carol](#) (Identical)
3-22-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

Bill History: 05-01-23 S Received in the Senate

 [HB 2718](#) [Allen, Alma\(D\)](#) Relating to the composition of the Board of Pardons and Paroles.




Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Corrections

 [HB 2727](#) [Price, Four\(R\)](#) Relating to the provision of home telemonitoring services under Medicaid.




Bill History: 05-02-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

 [HB 2733](#) [Hayes, Richard \(F\)\(R\)](#) Relating to the confinement in a county jail of certain defendants who are incompetent to stand trial and to the compensation to the county for the costs of that confinement.




Companions: [SB 1313](#) [Eckhardt, Sarah](#) (Identical)
3- 9-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Finance

Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health

 [HB 2743](#) [Smith, Reggie\(R\)](#) Relating to procedures regarding the court-ordered administration of psychoactive medication for criminal defendants who are found incompetent to stand trial.



Bill History: 04-24-23 H Committee action pending House Corrections

 [HB 2756](#) [Romero, Ramon\(D\)](#) Relating to the exclusion of certain resources in determining eligibility for financial assistance and supplemental nutrition assistance program benefits.



Companions: [HB 1449](#) [Romero, Ramon](#) (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A [HB 2773](#) [Bucy, John\(D\)](#) Relating to the reimbursement under Medicaid of local educational agencies for the provision of health care services to students.



Companions: [HB 1571](#) [Lozano, Jose](#) (Identical)
3-28-23 H Committee action pending House Human Services
[SB 2544](#) [Blanco, Cesar](#) (Identical)
3-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A [HB 2776](#) [Bucy, John\(D\)](#) Relating to early voting by mail.



Bill History: 03-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A [HB 2780](#) [Leach, Jeff\(R\)](#) Relating to the reporting of mental health and intellectual disability information with respect to certain children for purposes of a federal firearm background check.



Companions: [SB 728](#) [Huffman, Joan](#) (Identical)
5-16-23 H Set on the House Calendar
[SB 1184](#) [Eckhardt, Sarah](#) (Identical)
3- 9-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

Bill History: 03-21-23 H Committee action pending House Select on Community Safety

A [HB 2802](#) [Rose, Toni\(D\)](#)
[Blanco, Cesar\(D\)](#) Relating to the Medicaid application form and communication with Medicaid recipients.



Companions: [SB 1127](#) [Blanco, Cesar](#) (Identical)
3- 9-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 05-11-23 S Recommended for Local/Uncontested Calendar

A [HB 2803](#) [Leo-Wilson, Terri \(F\)\(R\)](#) Relating to a program to serve special education students'€™ needs.



Bill History: 03-14-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 [HB 2817](#)

[Jetton, Jacey\(R\)](#)

Relating to establishing a program allowing certain students who are educationally disadvantaged, have a disability, or failed certain assessment instruments to use state money.



Bill History: 03-14-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 [HB 2831](#)

[Goodwin, Vikki\(D\)](#)

Relating to the terminology used to refer to certain disabilities in determining eligibility for special education services in public schools.



Bill History: 03-14-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 [HB 2836](#)

[Walle, Armando\(D\)](#)

Relating to eligibility for supplemental nutrition assistance program benefits.



Companions: [SB 1685](#) [Blanco, Cesar](#) (Identical)
3-16-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-14-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

 [HB 2843](#)

[Kuempel, John\(R\)](#)

Relating to the authorization, licensing, and regulation of casino gaming and sports wagering in this state, to the creation, powers, and duties of the Texas Gaming Commission.



Bill History: 05-12-23 H Bill pronounced dead by procedural action

 [HB 2849](#)

[Plesa, Mihaela \(F\)\(D\)](#)

Relating to information about available free or low-cost cellular telephones and free or low-cost cellular telephone service plans provided to residents of certain nursing and assisted living facilities.



Bill History: 03-14-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

 [HB 2877](#)

[King, Tracy\(D\)](#)

Relating to crime victims' compensation.



Companions: [SB 2298](#) [Gutierrez, Roland](#) (Identical)
3-22-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

Bill History: 05-16-23 S Meeting set for 8:30 A.M., E1.016 - Senate Criminal Justice

A HB 2920

Paul, Dennis(R)

Relating to the information maintained by the Texas Education Agency regarding postsecondary education and career opportunities.



Companions: [SB 2068](#) Bettencourt, Paul (Identical)
4-27-23 S Committee action pending Senate Education

Bill History: 05-01-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education

A HB 2943

Lopez, Janie (F)(R)

Relating to designating October 17 as Entrepreneurs with Disabilities Day.



Companions: [SB 464](#) Parker, Tan (F) (Identical)
5- 2-23 G Sent to the Governor

Bill History: 04-28-23 H Laid on the table - subject to call - see SB 464

A HB 2950

Bryant, John(D)

Relating to the temperature at which certain facilities operated by the Texas Department of Criminal Justice are maintained.



Bill History: 03-28-23 H Committee action pending House Corrections

A HB 2952

Cunningham, Charles (F)
(R)

Relating to procedures for the suspension, expulsion, or placement in a disciplinary alternative education program or juvenile justice alternative education program of a public school student enrolled in a school district.



Bill History: 03-14-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

A HB 2975

Guillen, Ryan(R)

Relating to powers and duties of the Texas Workforce Commission with respect to work and family policies.



Bill History: 05-11-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Natural Resources/Economic Development

A HB 3009


VanDeaver, Gary(R)

Relating to the health care providers authorized to examine a person to determine whether the person is incapacitated for purposes of certain guardianship proceedings.




Bill History: 05-12-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Jurisprudence

A [HB 3038](#) [Walle, Armando\(D\)](#) Relating to the applicability of prohibitions on municipal or county regulations on the rental or leasing of housing accommodations.




Bill History: 03-14-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Urban Affairs

A [HB 3058](#) [Johnson, Ann\(D\)](#) Relating to the operation of the physician-patient relationship with respect to certain medically necessary services




Bill History: 05-12-23 H Passed on local calendar (Vote: Y:140/N: 0)

A [HB 3076](#) [Lopez, Ray\(D\)](#) Relating to providing eligible supplemental nutrition assistance program recipients with an additional benefit to pay certain food delivery service fees.




Bill History: 03-14-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A [HB 3158](#) [Leach, Jeff\(R\)](#) Relating to occupational licensing of inmates in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.



Bill History: 05-02-23 H Bill pronounced dead by procedural action


A [HB 3159](#) [Leach, Jeff\(R\)](#) Relating to the use of an accessible absentee mail system by certain voters.



Companions: [HB 3873](#) [Bucy, John](#) (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 05-12-23 H Passed (Vote: Y:138/N: 3)

A [HB 3162](#) [Klick, Stephanie\(R\)](#) Relating to advance directives and health care treatment decisions made by or on behalf of patients, including a review of those directives and decisions.



Companions: [SB 1724](#) [Springer, Drew](#) (Identical)
3-16-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 05-11-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A [HB 3174](#) [Bucy, John\(D\)](#) Relating to requirements for counties posting election information on an Internet website.



Bill History: 03-15-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 3184

Thompson, Senfronia(D)

Relating to guardianships and the delivery of certain notices or other communications in connection with guardianship proceedings.



Companions: SB 1457 Zaffirini, Judith (Identical)
5-11-23 H Passed (Vote: Y:136/N: 3)

Bill History: 05-10-23 H Laid on the table - subject to call - see SB 1457

A HB 3186

Leach, Jeff(R)

Relating to youth diversion strategies and procedures for children accused of certain fine-only offenses in municipal and justice courts and related criminal justice matters.



Companions: SB 1505 Zaffirini, Judith (Identical)
3-16-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

Bill History: 05-16-23 S Meeting set for 8:30 A.M., E1.016 - Senate Criminal Justice

A HB 3190

Frazier, Frederick (F)(R)

Relating to the use of a public school as a polling place.



Companions: HB 4465 Isaac, Carrie (F) (Identical)
3-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections
SB 143 Springer, Drew (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

Bill History: 03-15-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 3267

Talarico, James(D)

Relating to establishing the Texas Care Plan Medicaid buy-in program to provide health benefit plan coverage to certain persons in this state.



Companions: HB 4084 Talarico, James (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-15-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

A HB 3286


Klick, Stephanie(R)

Relating to certain prescription drug benefits under the Medicaid managed care program.




Companions: [SB 2201](#) Hancock, Kelly (Identical)
3-22-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services


Bill History: 05-09-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

 **A** [HB 3329](#) Thimesch, Kronda (F)(R) Relating to the investigation or determination of abuse or neglect of a child, elderly person, or person with a disability and the provision of certain services.


Bill History: 05-12-23 H Passed (Vote: Y:141/N: 0)

 **A** [HB 3446](#) Dutton, Harold(D) Relating to court-ordered financial support by parents of an adult with a medically determinable disability.

Bill History: 05-10-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate State Affairs

 **A** [HB 3462](#) Noble, Candy(R) Relating to the consolidation of ombudsman programs administered by the Health and Human Services Commission.


Bill History: 05-10-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

 **A** [HB 3532](#) Sherman, Carl(D) Relating to notification requirements for law enforcement agencies regarding a missing child with an intellectual disability or mental illness.

Bill History: 05-11-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Criminal Justice

 **A** [HB 3546](#) Allen, Alma(D) Relating to the justified use of force by a school employee or volunteer against a student.

Bill History: 03-16-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Youth Health & Safety

 **A** [HB 3548](#) Anchia, Rafael(D) Relating to increasing the criminal penalty for assault of certain hospital personnel.

Companions: [HB 2189](#) Johnson, Julie (Identical)
5- 6-23 H Reported from committee as substituted House Criminal Jurisprudence

[SB 2473](#) Hinojosa, Chuy (Identical)
3-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

Bill History: 05-06-23 H Laid on the table - subject to call - see SB 840

 [HB 3551](#) Thierry, Shawn(D)



Relating to presumptive eligibility of certain elderly individuals for home and community-based services under Medicaid.

Companions: [HB 1988](#) Thierry, Shawn (Refiled from 87R Session)
[SB 322](#) Johnson, Nathan (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-16-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

 [HB 3593](#) Campos, Liz(D)



Relating to the exclusion of certain resources in determining eligibility for financial assistance.

