

# LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

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Welcome to the sixth issue of the 2012 Legislative Update with the 96th General Assembly. The *Legislative Update* will present a new bill by providing a summary description. When significant changes occur on the bill it will be summarized again. Any changes in bill status will be highlighted in red and an asterisk will be placed before the bill number.

- The *Legislative Update* issue number and current bill summary will be inserted each week along with the bill number, title, sponsor, and current status (includes the committee assigned, chair and vice chair of the committee). Online copies of the legislative updates will have a red hyperlink to take you to the description of the bill and sponsors. Appropriation bill links will have a purple hyperlink.
- The *Legislative Update* will also include an index to assist you in locating the bill's category.
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- A glossary of terms can be found at <http://house.mo.gov/>
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Bills are organized in the following categories:

- Assistive Technology
- Crime
- Education
- Employment
- Funding/Tax Relief
- Health Care and Personal Assistance
- Legal Rights and Responsibilities
- Mental Health
- Olmstead
- Safety/Prevention
- Services for people with Disabilities
- Other
- Appropriations

Note: When "incapacitated," "handicapped," appear in a bill description, it reflects the terminology of the legislation, not the Governor's Council on Disability.

## Abbreviations

HB.....	House of Representatives Bill
HA.....	House Amendment
HS.....	House Substitute
HR.....	House Resolution
HJR.....	House Joint Resolution
HCS.....	House Committee Substitute
SB.....	Senate Bill
SCA.....	Senate Committee Substitute
SA.....	Senate Amendment
SS.....	Senate Substitute
SR.....	Senate Resolution
SJR.....	Senate Joint Resolution
CCR.....	Conference Committee Substitute
CCS.....	Conference Committee Substitute
BC.....	Budget Control Committee

**ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY**

**\*HB 1436 - Newman** **Issue 4**  
 Adds an individual with mental disabilities to the list of people who must be afforded the same rights as those without disabilities in public places and the right to be accompanied by a service dog  
**Status:**  
 2/13/12 **Hearing Scheduled** (H)  
 2/9/12 Referred to Special Standing Committee on Disability Services (H) Chair: Grisamore, Vice Chair: Houghton  
 1/23/12 Second Read (H)  
 1/19/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**CRIME**

**\*HB 1317 - Riddle** **Issue 3**  
 Expands the crime of child abuse to include shaken baby syndrome  
**Status:**  
 2/7/12 **Hearing Completed** (H)  
 2/7/12 **Hearing Scheduled** (H)  
 1/25/12 Referred to General Laws committee (H) Chair: Franz, Vice Chair: Richardson  
 1/18/12 Second Read (H)  
 1/17/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**HB 1410 - Walton Gray** **Issue 4**  
 Allows certain inmates who become physically or mentally disabled, infirm, incompetent, or incapacitated to be released on parole if they are eligible for specified federal medical or financial benefits  
**Status:**  
 1/23/12 **Second Read** (H)  
 1/19/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**HB 1413 - Stream** **Issue 4**  
 Changes the elements of the crime of causing substantial injury or death to a service animal  
**Status:**  
 1/23/12 **Second Read** (H)  
 1/19/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**\*HB 1432 - Hoskins** **Issue 4**  
 Adds professional therapy dog to the definition of "service dog" as it relates to crimes against these

animals or crimes of impersonating a disabled person  
**Status:**  
 2/8/12 **Referred to Crime Prevention and Public Safety committee** (H) Chair: Schad, Vice Chair: Marshall  
 1/23/12 Second Read (H)  
 1/19/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**HB 1515 - Schad** **Issue 4**  
 Changes the elements of the crime of elder abuse in the second degree and the crime of financial exploitation of an elderly or disabled person  
**Status:**  
 1/26/12 **Second Read** (H)  
 1/25/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**\*HB 1689 - Sommer**  
 Changes the elements of the crime of abuse of a child to include Shaken Baby Syndrome

This act adds the definition of Shaken Baby Syndrome to the crime of abuse of a child.  
**Status:**  
 2/9/12 **Second Read** (H)  
 2/8/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**SB 537 - Chappelle-Nadal** **Issue 1**  
 Increases the penalty for the crime of harassment  
**Status:**  
 1/5/12 **Second Read and Referred to Judiciary and Civil and Criminal Jurisprudence committee** (S)  
 Chair: Goodman, Vice Chair: Schmitt  
 1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (S)  
 12/9/11 Pre-filed (S)

**\*SB 689 - Engler** **Issue 4**  
 Modifies provisions relating to crimes committed against the elderly and disabled  
**Status:**  
 2/6/12 **Hearing Completed** (S)  
 2/6/12 **Hearing Scheduled** (S)  
 2/2/12 Second Read and Referred to Judiciary and Civil and Criminal Jurisprudence committee (S)  
 Chair: Goodman, Vice Chair: Schmitt  
 1/24/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

