
SENATE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Thursday, March 6, 2025
TIME: Rise of the Senate
PLACE: Senate Lounge - State House

SCHEDULED FOR HEARING AND/OR CONSIDERATION

Senate Bill No. [266](#)

BY DiMario, Valverde, Sosnowski, Appollonio, Thompson, Lawson, Urso, Ujifusa, Lauria, Murray

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- LICENSE PROCEDURE FOR SOCIAL WORKERS {LC600/1} (Repeals the examination requirement in order to qualify for a clinical social workers license.)

02/13/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services

02/28/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [118](#)

BY Valverde, Euer, Lauria, Thompson, Quezada, Ujifusa, DiMario, Urso, Appollonio, Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- NURSING HOME WORKFORCE STANDARDS BOARD ACT {LC517/1} (Creates the nursing home workforce standards board act to establish and enforce industry-wide quality of care standards in nursing homes.)

01/31/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services

02/28/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [265](#)

BY de la Cruz, Rogers

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- RIGHTS OF NURSING HOME PATIENTS {LC334/1} (Amends the law on nursing home minimum staffing requirements in order that any penalty incurred during calendar years 2022, 2023, and 2024 would be abated.)

02/13/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services

02/28/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [466](#)

BY Thompson, Pearson, Murray, Quezada, Bissaillon, LaMountain, Valverde

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- MEDICAL ASSISTANCE {LC975/1} (Allows executive office of EOHHS to review current methodology for Medical payments to nursing facilities.)

02/26/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services

02/28/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [484](#)

BY Mack, Murray, Lauria, Acosta, Valverde, Quezada, Thompson, Kallman ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- ASSISTED LIVING RESIDENCE LICENSING ACT {LC2042/1} (Establishes, encourages and supports the establishment of family councils and resident councils in managed residential communities providing assisted living services.)

02/26/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services

02/28/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

TESTIMONY SUBMITTAL:

*Written Testimony must be submitted prior to 3:00 PM on Thursday, March 6, 2025, in order for it to be provided to the members of the committee at the hearing and to be included in the meeting records.

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