Companions: [HB 927](#) Goodwin, Vikki (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-16-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

 [HB 3636](#) Goodwin, Vikki(D)



Relating to a cost-of-living adjustment applicable to certain benefits paid by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas and a study on the feasibility of providing annual adjustments.

Bill History: 03-16-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Pensions/Investments/Financial Services

 [HB 3640](#) Noble, Candy(R)



Relating to an exemption from ad valorem taxation of a portion of the appraised value of a property that is the primary residence of an adult who has an intellectual or developmental disability.

Companions: [HJR 150](#) Noble, Candy (Enabling)
5- 2-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Local Government
[SB 2163](#) King, Phil (F) (Identical)
3-22-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Local Government

Bill History: 04-26-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Local Government

 [HB 3648](#) Guillen, Ryan(R)



Relating to the composition of the board of directors of the Texas School Safety Center.

Bill History: 05-05-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education

A [HB 3715](#) [Hull, Lacey\(R\)](#) Relating to access to all prescribed medications by residents in certain long-term care facilities.



Bill History: 04-25-23 H Committee action pending House Human Services

A [HB 3748](#) [Bucy, John\(D\)](#) Relating to ensuring access to the right to vote by all eligible voters.



Bill History: 03-20-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A [HB 3760](#) [Bucy, John\(D\)](#) Relating to the discipline of students enrolled in certain grade levels or receiving special education services in a public school.



Bill History: 03-20-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

A [HB 3781](#) [Jetton, Jacey\(R\)](#) Relating to special education in public schools, including the special education allotment under the Foundation School Program, an education savings account program for certain children with disabilities.



Bill History: 04-11-23 H Committee action pending House Public Education

A [HB 3807](#) [Klick, Stephanie\(R\)](#) Relating to the establishment of a family health aide program.



Companions: [SB 1715](#) [Perry, Charles](#) (Identical)
3-16-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 05-11-23 H Set on the House Calendar

A [HB 3830](#) [Lopez, Janie \(F\)\(R\)](#) Relating to a school district's duty to notify certain parents or guardians of a program providing students with reading disabilities the ability to borrow audiobooks free of charge.



Bill History: 03-20-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

A HB 3867

Bucy, John(D)

Relating to notification and documentation requirements regarding certain behavior management for a student enrolled in a special education program of a public school.



Bill History: 05-10-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education

A HB 3928

Toth, Steve(R)
Parker, Tan (F)(R)

Relating to a student's eligibility for special education services provided by a school district, including services for dyslexia and related disorders.



Companions: SB 2140 Parker, Tan (F) (Identical)
4-27-23 S Committee action pending Senate Education

Bill History: 05-11-23 S Voted favorably from committee as substituted Senate Education

A HB 3985

Raney, John(R)

Relating to an insurer's obligation under a preferred provider benefit plan for continuity of care for certain Medicaid recipients.



Companions: SB 1666 Parker, Tan (F) (Identical)
4-19-23 S Committee action pending Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 04-11-23 H Committee action pending House Human Services

A HB 3997

Raney, John(R)

Relating to reporting and data collection requirements in relation to tuition and fee exemptions at public institutions of higher education for certain military personnel and their family members.



Bill History: 03-23-23 H Removed from hearing 03/27/23 - House Higher Education

A HB 4005

Raney, John(R)
Parker, Tan (F)(R)

Relating to the establishment of the Texas Competency-Based Education Grant Program for certain students enrolled in competency-based baccalaureate degree programs.



Companions: SB 462 Parker, Tan (F) (Identical)
4-25-23 S Placed on the Senate Calendar for

Bill History: 05-12-23 S Reported favorably from committee on Senate Education

A HB 4049

Frank, James(R)

Relating to the powers and duties of the Health and Human Services Commission and the transfer to the commission of certain powers and duties from the Department of Family and Protective Services.



Companions: SB 24 Kolkhorst, Lois (Identical)

5- 9-23 H Reported from committee as substituted House Human Services

Bill History: 03-20-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

 [HB 4103](#)

[Raymond, Richard\(D\)](#)

Relating to the prohibition of housing discrimination on the basis of a person's source of income and to the enforcement of that prohibition.



Companions:

[HB 1470](#) Rodriguez, Eddie (Refiled from 87R Session)

[SB 265](#) West, Royce (Refiled from 87R Session)

[HB 3277](#) Gonzalez, Jessica (Identical)

3-15-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Business and Industry

[SB 570](#) West, Royce (Identical)

2-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Business and Commerce

Bill History: 03-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Business and Industry

 [HB 4107](#)

[Canales, Terry\(D\)](#)

Relating to examination requirements for purposes of certain guardianship proceedings.



Bill History: 05-11-23 H Set on the House Calendar

 [HB 4110](#)

[Guillen, Ryan\(R\)](#)

Relating to certain administrative penalties and procedures associated with aging, community-based, and long-term care service providers.



Bill History: 05-11-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

 [HB 4111](#)

[Plesa, Mihaela \(F\)\(D\)](#)

Relating to access to and the provision of behavioral and mental health care services and trauma-informed care in the Medicaid managed care program.



Bill History: 03-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

 [HB 4123](#)

[Guillen, Ryan\(R\)](#)

Relating to the dissemination of criminal history record information by the Department of Public Safety.



Companions:

[SB 1785](#) Zaffirini, Judith (Identical)

3-20-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Business and Commerce

Bill History: 05-11-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Business and Commerce

A [HB 4148](#) [Dutton, Harold\(D\)](#) Relating to the transfer of students between public schools.



Bill History: 04-25-23 H Committee action pending House Public Education

A [HB 4159](#) [Gervin-Hawkins, Barbara\(D\)](#) Relating to the procedures for the removal of certain children in the managing conservatorship of the Department of Family and Protective Services and monetary assistance provided by DFPS.



Bill History: 03-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A [HB 4164](#) [Cortez, Philip\(D\)](#) Relating to the improper use and treatment of an assistance animal or service animal.



Bill History: 05-12-23 H Passed (Vote: Y:130/N: 14)

A [HB 4168](#) [Campos, Liz\(D\)](#) Relating to prevention and early intervention services by the Department of Family and Protective Services.



Bill History: 03-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A [HB 4169](#) [Price, Four\(R\)](#) Relating to providing prevocational services under certain Medicaid waiver programs.



Companions: [SB 2489](#) [Sparks, Kevin \(F\)](#) (Identical)
5- 9-23 S First placement on Senate Intent Calendar for

Bill History: 05-11-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A [HB 4188](#) [Dutton, Harold\(D\)](#) Relating to the rights, certification, and compensation of public school educators, including financial and other assistance provided to public schools by the Texas Education Agency.



Companions: [HB 11](#) [Dutton, Harold](#) (Identical)
5-11-23 S Committee action pending Senate Education

Bill History: 03-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 [HB 4220](#)

[Clardy, Travis\(R\)](#)

Relating to the office of the state long-term care ombudsman.



Companions: [SB 652](#) Schwertner, Charles (Identical)
2-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 05-12-23 H Passed (Vote: Y:114/N: 22)

 [HB 4224](#)

[Ramos, Ana-Maria\(D\)](#)

Relating to eligibility for supplemental nutrition assistance program benefits.



Companions: [SB 1217](#) Johnson, Nathan (Refiled from 87R Session)
[SB 75](#) Johnson, Nathan (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

 [HB 4236](#)

[Noble, Candy\(R\)](#)

Relating to the establishment of an interagency child protection database.



Companions: [SB 1849](#) Kolkhorst, Lois (Identical)
5-16-23 H Set on the House Calendar

Bill History: 03-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

 [HB 4245](#)

[Allen, Alma\(D\)](#)

Relating to the revision of the essential knowledge and skills of the public school social studies curricula to include instruction relating to the history of persons with disabilities.



Companions: [SB 670](#) West, Royce (Identical)
2-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

Bill History: 03-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 [HB 4251](#)

[Cook, David\(R\)](#)

Relating to the provision of postsecondary education to certain inmates in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.



Bill History: 05-08-23 S Received in the Senate

A HB 4253

Campos, Liz(D)

Relating to a study on the coverage of certain infants under Medicaid.



Companions: [SB 1669](#) Lamantia, Morgan (F) (Identical)
3-16-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 05-12-23 H Passed (Vote: Y: 81/N: 59)

A HB 4329

Schofield, Mike(R)

Relating to the residence address of an applicant for purposes of voter registration.



Bill History: 03-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

A HB 4334

Thierry, Shawn(D)

Relating to the provision and delivery of certain health, mental health, and educational services in this state, including the delivery of those services using telecommunications or information technology.



Bill History: 03-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health

A HB 4339

Frank, James(R)

Relating to the establishment of the Education Savings Account Program to allow certain disadvantaged children and their siblings to use public money to pursue educational alternatives to public schools.



Companions: [SB 2354](#) Bettencourt, Paul (Identical)
3-22-23 S Committee action pending Senate Education

Bill History: 03-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

A HB 4340

Frank, James(R)

Relating to the establishment of the Education Savings Account Program to allow certain children to use public money to pursue educational alternatives to public schools and an insurance premium tax credit.



Bill History: 04-11-23 H Committee action pending House Public Education

A HB 4351

Noble, Candy(R)

Relating to the training program required for certain employees of the Department of Family and Protective Services.



Companions: [SB 2261](#) Blanco, Cesar (Identical)
5-12-23 H Passed on local calendar (Vote: Y:140/N: 0)
[SB 2443](#) Blanco, Cesar (Identical)

3-10-23 S Filed

Bill History: 04-24-23 H Reported from committee as substituted House Human Services

 HB 4356

Talarico, James(D)

Relating to the dissolution of the Texas Juvenile Justice Department and the creation of the Office of Youth Safety and Rehabilitation.



Bill History: 04-05-23 H Committee action pending House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues

 HB 4363

Kuempel, John(R)
Hinojosa, Chuy(D)

Relating to the establishment of a scholarship program for aspiring classroom teachers.



Bill History: 05-11-23 S Committee action pending Senate Education

 HB 4379

Reynolds, Ron(D)

Relating to citations and arrests for criminal offenses and pretrial detention and release.



Bill History: 03-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Criminal Jurisprudence

 HB 4440

Hunter, Todd(R)

Relating to state and local government responses to a pandemic disaster, including the establishment of the Pandemic Disaster Legislative Oversight Committee.