**EDUCATION****HB 1229 - Curtman** Issue 2

Gives students at certain institutions of higher education the right to record public lectures that are presented in a classroom environment for personal use

**Status:**

1/19/12 Referred to Higher Education committee

(H) Chair: Thomson, Vice Chair: Wallingford

1/11/12 Second Read (H)

1/10/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**SB 595 - Kraus** Issue 1

Modifies eligibility requirements for members serving on a special education due process panel

**Status:**

1/12/12 Second Read and Referred to Education committee (S) Chair: Pearce, Vice Chair: Nieves

1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

1/3/12 Pre-filed (S)

**EMPLOYMENT****\*HB 1219 - Elmer** Issue 2

Modifies the law relating to the Missouri Human Rights Act and employment discrimination

**Status:**

2/9/12 Third Read and Passed (H)

2/7/12 Perfected (H)

2/7/12 HSA 1 for HA 1 Adopted (H)

2/7/12 Taken Up for Perfection (H)

2/1/12 Laid Over (H)

2/1/12 Taken Up for Perfection (H)

1/30/12 Reported Do Pass by committee (H)

1/30/12 Voted Do Pass by committee (H)

1/30/12 Executive Session Completed (H)

1/30/12 Executive Session Scheduled (H)

1/24/12 Referred to Rules – Pursuant to Rule 25(32)(f) committee (H) Chair: Diehl, Vice Chair: Funderburk

1/24/12 Reported Do Pass by committee (H)

1/23/12 Voted Do Pass by committee (H)

1/23/12 Executive Session Completed (H)

1/23/12 Hearing Completed (H)

1/23/12 Hearing Continued (H)

1/17/12 Hearing Began (H)

1/17/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)

1/11/12 Second Read and Referred to Workforce Development and Workplace Safety committee (H)

Chair: Fisher, Vice Chair: Brown

1/10/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**HB 1265 - Kander** Issue 2

Establishes the Veteran Workforce Act which requires the Office of Administration to develop rules and regulations ensuring a uniform hiring preference for veterans, disabled veterans, and their spouses

**Status:**

1/12/12 Second Read (H)

1/11/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**\*HB 1403 - Schatz** Issue 4

Modifies the law relating to workers' compensation

**Status:**

2/13/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)

2/1/12 Referred to Workforce Development and Workplace Safety committee (H) Chair: Fisher, Vice Chair: Brown

1/23/12 Second Read (H)

1/19/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**\*SCS SB 572 - Dempsey** Issue 1

Modifies the law relating to workers' compensation

**Status:**

2/13/12 Informal Calendar S Bills for Perfection (S)

2/8/12 Informal Calendar S Bills for Perfection (S)

2/6/12 Formal Calendar S Bills for Perfection (S)

2/2/12 Reported from Committee to Floor (S)

1/17/12 SCS Voted Do Pass by committee (S)

1/11/12 Executive Session Scheduled (S)

1/10/12 Hearing Completed (S)

1/10/12 Hearing Scheduled (S)

1/5/12 Second Read and Referred to Small Business, Insurance and Industry committee (S)

Chair: Rupp, Vice Chair: Parson

1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

12/19/11 Pre-filed (S)

**\*SS SCS SB 592 - Lager** Issue 1

Modifies the law relating to the Missouri Human Rights Act and employment discrimination

**Status:**

2/9/12 First Read (H)

2/8/12 Third Read and Passed (S)  
 2/8/12 Reported from Committee to Floor (S)  
 2/8/12 Voted Do Pass by committee (S)  
 2/8/12 Hearing Conducted (S)  
 2/6/12 Formal Calendar S Bills for Third Reading (S)  
 2/2/12 Referred to Ways and Means and Fiscal Oversight committee (S) Chair: Purgason, Vice Chair: Kraus  
 2/2/12 Reported Truly Perfected by Rules committee (S)  
 2/1/12 Perfected (S)  
 2/1/12 SS as Amended Adopted (S)  
 2/1/12 SA 1 to SS Offered and Adopted  
 2/1/12 SS Offered (S)  
 2/1/12 SA 3 Withdrawn (S)  
 2/1/12 Informal Calendar S Bills for Perfection (S)  
 2/1/12 Taken Up for Perfection (S)  
 1/25/12 Informal Calendar S Bills for Perfection (S)  
 1/25/12 SA 3 Offered (S)  
 1/25/12 SA 2 Adopted (S)  
 1/25/12 SSA 1 for SA 2 Offered and Defeated (S)  
 1/25/12 SA 2 Offered (S)  
 1/25/12 SA 1 Defeated (S)  
 1/25/12 Taken Up for Perfection (S)  
 1/25/12 Informal Calendar S Bills for Perfection (S)  
 1/23/12 SA 1 Pending (S)  
 1/23/12 Informal Calendar S Bills for Perfection (S)  
 1/23/12 SA 1 Offered (S)  
 1/23/12 Formal Calendar S Bills for Perfection (S)  
 1/17/12 Formal Calendar S Bills for Perfection (S)  
 1/12/12 Reported from Committee to Floor (S)  
 1/12/12 SCS Voted Do Pass by committee (S)  
 1/11/12 Executive Session Scheduled (S)  
 1/10/12 Hearing Completed (S)  
 1/10/12 Hearing Scheduled (S)  
 1/9/12 Second Read and Referred to Commerce, Consumer Protection, Energy and the Environment committee (S) Chair: Lager, Vice Chair: Lamping  
 1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (S)  
 1/3/12 Pre-filed (S)