Bill History: 04-26-23 H Committee action pending House State Affairs

 HB 4449

Reynolds, Ron(D)

Relating to the establishment of a task force to study disciplinary practices and policies in public schools.



Companions: SB 2395 West, Royce (Identical)
3-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

Bill History: 05-11-23 H Failed to pass to third reading (Vote: N: 74/Y: 60)

 HB 4490

Garcia, Josey (F)(D)

Relating to educational benefits for eligible persons attending a comprehensive transition and postsecondary program for students with intellectual disabilities



Bill History: 03-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education

A [HB 4504](#) [Moody, Joe\(D\)](#) [Johnson, Nathan\(D\)](#) Relating to the nonsubstantive revision of certain provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure, including conforming amendments.



Bill History: 05-15-23 S Meeting set for 2:00 P.M. OR ADJ., 2E.20 - Senate Committee on Administration

A [HB 4505](#) [Cortez, Philip\(D\)](#) Relating to health benefit plan coverage for treatment of autism spectrum disorders.



Bill History: 03-22-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Insurance

A [HB 4506](#) [Cortez, Philip\(D\)](#) Relating to health benefit plan coverage for treatment of autism.



Companions: [SB 2176](#) [Lamantia, Morgan \(F\)](#) (Identical)
3-22-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 05-12-23 H Passed (Vote: Y: 91/N: 51)

A [HB 4541](#) [Oliverson, Tom\(R\)](#) Relating to the establishment of a pilot program to provide comprehensive whole child care for children with complex medical needs.



Companions: [SB 2360](#) [Parker, Tan \(F\)](#) (Identical)
3-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-22-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A [HB 4606](#) [Allen, Alma\(D\)](#) Relating to the operation of a juvenile justice alternative education program by a county department of education.



Bill History: 05-08-23 S Received in the Senate

A [HB 4611](#) [Price, Four\(R\)](#) [Johnson, Nathan\(D\)](#) Relating to the nonsubstantive revision of the health and human services laws governing the Health and Human Services Commission, Medicaid, and other social services.



Bill History: 05-15-23 S Meeting set for 2:00 P.M. OR ADJ., 2E.20 - Senate Committee on Administration

 HB 4629

Klick, Stephanie(R)

Relating to the terms and qualifications of members on the Intellectual and Developmental Disability System Redesign Advisory Committee.



Bill History: 05-05-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

 HB 4651

Lozano, Jose(R)

Relating to compensation for health care services under the Crime Victimsâ€™ Compensation Act



Bill History: 03-22-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Appropriations

 HB 4655

Thimesch, Kronda (F)(R)

Relating to the establishment of the vulnerable adult protection task force.



Bill History: 05-11-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

 HB 4690

Dutton, Harold(D)

Relating to the grievance procedure used by public schools to address complaints by students or parents.



Bill History: 04-18-23 H Committee action pending House Public Education

 HB 4691

Rosenthal, Jon(D)

Relating to public school accountability, including performance standards and sanctions and public high school graduation requirements.



Bill History: 03-22-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 HB 4695

Jetton, Jacey(R)

Relating to the provision of artificial intelligence mental health services.



Bill History: 03-22-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health

 HB 4696

Noble, Candy(R)

Relating to transferring certain investigations of abuse, neglect, and exploitation to the Health and Human Services Commission and the on-site investigation and survey of certain providers.



Bill History: 05-05-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A HB 4702

Campos, Liz(D)

Relating to peer support specialists for individuals with an intellectual or developmental disability and peer services for those individuals under Medicaid living outside of state supported living centers.



Companions: SB 2191 Zaffirini, Judith (Identical)
3-22-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 05-09-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A HB 4713

Plesa, Mihaela (F)(D)

Relating to group health benefit plan coverage for early treatment of first episode psychosis.



Companions: SB 1220 Zaffirini, Judith (Identical)
4-26-23 S Committee action pending Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 05-11-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A HB 4716

Manuel, Christian (F)(D)

Relating to the referral of certain students receiving special education services to a local intellectual and developmental disability authority for services or public benefits



Companions: SB 2513 Hinojosa, Chuy (Identical)
3-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

Bill History: 05-09-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education

A HB 4721

Hinojosa, Gina(D)

Relating to the creation of the School Violence Victims' Compensation Fund.



Bill History: 03-22-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Youth Health & Safety

A HB 4726

Howard, Donna(D)

Relating to prohibiting weapons in certain facilities providing services to individuals with mental illness or an intellectual disability and community centers providing community-based mental health.



Bill History: 03-22-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Community Safety

A HB 4762

Lalani, Suleman (F)(D)

Relating to liability of hospital personnel for certain uses of force while on duty.



Bill History: 05-11-23 H Set on the House Calendar

A [HB 4771](#) [Bhojani, Salman \(F\)\(D\)](#) Relating to the creation of tenant legal services offices by local governments to assist low-income residential tenants in eviction cases and in cases involving discrimination based on the tenants' disabilities.



Bill History: 05-12-23 H Passed (Vote: Y:107/N: 29)

A [HB 4791](#) [Sherman, Carl\(D\)](#) Relating to the rights of a foster parent.



Companions: [HB 1641](#) Sherman, Carl (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-22-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A [HB 4823](#) [Oliverson, Tom\(R\)](#) Relating to the provision and delivery of benefits to certain recipients under Medicaid.



Companions: [SB 2145](#) Parker, Tan (F) (Identical)
3-21-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 05-02-23 H Committee action pending House Human Services

A [HB 4884](#) [Flores, Lulu \(F\)\(D\)](#) Relating to prohibited discrimination by health care providers based on an individual's age, race, disability, immigration status, sex, sexual orientation, or gender identity or expression.



Bill History: 03-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health

A [HB 4912](#) [Martinez Fischer, Trey\(D\)](#) Relating to availability of and benefits provided under health benefit plan coverage.



Companions: [HB 1529](#) Martinez Fischer, Trey (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 1541](#) Johnson, Julie (Refiled from 87R Session)
[SB 459](#) Johnson, Nathan (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Insurance

A HB 4917

Holland, Justin(R)

Relating to the regulation of third-party data collection entities.



Companions:

[SB 2105](#) Johnson, Nathan (Identical)
5- 4-23 H Referred to House Committee on House Business and Industry

Bill History:

03-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Business and Industry

A HB 4951

Rose, Toni(D)

Relating to the Medicare Primacy Coordination Audit and Assistance Program to assist eligible individuals in obtaining certain Medicare benefits.



Bill History:

03-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A HB 4970

Darby, Drew(R)

Relating to guardianship matters.



Bill History:

03-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence

A HB 4975

Klick, Stephanie(R)

Relating to reporting procedures and training programs for law enforcement agencies regarding missing children and missing persons.



Companions:

[SB 2429](#) Hancock, Kelly (Identical)
5- 4-23 H Voted favorably from committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety

Bill History:

03-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety

A HB 4998

Lopez, Ray(D)

Relating to the creation of a mental health jail diversion pilot program in Bexar County.



Companions:

[HB 3621](#) Cortez, Philip (Refiled from 87R Session)
[SB 2072](#) Menendez, Jose (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History:

03-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Corrections

A HB 5008

Toth, Steve(R)

Relating to conduct of and complaints against current and former judges.



Bill History:

03-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence

A [HB 5044](#) [Garcia, Josey \(F\)\(D\)](#) Relating to communicating the foster children's bill of rights to a child and a process for reporting violations to the Department of Family and Protective Services.



Bill History: 03-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A [HB 5051](#) [Campos, Liz\(D\)](#) Relating to emancipation and extended foster care for certain older youth and young adults within the jurisdiction of court in a suit affecting the parent child relationship.



Bill History: 04-25-23 H Committee action pending House Human Services

A [HB 5078](#) [Oliverson, Tom\(R\)](#) Relating to the eligibility for and access to certain Medicaid waiver programs, including the medically dependent children (MDCP) and the Texas home living (TxHML) waiver programs.



Companions: [SB 2143](#) [Parker, Tan \(F\)](#) (Identical)
4-26-23 S Committee action pending Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A [HB 5085](#) [Johnson, Ann\(D\)](#) Relating to a child's eligibility for the Medicaid buy-in program for children or the medically dependent children (MDCP) waiver program.



Companions: [SB 1870](#) [Perry, Charles](#) (Identical)
3-20-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

A [HB 5088](#) [Moody, Joe\(D\)](#) Relating to procedures regarding certain persons who are or may be persons with a mental illness or intellectual disability.



Companions: [SB 2479](#) [Zaffirini, Judith](#) (Identical)
5-11-23 H Recommended for Local and Consent Calendar

Bill History: 05-02-23 H Voted favorably from committee as substituted House Criminal Jurisprudence

A [HB 5112](#) [Schatzline, Nate \(F\)\(R\)](#) Relating to the establishment of an education savings account program.



Bill History: 03-24-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

A HB 5127 Shaheen, Matt(R) Relating to public higher education reform.



Companions: SB 17 Creighton, Brandon (Identical)
5-12-23 H Voted favorably from committee as substituted House Higher Education

Bill History: 03-24-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education

A HB 5146 Raney, John(R) Relating to the establishment of the Building Better Futures Program to support educational and occupational skills training opportunities and support services for students.



Bill History: 05-04-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Subcommittee on Higher Education

A HB 5148 Raney, John(R) Relating to the establishment of the Texas Students with Disabilities Scholarship Program for certain students at public institutions of higher education.



Bill History: 05-04-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Subcommittee on Higher Education

A HB 5167 Wilson, Terry(R) Relating to the regulation of educational opportunity extended to military-connected students in Texas public schools.



Bill History: 05-10-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education

A HB 5205 Neave Criado, Victoria(D) Relating to coverage for certain services relating to postpartum depression under the Medicaid and CHIP perinatal programs.



Bill History: 03-24-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

A HB 5206 Goodwin, Vikki(D) Relating to falsely representing that an animal is a service animal.



Bill History: 05-02-23 H Voted favorably from committee as substituted House Criminal Jurisprudence

 HB 5210

Sherman, Carl(D)

Relating to the authority of a peace officer to apprehend a person for emergency detention and the authority of certain facilities and professionals to temporarily detain a person with mental illness.



Bill History: 03-24-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health

 HB 5216

Bucy, John(D)

Relating to the behavioral management of a student enrolled in a special education program of a school district.



Bill History: 03-24-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Youth Health & Safety

 HB 5228

Neave Criado, Victoria(D)

Relating to the issuance of a driver's license or personal identification certificate to certain individuals and the use of the identification fee exemption account to fund the fee waivers for those individuals.



Bill History: 03-24-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety

 HB 5230

Bucy, John(D)

Relating to health benefit plan coverage of prescription drugs for serious mental illnesses and opioid and substance use disorders.



Bill History: 04-14-23 H Removed from hearing 04/18/23 - House Insurance

 HB 5238

Morales Shaw, Penny(D)

Relating to procedures for identifying defendants suspected of having a mental illness or intellectual disability.



Companions: SB 725 Zaffirini, Judith (Identical)
3- 1-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

Bill History: 03-24-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Criminal Jurisprudence

 HB 5244

Toth, Steve(R)

Relating to certain hospitals and their treatment of mental health.



Bill History: 03-24-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health

 HB 5261


Frank, James(R)


Relating to public education, including parental rights and public school responsibilities regarding instructional materials and the establishment of an education savings account program.




Companions: [SB 8](#) Creighton, Brandon (Identical)
5-15-23 H Meeting set for 8:00 A.M., E2.036, House Public Education


Bill History: 03-24-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 [HB 5265](#) Raymond, Richard(D) Relating to Medicaid coverage and reimbursement for certain inpatient mental health services.





Bill History: 04-25-23 H Committee action pending House Human Services

 [HB 5267](#) Frank, James(R) Relating to the establishment of the Education Savings Account Program to allow certain children to use public money to pursue educational alternatives to public schools and an insurance premium tax credit.





Bill History: 03-24-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

 [HB 5274](#) Bucy, John(D) Relating to the expedited credentialing of providers under the Medicaid managed care program.




Bill History: 05-11-23 H Set on the House Calendar


 [SB 2](#) Hughes, Bryan(R) Relating to conduct constituting the criminal offense of illegal voting; increasing a criminal penalty.



Companions: [HB 4198](#) Toth, Steve (Identical)
3-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

Bill History: 04-10-23 H Referred to House Committee on House Elections

 [SB 8](#) Creighton, Brandon(R) Relating to public education, including parental rights and public school responsibilities regarding instructional materials and the establishment of an education savings account program.



Companions: [HB 5261](#) Frank, James (Identical)
3-24-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

Bill History: 05-15-23 H Meeting set for 8:00 A.M., E2.036 - House Public Education

A SB 9 Creighton, Brandon(R) Relating to the rights, certification, and compensation of public school educators and assistance provided to public schools by the Texas Education Agency related to public school educators.



Bill History: 05-09-23 H Committee action pending House Public Education

A SB 17 Creighton, Brandon(R) Relating to public higher education reform.



Companions: [HB 5127](#) Shaheen, Matt (Identical)
3-24-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education

Bill History: 05-12-23 H Voted favorably from committee as substituted House Higher Education

A SB 24 Kolkhorst, Lois(R)
Frank, James(R) Relating to the powers and duties of the Health and Human Services Commission and the transfer to the commission of certain powers and duties from the Department of Family and Protective Services.



Companions: [HB 4049](#) Frank, James (Identical)
3-20-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

Bill History: 05-09-23 H Reported from committee as substituted House Human Services

A SB 25 Kolkhorst, Lois(R) Relating to support for nursing-related postsecondary education, including scholarships to nursing students, loan repayment assistance to nurses and nursing faculty, and grants to nursing education programs.



Bill History: 05-08-23 H Committee action pending House Higher Education

A SB 26 Kolkhorst, Lois(R) Relating to local mental health authority and local behavioral health authority audits and mental and behavioral health reporting, services, and programs.




Bill History: 05-15-23 H Meeting set for 10:00 A.M., JHR 120 - House Public Health

A SB 30 Huffman, Joan(R)
Bonnen, Greg(R) Relating to supplemental appropriations and reductions in appropriations and giving direction and adjustment authority regarding appropriations.



Bill History: 04-24-23 H House appointed conference committee
Conferees: Bonnen-chair, Gonzalez of El Paso, Jetton, VanDeaver, and Walle


A SB 34 Zaffirini, Judith(D) Relating to the establishment of the Texas Promise Grant Program for certain students at public institutions of higher education.



Companions: SB 33 Zaffirini, Judith (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Subcommittee on Higher Education

A SB 35 Zaffirini, Judith(D) Relating to the establishment of the Texas Promise Grant Program for certain students at two-year public institutions of higher education.




Companions: HB 2407 Talarico, James (Identical)
3-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education

HB 4448 Reynolds, Ron (Identical)
3-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Subcommittee on Higher Education

A SB 39 Zaffirini, Judith(D) Relating to the expansion of eligibility for Medicaid to certain individuals under the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act.




Companions: HB 132 Bucy, John (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

SB 71 Johnson, Nathan (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

SJR 6 Zaffirini, Judith (Enabling)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services


Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 48 Zaffirini, Judith(D) Relating to standardized forms and materials for the issuance of protective orders, magistrate's orders for emergency protection, and temporary ex parte orders.



Bill History: 05-12-23 H Reported favorably from committee on House Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence

A SB 52 Zaffirini, Judith(D) Relating to the right of state hospital patients to designate an essential caregiver for in-person visitation.



Bill History: 05-15-23 H Meeting set for 10:00 A.M., JHR 120 - House Public Health

A SB 55 Zaffirini, Judith(D) Relating to a study and report by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board regarding best practices for assisting students with autism spectrum disorder.



Bill History: 05-15-23 H Meeting set for 10:00 A.M., E2.010 - House Higher Education

A SB 64 Zaffirini, Judith(D) Relating to certain notice and filing requirements in court proceedings involving persons with mental illness.



Companions: [HB 1042](#) Hinojosa, Gina (Identical)
5-11-23 H Set on the House Calendar

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 71 Johnson, Nathan(D) Relating to the expansion of eligibility for Medicaid to certain individuals under the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act.



Companions: [HB 132](#) Bucy, John (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform
[SB 39](#) Zaffirini, Judith (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services
[SJR 10](#) Johnson, Nathan (Enabling)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 72 Johnson, Nathan(D) Relating to the expansion of eligibility for Medicaid to certain individuals under the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act.



Companions: [HB 226](#) Bernal, Diego (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform
[SB 671](#) West, Royce (Identical)
2-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 73 Johnson, Nathan(D) Relating to the Medicaid eligibility of certain women following a pregnancy.



Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 74 Johnson, Nathan(D) Relating to the use of community health workers in Medicaid managed care.



Companions: [HB 113](#) Ortega, Lina (Identical)
4-18-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 92 Johnson, Nathan(D) Relating to electronic voter registration.



Companions: [HB 104](#) Reynolds, Ron (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 1808](#) Gonzalez, Jessica (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

A SB 93 Johnson, Nathan(D) Relating to the registration of voters at a polling place and related procedures.



Companions: [HB 712](#) Reynolds, Ron (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

A SB 113 Menendez, Jose(D) Relating to the provision of on-campus mental health services by a school district and reimbursement under Medicaid for certain services provided to eligible students.



Companions: [SB 96](#) Menendez, Jose (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 98](#) Moody, Joe (Identical)
4-27-23 S Received in the Senate - Referred to Senate Education

Bill History: 03-15-23 S Committee action pending Senate Education

A SB 116 Menendez, Jose(D) Relating to requiring a voter to present proof of identification.



Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

A SB 117

Menendez, Jose(D)

Relating to participation in the countywide polling place program.



Companions:

HB 123 Meza, Terry (Refiled from 87R Session)

SB 99 Menendez, Jose (Refiled from 87R Session)

HB 499 Meza, Terry (Identical)

2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

Bill History:

02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

A SB 120

Menendez, Jose(D)

Relating to early voting by mail by any qualified voter and to the repeal of certain criminal offenses concerning the solicitation and distribution of an application to vote by mail.



Companions:

HB 67 Ortega, Lina (Identical)

2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

HB 241 Bucy, John (Identical)

2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

HB 502 Meza, Terry (Identical)

2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

Bill History:

02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

A SB 124

Alvarado, Carol(D)

Relating to the Medicaid eligibility of certain women during and following a pregnancy.



Bill History:

02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 125

Alvarado, Carol(D)

Relating to the expansion of eligibility for Medicaid to certain individuals under the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act.



Companions:

HB 1062 Guerra, Bobby (Identical)

3- 2-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

HB 2903 Martinez Fischer, Trey (Identical)

3-14-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

Bill History:

02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 126

Alvarado, Carol(D)

Relating to electronic voter registration.



Companions: [SB 246](#) Alvarado, Carol (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

A [SB 133](#)

West, Royce(D)
Hull, Lacey(R)

Relating to prohibiting the physical restraint of or use of chemical irritants on certain public school students by peace officers and school security personnel under certain circumstances.



Companions:

[HB 459](#) Hull, Lacey (Identical)
5- 6-23 H Laid on the table - subject to call - see SB 133

Bill History: 05-12-23 S Set on the Senate Items Eligible Calendar

A [SB 134](#)

West, Royce(D)

Relating to the Medicaid eligibility of certain women after a pregnancy.



Companions: [HB 133](#) Rose, Toni (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 146](#) Thierry, Shawn (Refiled from 87R Session)
[SB 121](#) Johnson, Nathan (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A [SB 139](#)

West, Royce(D)

Relating to allowing therapy or facility dogs to accompany a child or a person with a disability during testimony in certain criminal cases.



Companions: [HB 1636](#) Sherman, Carl (Refiled from 87R Session)
[SB 492](#) West, Royce (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 720](#) Sherman, Carl (Identical)
2-28-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Criminal Jurisprudence

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

A [SB 144](#)

Gutierrez, Roland(D)

Relating to extreme risk protective orders.



Companions: [HB 2878](#) Goodwin, Vikki (Refiled from 87R Session)
[SB 1742](#) Whitmire, John (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 123](#) Goodwin, Vikki (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Community Safety

[HB 136](#) Reynolds, Ron (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Community Safety

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

[SB 166](#) Hughes, Bryan(R) Relating to the punishment for illegal voting.



Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

[SB 176](#) Middleton, Mayes (F)(R) Relating to the establishment of the Texas Parental Empowerment Program and an insurance premium tax credit for contributions made for purposes of that program.



Companions: [HB 4807](#) Harrison, Brian (Identical)
4-11-23 H Committee action pending House Public Education

Bill History: 03-22-23 S Committee action pending Senate Education

[SB 182](#) Miles, Borris(D)
Rose, Toni(D) Relating to the required report of criminal offenses committed against individuals receiving certain state agency services.



Bill History: 05-15-23 H Set on the House Calendar

[SB 186](#) Miles, Borris(D) Relating to the prohibited discharge of a patient to certain unlicensed or unpermitted group-centered facilities.



Bill History: 05-09-23 H Committee action pending House Human Services

[SB 187](#) Miles, Borris(D) Relating to failure to report assault, neglect, or omission of care in certain group homes.



Companions: [HB 1220](#) Reynolds, Ron (Identical)
3- 3-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

Bill History: 05-09-23 H Committee action pending House Human Services

A SB 188

Miles, Borris(D)
Reynolds, Ron(D)

Relating to criminal history record information checks for applicants for employment and employees of group homes.



Companions: [HB 1219](#) Reynolds, Ron (Identical)
5- 2-23 H Recommended for Local and Consent Calendar

Bill History: 05-11-23 G Sent to the Governor

A SB 189

Miles, Borris(D)

Relating to the creation of a criminal offense concerning the failure of certain persons to report abuse, neglect, or exploitation in boarding home facilities.



Bill History: 05-09-23 H Committee action pending House Human Services

A SB 195

Johnson, Nathan(D)

Relating to the development and implementation of the Live Well Texas program and the expansion of Medicaid eligibility to provide health benefit coverage to certain individuals.



Companions: [HB 652](#) Johnson, Julie (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 210

Eckhardt, Sarah(D)

Relating to qualifications and registration of certain voters convicted of a felony.



Companions: [HB 161](#) Thompson, Senfronia (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 595](#) Sherman, Carl (Refiled from 87R Session)
[SB 187](#) Eckhardt, Sarah (F) (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 355](#) Thompson, Senfronia (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections
[SB 517](#) Eckhardt, Sarah (Identical)
2-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

A SB 220

Bettencourt, Paul(R)

Relating to the enforcement of laws relating to elections.



Companions: [HB 549](#) Swanson, Valoree (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

Bill History: 05-11-23 H Referred to House Committee on House Elections

A SB 229 Miles, Borris(D) Relating to employment verification of certain health facility applicants.



Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 245 Perry, Charles(R) Relating to discipline management and access to telehealth mental health services in public schools.



Companions: **HB 4033** Buckley, Brad (Identical)
3-20-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Youth Health & Safety

Bill History: 04-12-23 S Committee action pending Senate Education

A SB 251 Alvarado, Carol(D) Relating to a pilot project to provide emergency telemedicine medical services and telehealth services in rural areas.



Companions: **HB 617** Darby, Drew (Identical)
5- 2-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 260 Kolkhorst, Lois(R) Relating to confirmation of a voter's residence by a voter registrar.



Companions: **HB 1134** Jetton, Jacey (Identical)
3- 2-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

Bill History: 04-20-23 H Referred to House Committee on House Elections

A SB 293 Johnson, Nathan(D) Relating to penalties for intimidation and harassment of election officials and election interference.



Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

A SB 295

Perry, Charles(R)

Relating to the payment by the state or a county of costs for certain mental health hearings or proceedings.



Companions: [HB 4085](#) Spiller, David (Identical)
5-12-23 S Voted favorably from committee on Senate State Affairs

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

A SB 297

Hall, Bob(R)

Relating to hospital patients' rights and hospital policies and procedures.



Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 332

Kolkhorst, Lois(R)

Relating to the terminology used in statute to refer to intellectual disability and certain references to abolished health and human services agencies.



Companions: [HB 446](#) Craddick, Tom (Identical)
5- 8-23 G Sent to the Governor

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 343

Johnson, Nathan(D)

Relating to the expansion of eligibility for Medicaid to all individuals for whom federal matching money is available.



Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 344

Johnson, Nathan(D)

Relating to the creation of the Texas Health Insurance Exchange and premium assistance and cost-sharing reduction programs.



Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 359

Eckhardt, Sarah(D)

Relating to the use of preferential voting in certain elections.



Companions: [HB 259](#) Goodwin, Vikki (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

A SB 362 Zaffirini, Judith(D) Relating to the terminology used in statute to refer to intellectual disability.



Companions: [HB 530](#) Wu, Gene (Identical)
4-10-23 H Reported favorably from committee on House Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 379 Huffman, Joan(R) Relating to the sales and use tax exemptions for wound care dressings and certain feminine hygiene products.



Companions: [HB 1265](#) Button, Angie Chen (Identical)
3- 3-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Ways and Means

Bill History: 05-15-23 S Placed on the Senate Calendar for

A SB 396 Hall, Bob(R) Relating to the availability of paper ballots for a person voting by personal appearance.



Companions: [HB 5203](#) Slaton, Bryan (Identical)
3-24-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

A SB 397 Hall, Bob(R) Relating to the procedure for closing a polling place.



Companions: [HB 2988](#) Harrison, Brian (Identical)
3-14-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

Bill History: 04-27-23 H Referred to House Committee on House Elections


A SB 398 Hall, Bob(R) Relating to the separation of federal elections from state and local elections, and to related practices and procedures.



Companions: [HB 294](#) Schofield, Mike (Identical)

2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

 SB 399 Hall, Bob(R)

Relating to cooperation with other states to maintain voter registration lists.



Companions: [HB 3868](#) Toth, Steve (Identical)
3-20-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

 SB 441 Menendez, Jose(D)

Relating to the diversion of certain foster youth from the juvenile justice system, including through emergency behavior intervention by certain persons providing foster care services.



Companions: [HB 2821](#) White, James (Refiled from 87R Session)
[SB 2085](#) Menendez, Jose (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

 SB 444 Menendez, Jose(D)

Relating to depression screenings for certain women in county jail or in the custody of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.



Companions: [HB 2044](#) Bowers, Rhetta (Identical)
5-11-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

 SB 445 Menendez, Jose(D)

Relating to the establishment of a grant program to provide additional resources for public school students with disabilities.



Companions: [SB 259](#) Menendez, Jose (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

 SB 448 Menendez, Jose(D)

Relating to a special education liaison program and the provision of certain special education services at public school districts.



Companions: [SB 88](#) Menendez, Jose (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

A [SB 450](#) Menendez, Jose(D) Relating to registration powers of volunteer deputy registrars.



Companions: [HB 1738](#) Romero, Ramon (Refiled from 87R Session)
[SB 254](#) Menendez, Jose (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 02-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

A [SB 451](#) Menendez, Jose(D) Relating to consumer protections for accident and health insurance that excludes coverage for preexisting conditions.



Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A [SB 452](#) Menendez, Jose(D) Relating to step therapy protocols required by health benefit plans for coverage of prescription drugs for serious mental illnesses.



Companions: [HB 1337](#) Hull, Lacey (Identical)
5-10-23 S Committee action pending Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A [SB 455](#) Menendez, Jose(D) Relating to the measures to encourage eligible students to claim certain tuition and fee exemptions at public institutions of higher education for students who are or have been in foster or other residential care.



Companions: [HB 1323](#) Talarico, James (Identical)
4-19-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Subcommittee on Higher Education

Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Subcommittee on Higher Education

A [SB 464](#) Parker, Tan (F)(R)
Lopez, Janie (F)(R) Relating to designating October 17 as Entrepreneurs with Disabilities Day.



Companions: [HB 2943](#) Lopez, Janie (F) (Identical)

4-28-23 H Laid on the table - subject to call - see SB 464

Bill History: 05-02-23 G Sent to the Governor

A SB 477 Zaffirini, Judith(D) Relating to accommodating voters with a disability.



Bill History: 05-11-23 H Reported from committee as substituted House Elections

A SB 504 Miles, Borris(D) Relating to a "Texas solution" to reforming and addressing issues related to the Medicaid program, including the creation of an alternative program.



Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 512 Hall, Bob(R) Relating to the use of paper ballots and certain electronic devices in conducting an election.



Companions: **HB 4547** Toth, Steve (Identical)
3-22-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

A SB 517 Eckhardt, Sarah(D) Relating to qualifications and registration of certain voters convicted of a felony.



Companions: **HB 161** Thompson, Senfronia (Refiled from 87R Session)
HB 595 Sherman, Carl (Refiled from 87R Session)
SB 187 Eckhardt, Sarah (F) (Refiled from 87R Session)
HB 355 Thompson, Senfronia (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections
SB 210 Eckhardt, Sarah (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs


Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs


A SB 523 West, Royce(D) Relating to certain criminal offenses concerning the unlawful transfer or purchase of certain weapons.



Companions: [HB 2277](#) Anchia, Rafael (Identical)
3- 9-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Community Safety


Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs


 [SB 524](#) West, Royce(D) Relating to the statewide intellectual and developmental disability coordinating council.



Companions: [HB 729](#) Rose, Toni (Identical)
4-12-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services


Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services


 [SB 525](#) West, Royce(D) Relating to personal assistive mobility device protections for patients receiving emergency medical services.



Companions: [HB 3529](#) Manuel, Christian (F) (Identical)
3-16-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health


Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services


 [SB 529](#) West, Royce(D) Relating to extreme risk protective orders.




Companions: [HB 3057](#) Johnson, Ann (Identical)
3-14-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Community Safety


Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

 [SB 572](#) Kolkhorst, Lois(R) Relating to the authority of a general-law municipality or county to regulate certain unlicensed facilities.



Bill History: 04-28-23 H Referred to House Committee on House State Affairs

 [SB 576](#) Menendez, Jose(D)
Thierry, Shawn(D) Relating to the definition of exploitation for purposes of investigating reports of exploitation by certain providers against certain elderly individuals and individuals with disabilities receiving services from those providers.



Bill History: 05-16-23 H Set on the House Calendar

A SB 583 Hughes, Bryan(R) Relating to a direct payment to a health care provider in lieu of a claim for benefits under a health care benefit plan.



Companions: [HB 1364](#) Munoz, Sergio (Identical)
3- 3-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform

Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 590 Hughes, Bryan(R) Relating to requiring a man determined by adjudication or acknowledgment to be a child's father to pay retroactive child support beginning on the date of the child's conception.



Bill History: 04-28-23 H Referred to House Committee on House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues

A SB 611 Johnson, Nathan(D) Relating to the regulation of certain senior living facilities.



Companions: [HB 1100](#) Johnson, Julie (Identical)
5- 8-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 634 Menendez, Jose(D) Relating to prior authorization for prescription drug benefits related to the treatment of chronic and autoimmune diseases.



Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 636 Eckhardt, Sarah(D) Relating to voter registration application forms in high schools.



Companions: [HB 724](#) Guerra, Bobby (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 1031](#) Howard, Donna (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 339](#) Howard, Donna (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections
[HB 1071](#) Guerra, Bobby (Identical)
3- 2-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

A SB 642

Zaffirini, Judith(D)

Relating to the issuance of a transcript by a postsecondary educational institution to a student who is in default on certain student loans.



Companions: [HB 1044](#) Hinojosa, Gina (Identical)
3- 2-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Higher Education

Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Subcommittee on Higher Education

A SB 652

Schwertner, Charles(R)

Relating to the office of the state long-term care ombudsman.



Companions: [HB 4220](#) Clardy, Travis (Identical)
5-12-23 H Passed (Vote: Y:114/N: 22)

Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 656

Zaffirini, Judith(D)
Guillen, Ryan(R)

Relating to an optional health condition or disability designation on a driver's license or personal identification certificate.



Bill History: 05-11-23 G Sent to the Governor

A SB 661

Lamantia, Morgan (F)(D)

Relating to the notification of a peace officer through an indication associated with a vehicle registration that the vehicle owner be transporting a person with a disability.



Companions: [HB 2283](#) Martinez, Armando (Identical)
5- 3-23 H Reported favorably from committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety

Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Transportation

A SB 663

Perry, Charles(R)

Relating to the development of a strategic plan for home and community-based services provided under Medicaid and the child health plan program.



Companions: [HB 1798](#) Howard, Donna (Identical)
5-12-23 H Passed on local calendar (Vote: Y:140/N: 0)

Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 670

West, Royce(D)

Relating to the revision of the essential knowledge and skills of the public school social studies curricula to include instruction relating to the history of persons with disabilities.



Companions: [HB 4245](#) Allen, Alma (Identical)
3-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

A SB 671

West, Royce(D)

Relating to the expansion of eligibility for Medicaid to certain individuals under the federal Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act.



Companions: [HB 226](#) Bernal, Diego (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Health Care Reform
[SB 72](#) Johnson, Nathan (Identical)
2-15-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 02-17-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 681

Johnson, Nathan(D)

Relating to the applicability of certain laws regarding the occupational licensing of individuals with criminal convictions to the licensing of certain long-term health care facility personnel.



Bill History: 05-09-23 H Committee action pending House Human Services

A SB 724

Lamantia, Morgan (F)(D)

Relating to the reimbursement and payment of claims by certain health benefit plan issuers for telemedicine medical services, teledentistry dental services, and telehealth services.



Companions: [HB 1726](#) Hernandez, Ana (Identical)
5-11-23 H Set on the House Calendar
[SB 1043](#) Blanco, Cesar (Identical)
3- 3-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-01-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 725

Zaffirini, Judith(D)


Relating to procedures for identifying defendants suspected of having a mental illness or intellectual disability.



Companions: [HB 5238](#) Morales Shaw, Penny (Identical)
3-24-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Criminal Jurisprudence

Bill History: 03-01-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

A [SB 728](#) Huffman, Joan(R)
Leach, Jeff(R) Relating to the reporting of mental health and intellectual disability information with respect to certain children for purposes of a federal firearm background check.




Companions: [HB 2780](#) Leach, Jeff (Identical)
3-21-23 H Committee action pending House Select on Community Safety

[SB 1184](#) Eckhardt, Sarah (Identical)
3- 9-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

Bill History: 05-16-23 H Set on the House Calendar


A [SB 745](#) Kolkhorst, Lois(R)
Noble, Candy(R) Relating to fraud prevention under certain health care programs.



Companions: [HB 3779](#) Noble, Candy (Identical)
3-20-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

Bill History: 05-15-23 H Set on the House Calendar


A [SB 746](#) Hughes, Bryan(R) Relating to the creation and operation of pediatric long-term care access assurance program in certain counties.



Companions: [HB 1185](#) Dean, Jay (Identical)
3-24-23 H Removed from hearing 03/28/23, House Human Services

Bill History: 03-01-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A [SB 774](#) Parker, Tan (F)(R) Relating to the provision of services by the Texas Department of Criminal Justice to offenders with intellectual or developmental disabilities.



Bill History: 03-01-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

A [SB 776](#) Zaffirini, Judith(D) Relating to the required period of retention of video surveillance recordings of special education settings.



Bill History: 03-01-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

SB 804

Schwertner, Charles(R)

Relating to eligibility requirements for student loan repayment assistance for certain mental health professionals.



Companions: [HB 2100](#) Price, Four (Identical)
5-12-23 S Recommended for Local/Uncontested Calendar

Bill History: 04-06-23 S Voted favorably from committee on Senate Subcommittee on Higher Education

SB 823

Bettencourt, Paul(R)

Relating to the suspension of a county elections administrator.



Companions: [HB 2020](#) Oliverson, Tom (Identical)
3-30-23 H Committee action pending House Elections

Bill History: 04-06-23 S Reported from committee as substituted Senate State Affairs

SB 840

West, Royce(D)
Anchia, Rafael(D)

Relating to increasing the criminal penalty for assault of certain hospital personnel.



Companions: [HB 2189](#) Johnson, Julie (Identical)
5- 6-23 H Reported from committee as substituted House Criminal Jurisprudence

Bill History: 05-11-23 S Senate concurred in House amendments (Vote: Y: 30/N: 0)

SB 850

Blanco, Cesar(D)
Price, Four(R)

Relating to the composition of the Texas Child Mental Health Care Consortium.



Bill History: 05-11-23 G Sent to the Governor

SB 852

Miles, Borris(D)

Relating to the content of certain biennial legislative reports on immunizations issued by the Department of State Health Services.



Companions: [HB 1063](#) Guerra, Bobby (Identical)
3- 2-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Health

Bill History: 03-01-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 891 Zaffirini, Judith(D) Relating to excused absences from public school for a student's mental or behavioral health.



Bill History: 03-08-23 S Committee action pending Senate Education

A SB 904 Springer, Drew(R) Relating to presumption for an offense to accessible parking.



Bill History: 05-11-23 H Voted favorably from committee on House Transportation

A SB 905 Perry, Charles(R) Relating to the provision of certain intensive outpatient services and partial hospitalization services under Medicaid.



Companions: **HB 2337** Oliverson, Tom (Identical)
5- 1-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-03-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 944 Kolkhorst, Lois(R) Relating to the commitment order for individuals with intellectual disabilities who are committed to state supported living centers.



Bill History: 05-15-23 H Set on the House Calendar

A SB 956 Lamantia, Morgan (F)(D) Relating to repealing the coordinated strategic plan for health and human services in this state, including related conforming amendments.



Bill History: 05-09-23 H Committee action pending House Human Services

A SB 988 Perry, Charles(R) Relating to the establishment of the TexMesonet Hydrometeorology Network and creation of the TexMesonet Advisory Committee.



Companions: **HB 2759** Thompson, Ed (Identical)
5-10-23 S Passed (Vote: Y: 29/N: 1)

Bill History: 03-03-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Water, Agriculture and Rural Affairs

A SB 990 Hall, Bob(R) Relating to elimination of the countywide polling place program.



Companions: [HB 5231](#) Tinderholt, Tony (Identical)
3-24-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

Bill History: 04-25-23 H Referred to House Committee on House Elections

A SB 1039 Bettencourt, Paul(R) Relating to processes to address election irregularities.



Companions: [HB 2536](#) Toth, Steve (Identical)
3-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

Bill History: 05-08-23 H Voted favorably from committee as substituted House Elections

A SB 1098 Paxton, Angela(R) Relating to the rights of a parent or guardian with a child in a child-care facility.



Bill History: 05-16-23 H Meeting set for 8:00 A.M., E2.030 - House Human Services

A SB 1113 Hughes, Bryan(R) Relating to prescription drug formularies applicable to the Medicaid managed care program.



Companions: [HB 1283](#) Oliverson, Tom (Identical)
5- 5-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 04-26-23 S Committee action pending Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 1127 Blanco, Cesar(D) Relating to the Medicaid application form and communication with Medicaid recipients.



Companions: [HB 2802](#) Rose, Toni (Identical)
5-11-23 S Recommended for Local/Uncontested Calendar

Bill History: 03-09-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 1128 Blanco, Cesar(D) Relating to the service of and certain benefits for members of the Texas military forces, including tuition assistance at postsecondary educational institutions.



Bill History: 03-09-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Veteran Affairs

A SB 1140 Schwertner, Charles(R) Relating to the adequacy and effectiveness of managed care plan networks.



Bill History: 05-04-23 H Voted favorably from committee on House Insurance

A SB 1146 West, Royce(D) Relating to the medical transportation and care for certain inmates in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.



Companions: [HB 3739](#) Klick, Stephanie (Identical)
5-12-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Criminal Justice

Bill History: 05-11-23 H Voted favorably from committee on House Corrections

A SB 1179 Perry, Charles(R)
Herrero, Abel(D) Relating to sexually violent predators and the prosecution of certain offenses involving prohibited items at correctional or civil commitment facilities.



Companions: [HB 4886](#) Herrero, Abel (Identical)
4-24-23 H Committee action pending House Corrections

Bill History: 05-16-23 H Set on the House Calendar

A SB 1182 Eckhardt, Sarah(D) Relating to motor vehicle registration and license plates.



Bill History: 05-11-23 H Voted favorably from committee on House Transportation

A SB 1184 Eckhardt, Sarah(D) Relating to the reporting of mental health and intellectual disability information with respect to certain children for purposes of a federal firearm background check.



Companions: [HB 2780](#) Leach, Jeff (Identical)
3-21-23 H Committee action pending House Select on Community Safety
[SB 728](#) Huffman, Joan (Identical)
5-16-23 H Set on the House Calendar

Bill History: 03-09-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

[A SB 1202](#) Miles, Borris(D) Relating to emergency generators or other power sources for nursing facilities and assisted living facilities.



Companions: [HB 795](#) Thompson, Ed (Identical)
4-18-23 H Vote failed in committee on House Human Services
[HB 2301](#) Thierry, Shawn (Identical)
3- 9-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

Bill History: 03-09-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

[A SB 1213](#) Zaffirini, Judith(D)
Goldman, Craig(R) Relating to establishing the Mold Assessment and Remediation Advisory Board at the Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation.



Bill History: 05-15-23 H Set on the House Calendar

[A SB 1225](#) Zaffirini, Judith(D) Relating to policies and procedures regarding certain public school students with disabilities.



Bill History: 03-09-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

[A SB 1242](#) Lamantia, Morgan (F)(D) Relating to training for employees and operators of certain child-care facilities.



Bill History: 05-16-23 H Meeting set for 8:00 A.M., E2.030 - House Human Services

[A SB 1264](#) Parker, Tan (F)(R) Relating to the issuance of disabled parking placards to certain day activity and health services facilities that transport persons with a disability.



Bill History: 03-09-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Transportation

A SB 1279

Huffman, Joan(R)

Relating to the release on personal bond of certain defendants with a mental illness or an intellectual disability.



Bill History: 03-09-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

A SB 1292

West, Royce(D)

Relating to information reported through the Public Education Information Management System and to parents regarding disciplinary measures used by a public school.



Companions: [HB 2126](#) Goodwin, Vikki (Identical)
5-11-23 H Set on the House Calendar

Bill History: 03-09-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

A SB 1294

Hall, Bob(R)

Relating to accommodating a voter unable to enter a polling place.



Companions: [HB 5143](#) Slaton, Bryan (Identical)
3-24-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Elections

Bill History: 03-09-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

A SB 1338

Hall, Bob(R)

Relating to the eligibility of certain persons to vote early by mail.



Bill History: 03-16-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

A SB 1353

Miles, Boris(D)

Relating to the applicability of the death penalty to a capital offense committed by a person with an intellectual disability.



Companions: [HB 869](#) Thompson, Senfronia (Refiled from 87R Session)
[SB 80](#) Miles, Boris (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-16-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

A SB 1365

Hinojosa, Chuy(D)

Relating to a grant program to fund the provision by children's hospitals of mental and behavioral health services to children in this state.



Companions: [HB 1898](#) Jetton, Jacey (Identical)

4-19-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-16-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 1457

Zaffirini, Judith(D)
Thompson, Senfronia(D)

Relating to guardianships and the delivery of certain notices or other communications in connection with guardianship proceedings.



Companions:

HB 3184 Thompson, Senfronia (Identical)
5-10-23 H Laid on the table - subject to call - see SB 1457

Bill History: 05-11-23 H Passed (Vote: Y:136/N: 3)

A SB 1474

Bettencourt, Paul(R)

Relating to special education in public schools, including the special education allotment under the Foundation School Program.



Bill History: 05-06-23 H Referred to House Committee on House Public Education

A SB 1599

Hughes, Bryan(R)

Relating to ballots voted by mail.



Bill History: 05-12-23 H Reported from committee as substituted House Elections

A SB 1600

Hughes, Bryan(R)

Relating to a person submitting proof of citizenship to verify eligibility to vote in Texas.



Bill History: 04-24-23 H Referred to House Committee on House Elections

A SB 1606

Zaffirini, Judith(D)

Relating to evidence and orders regarding intellectual disability or mental condition in certain guardianship proceedings.



Bill History: 05-10-23 H Voted favorably from committee on House Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence

A SB 1610

Zaffirini, Judith(D)

Relating to prohibiting the use of certain restraints on students enrolled in public schools who receive special education services.



Companions: [HB 133](#) Gonzalez, Mary (Identical)
2-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Select on Youth Health & Safety

Bill History: 03-16-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

[A SB 1624](#) Zaffirini, Judith(D) Relating to guardianships, alternatives to guardianship, and supports and services for incapacitated persons.

Bill History: 05-17-23 H Meeting set for 8:00 A.M., E2.016 - House Judiciary and Civil Jurisprudence

[A SB 1638](#) Zaffirini, Judith(D) Relating to the authority of a supporter regarding legal proceedings granted under a supported decision-making agreement.

Bill History: 03-16-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Jurisprudence

[A SB 1666](#) Parker, Tan (F)(R) Relating to an insurer's obligation under a preferred provider benefit plan for continuity of care for certain Medicaid recipients.

Companions: [HB 3985](#) Raney, John (Identical)
4-11-23 H Committee action pending House Human Services

Bill History: 04-19-23 S Committee action pending Senate Health and Human Services

[A SB 1685](#) Blanco, Cesar(D) Relating to eligibility for supplemental nutrition assistance program benefits.

Companions: [HB 2836](#) Walle, Armando (Identical)
3-14-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

Bill History: 03-16-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

[A SB 1724](#) Springer, Drew(R) Relating to advance directives and health care treatment decisions made by or on behalf of patients, including a review of those directives and decisions.

Companions: [HB 3162](#) Klick, Stephanie (Identical)
5-11-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-16-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 1727 Schwertner, Charles(R) Relating to the continuation and functions of the Texas Juvenile Justice Department and the functions of
Canales, Terry(D) the office of independent ombudsman for the Texas Juvenile Justice Department.



Companions: HB 1520 Canales, Terry (Identical)
4-19-23 H Committee action pending House Juvenile Justice and Family Issues

Bill History: 05-16-23 H Set on the House Calendar

A SB 1779 Parker, Tan (F)(R) Relating to the adoption of the Uniform Electronic Estate Planning Documents Act.



Bill History: 03-20-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Jurisprudence

A SB 1849 Kolkhorst, Lois(R) Relating to the establishment of an interagency child protection database.
Noble, Candy(R)



Companions: HB 4236 Noble, Candy (Identical)
3-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

Bill History: 05-16-23 H Set on the House Calendar

A SB 1853 Kolkhorst, Lois(R) Relating to children placed in the conservatorship of the Department of Family and Protective Services,
including the provision of community-based foster care.



Bill History: 05-16-23 H Meeting set for 8:00 A.M., E2.030 - House Human Services

A SB 1861 Bettencourt, Paul(R) Relating to the provision of virtual education in public schools and to certain waivers and modifications
by the commissioner of education to the method of calculating average daily attendance.



Companions: HB 3141 King, Ken (Identical)
4-21-23 H Voted favorably from committee on House Public Education

Bill History: 04-20-23 H Referred to House Committee on House Public Education

A SB 1870

Perry, Charles(R)

Relating to a child's eligibility for the Medicaid buy-in program for children or the medically dependent children (MDCP) waiver program.



Companions:

HB 5085 Johnson, Ann (Identical)
3-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

Bill History:

03-20-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 1871

Hughes, Bryan(R)

Relating to the creation of the Texas Empowerment Account pilot program for assisting certain recipients of public benefits in achieving self-sufficiency.



Bill History:

04-26-23 S Committee action pending Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 1880

Hughes, Bryan(R)

Relating to the grievance procedure in public schools.



Bill History:

03-20-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

A SB 1930

Kolkhorst, Lois(R)

Relating to policies and procedures regarding children placed by the Department of Family and Protective Services in a residential treatment center or qualified residential treatment program.



Bill History:

05-08-23 S Recommended for Local/Uncontested Calendar

A SB 1952

Hughes, Bryan(R)

Relating to advance directives and health care treatment decisions made by or on behalf of patients, including a review of those directives and decisions.



Bill History:

03-21-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 2020

Paxton, Angela(R)

Relating to the creation of the criminal offense of mass terroristic threat and to the establishment of the task force on mass violence prevention.



Bill History:

03-21-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

A SB 2068

Bettencourt, Paul(R)

Relating to the information maintained by the Texas Education Agency regarding postsecondary education and career opportunities.



Companions: [HB 2920](#) Paul, Dennis (Identical)
5- 1-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education

Bill History: 04-27-23 S Committee action pending Senate Education

 [SB 2077](#)

[Menendez, Jose\(D\)](#)

Relating to the establishment of the Building Better Futures Program to support educational and occupational skills training opportunities and support services.



Companions: [SB 661](#) Powell, Beverly (Refiled from 87R Session)

Bill History: 03-21-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Subcommittee on Higher Education

 [SB 2079](#)

[Menendez, Jose\(D\)](#)

Relating to peace officer reporting of suspected abuse, neglect, or exploitation of an elderly person or a person with a disability to the adult protective services division of DFPS.



Bill History: 03-21-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

 [SB 2083](#)

[Menendez, Jose\(D\)](#)

Relating to a public school student's transition from an alternative education program to a regular classroom and the admission of certain students with a criminal or disciplinary history.



Companions: [HB 4106](#) Allen, Alma (Refiled from 87R Session)
[HB 1626](#) Allen, Alma (Identical)
5- 9-23 S Removed from hearing 05/10/23, Senate Education

Bill History: 03-21-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

 [SB 2096](#)

[West, Royce\(D\)](#)

Relating to the use of force by peace officers and other officer interactions and duties.



Bill History: 03-21-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate State Affairs

 [SB 2103](#)

[Miles, Borris\(D\)](#)

Relating to transferring certain investigations of abuse, neglect, and exploitation to the Health and Human Services Commission.



Bill History: 03-21-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

 SB 2114

Paxton, Angela(R)

Relating to the establishment of the office of independent ombudsman for the Texas Education Agency.



Bill History: 03-21-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

 SB 2115

Flores, Pete(R)

Relating to improvements to the Texas Information and Referral Network.



Companions: [HB 2473](#) Bucy, John (Identical)
5- 1-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-21-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

 SB 2140

Parker, Tan (F)(R)

Relating to a student's eligibility for special education services provided by a school district, including services for dyslexia and related disorders.



Companions: [HB 3928](#) Toth, Steve (Identical)
5-11-23 S Voted favorably from committee as substituted Senate Education

Bill History: 04-27-23 S Committee action pending Senate Education

 SB 2143

Parker, Tan (F)(R)

Relating to the eligibility for and access to certain Medicaid waiver programs, including the medically dependent children (MDCP) and the Texas home living (TxHmL) waiver programs.



Companions: [HB 5078](#) Oliverson, Tom (Identical)
3-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

Bill History: 04-26-23 S Committee action pending Senate Health and Human Services

 SB 2145

Parker, Tan (F)(R)

Relating to the provision and delivery of benefits to certain recipients under Medicaid.



Companions: [HB 4823](#) Oliverson, Tom (Identical)
5- 2-23 H Committee action pending House Human Services

Bill History: 03-21-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 2163

King, Phil (F)(R)

Relating to an exemption from ad valorem taxation of a portion of the appraised value of a property that is the primary residence of an adult who has an intellectual or developmental disability.



Companions: [HB 3640](#) Noble, Candy (Identical)
 4-26-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Local Government

[SJR 83](#) King, Phil (F) (Enabling)
 3-22-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Local Government

Bill History: 03-22-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Local Government

A SB 2169

Alvarado, Carol(D)

Relating to the prosecution of the offense of sexual assault.



Companions: [HB 2695](#) Jones, Venton (F) (Identical)
 3-13-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

[HB 2696](#) Howard, Donna (Identical)
 5- 1-23 S Received in the Senate

Bill History: 03-22-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

A SB 2176

Lamantia, Morgan (F)(D)

Relating to health benefit plan coverage for treatment of autism.



Companions: [HB 4506](#) Cortez, Philip (Identical)
 5-12-23 H Passed (Vote: Y: 91/N: 51)

Bill History: 03-22-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 2191

Zaffirini, Judith(D)

Relating to peer support specialists for individuals with an intellectual or developmental disability and peer services for those individuals under Medicaid living outside of state supported living centers.



Companions: [HB 4702](#) Campos, Liz (Identical)
 5- 9-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 03-22-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 2225

Menendez, Jose(D)

Relating to the establishment of the Texas Students with Disabilities Scholarship Program for certain students at public institutions of higher education.



Bill History: 03-22-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Subcommittee on Higher Education

A SB 2254 Blanco, Cesar(D) Relating to a report regarding certain residential and nonresidential services provided to individuals with an intellectual or developmental disability.



Bill History: 03-22-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 2261 Blanco, Cesar(D)
Noble, Candy(R) Relating to the training program required for certain employees of the Department of Family and Protective Services.



Companions: HB 4351 Noble, Candy (Identical)
4-24-23 H Reported from committee as substituted House Human Services
SB 2443 Blanco, Cesar (Identical)
3-10-23 S Filed

Bill History: 05-12-23 H Passed on local calendar (Vote: Y:140/N: 0)

A SB 2272 Hughes, Bryan(R) Relating to the operation of the Texas Property and Casualty Insurance Guaranty Association.



Bill History: 03-22-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Business and Commerce

A SB 2287 West, Royce(D) Relating to the authority of a peace officer to apprehend a person for emergency detention and the authority of certain facilities and professionals to temporarily detain a person with mental illness.



Bill History: 05-09-23 S Voted favorably from committee on Senate Criminal Justice

A SB 2289 Huffman, Joan(R) Relating to the exemption from ad valorem taxation of certain tangible personal property held by a manufacturer of medical or biomedical products as a finished good or used in manufacturing or processing.



Companions: HB 4901 Bonnen, Greg (Identical)
4-17-23 H Committee action pending House Ways and Means

Bill History: 05-12-23 H Reported favorably from committee on House Ways and Means

A SB 2298 Gutierrez, Roland(D) Relating to crime victims' compensation.



Companions: [HB 2877](#) King, Tracy (Identical)
5-16-23 S Meeting set for 8:30 A.M., E1.016, Senate Criminal Justice

Bill History: 03-22-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

A [SB 2304](#)

Lamantia, Morgan (F)(D)

Relating to providing information regarding the Texas Driving with Disability Program to certain public school students and in the curriculum of driver education courses and driving safety courses.



Bill History: 05-06-23 H Referred to House Committee on Licensing and Administrative Procedures

A [SB 2315](#)

Hughes, Bryan(R)

Relating to the creation of a task force to develop a plan for the consolidation of the functions of workforce development programs administered by the Texas Workforce Commission and social services.



Bill History: 05-10-23 H Voted favorably from committee on House International Relations/Economic Dev

A [SB 2326](#)

Zaffirini, Judith(D)

Relating to access to an adult changing station in public buildings.



Bill History: 03-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Business and Commerce

A [SB 2354](#)

Bettencourt, Paul(R)

Relating to the establishment of the Education Savings Account Program to allow certain disadvantaged children and their siblings to use public money to pursue educational alternatives to public schools.



Companions: [HB 4339](#) Frank, James (Identical)
3-21-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

Bill History: 03-22-23 S Committee action pending Senate Education

A [SB 2359](#)

Parker, Tan (F)(R)

Relating to the establishment of the intellectual disabilities and complex medical needs community support pilot program.



Bill History: 03-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A [SB 2360](#)


Parker, Tan (F)(R)

Relating to the establishment of a pilot program to provide comprehensive whole child care for children with complex medical needs.




Companions: [HB 4541](#) Oliverson, Tom (Identical)
3-22-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Human Services

Bill History: 03-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

 [SB 2381](#) Paxton, Angela(R) Relating to the development of a webpage and mobile application for the provision of pregnancy-related resources and information.




Bill History: 04-28-23 H Referred to House Committee on House Public Health

 [SB 2384](#) Miles, Borris(D) Relating to criminal defendants bail findings and post hearing evaluation.




Bill History: 03-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

 [SB 2395](#) West, Royce(D) Relating to the establishment of a task force to study disciplinary practices and policies in public schools.



Companions: [HB 4449](#) Reynolds, Ron (Identical)
5-11-23 H Failed to pass to third reading (Vote: N: 74/Y: 60)


Bill History: 03-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

 [SB 2404](#) Schwertner, Charles(R) Relating to the creation of the Texas Energy Efficiency Council to foster collaboration, coordination, and communication to enhance the state's energy efficiency performance.



Companions: [HB 4811](#) Anchia, Rafael (Identical)
5- 9-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Business and Commerce

Bill History: 03-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Business and Commerce

 [SB 2429](#) Hancock, Kelly(R) Relating to reporting procedures and training programs for law enforcement agencies regarding missing children and missing persons.



Companions: [HB 4975](#) Klick, Stephanie (Identical)
3-23-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety

Bill History: 05-04-23 H Voted favorably from committee on House Homeland Security and Public Safety

A SB 2443 Blanco, Cesar(D) Relating to the training program required for certain employees of the Department of Family and Protective Services.



Companions: HB 4351 Noble, Candy (Identical)
4-24-23 H Reported from committee as substituted House Human Services
SB 2261 Blanco, Cesar (Identical)
5-12-23 H Passed on local calendar (Vote: Y:140/N: 0)

Bill History: 03-10-23 S Filed

A SB 2450 Menendez, Jose(D) Relating to training requirements for and prohibited discrimination by child-care facilities and registered family homes.



Bill History: 03-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 2468 Eckhardt, Sarah(D) Relating to a study regarding available beds at inpatient mental health facilities providing acute psychiatric treatment.



Bill History: 05-04-23 H Referred to House Committee on House Public Health

A SB 2473 Hinojosa, Chuy(D) Relating to increasing the criminal penalty for assault of certain hospital personnel.



Companions: HB 2189 Johnson, Julie (Identical)
5- 6-23 H Reported from committee as substituted House Criminal Jurisprudence
HB 3548 Anchia, Rafael (Identical)
5- 6-23 H Laid on the table - subject to call - see SB 840

Bill History: 03-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Criminal Justice

A SB 2479 Zaffirini, Judith(D) Relating to procedures regarding certain persons who are or may be persons with a mental illness or intellectual disability.
Moody, Joe(D)



Companions: HB 5088 Moody, Joe (Identical)

5- 2-23 H Voted favorably from committee as substituted House Criminal Jurisprudence

Bill History: 05-11-23 H Recommended for Local and Consent Calendar

A SB 2483

Paxton, Angela(R)

Relating to the establishment of an Education Savings Account program.



Bill History: 03-22-23 S Committee action pending Senate Education

A SB 2487

Parker, Tan (F)(R)

Relating to a student's eligibility for special education services provided by a school district, including services for dyslexia and related disorders.



Companions: [HB 950](#) Dutton, Harold (Identical)
3- 2-23 H Introduced and referred to committee on House Public Education

Bill History: 03-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

A SB 2489

Sparks, Kevin (F)(R)

Relating to providing prevocational services under certain Medicaid waiver programs.



Companions: [HB 4169](#) Price, Four (Identical)
5-11-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Human Services

Bill History: 05-09-23 S First placement on Senate Intent Calendar for

A SB 2512

West, Royce(D)

Relating to eligibility requirements under the owner-builder loan program.



Companions: [HB 1472](#) Walle, Armando (Identical)
5-12-23 S Voted favorably from committee on Senate Local Government

Bill History: 05-11-23 S Placed on the Senate Calendar for

A SB 2513

Hinojosa, Chuy(D)

Relating to the referral of certain students receiving special education services to a local intellectual and developmental disability authority for services or public benefits.



Companions: [HB 4716](#) Manuel, Christian (F) (Identical)
5- 9-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education

Bill History: 03-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Education

A SB 2525 Kolkhorst, Lois(R) Relating to creating the Family and Protective Services Board.



Bill History: 03-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Health and Human Services

A SB 2549 Middleton, Mayes (F)(R) Relating to guardianships of the person of wards with profound intellectual disabilities who are minors or were minors when their guardianship proceedings commenced.



Companions: **HB 653** Allison, Steve (Identical)
5- 2-23 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Jurisprudence

Bill History: 03-23-23 S Introduced and referred to committee on Senate Jurisprudence

A SB 2565 Creighton, Brandon(R) Relating to instructional material and technology, the adoption and revision of essential knowledge and skills of the public school foundation curriculum, and creating allotments.



Companions: **HB 1605** Buckley, Brad (Identical)
5-12-23 S Passed (Vote: Y: 22/N: 8)

Bill History: 04-27-23 H Referred to House Committee on House Public Education

A SJR 57 Parker, Tan (F)(R) Proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for legislative review and approval of state agency rules.



Bill History: 04-04-23 S Committee action pending Senate Business and Commerce

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