**FUNDING/TAX RELIEF**

**\*HB 1172 - Franz** **Issue 1**

Creates a tax credit for contributions to developmental disability care providers and

modifies provisions of the residential treatment agency tax credit program

**Status:**  
**2/13/12 Hearing Scheduled** (H)  
 2/9/12 Referred to Special Standing Committee on Disability Services (H) Chair: Grisamore, Vice Chair: Houghton  
 2/9/12 Re-referred to Committee (H)  
 2/8/12 Referred to Children and Families committee (H) Chair: Largent, Vice Chair Bahr  
 2/8/12 Re-referred to Committee  
 1/26/12 Referred to Economic Development committee (H) Chair: Zerr, Vice Chair: Jones  
 1/9/12 Second Read (H)  
 1/5/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**\*HB 1216 - McNeil** **Issue 2**  
 Increases the maximum annual grant amount that the University of Missouri Board of Curators can award for a research project on Alzheimer's disease and related disorders

**Status:**  
**2/14/12 Hearing Scheduled** (H)  
 2/2/12 Referred to Higher Education committee (H) Chair: Thomson, Vice Chair: Wallingford  
 1/10/12 Second Read (H)  
 1/9/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**HB 1278 - Long** **Issue 2**  
 Sunsets certain tax credits and creates a developmental disability care provider tax credit

**Status:**  
**2/2/12 Referred to Children and Families committee** (H) Chair: Largent, Vice Chair Bahr  
 1/12/12 Second Read (H)  
 1/11/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**\*HB 1313 - Nolte** **Issue 2**  
 Limits the increase in assessed valuation of residential property by the percentage of increase in the federal Social Security benefits for the elderly and disabled who own and live in their principal residence

**Status:**  
**2/7/12 Referred to Local Government committee** (H) Chair: Gatschenberger, Vice Chair: Schneider  
 1/17/12 Second Read (H)

1/12/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**\*HB 1427 - Kratky** **Issue 4**

Authorizes an income tax credit for certain small businesses who hire a person who is disabled or recently discharged from a correctional facility

**Status:**

2/7/12 Referred to Ways and Means committee (H)

Chair: Koenig, Vice Chair: Higdon

1/23/12 Second Read (H)

1/19/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**\*HB 1445 - Smith** **Issue 4**

Changes the funding mechanism for the disabled home accessibility tax credit and extends the sunset date to December 31, 2016

**Status:**

2/8/12 Referred to Children and Families

committee (H) Chair: Largent, Vice Chair Bahr

1/23/12 Second Read (H)

1/19/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**\*HB 1666 - Jones**

Creates a tax return check-off for lupus research

This act creates the Lupus Revolving Research Trust Fund. This fund will consist of money gathered from the lupus research tax return check-off. In all taxable years, 2012 and later, an individual may designate that a dollar or more of the taxpayer's refund (two dollars for a corporation) may go to the Lupus Revolving Research Trust Fund. The act creates a lupus research enhancement program within the Department of Health and Senior Services. The program will award grants to Missouri academic medical institutions which conduct or would like to conduct lupus research. It creates the lupus research advisory council within the Department of Health and Senior Services. It outlines the Council's duties.

**Status:**

2/8/12 Second Read (H)

2/7/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**SB 481 - Stouffer** **Issue 1**

Creates a tax credit for contributions to developmental disability care providers and

modifies provisions of the residential treatment agency tax credit program

**Status:**

1/5/12 Second Read and Referred to Ways and Means and Fiscal Oversight committee (S) Chair:

Purgason, Vice Chair: Kraus

1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

12/1/11 Pre-filed (S)

**SB 482 - Stouffer** **Issue 1**

Increases the statutory award amount for Alzheimer's disease research projects funded by the University of Missouri Board of Curators

**Status:**

1/18/12 Voted Do Pass by committee (S)

1/11/12 Hearing Completed (S)

1/11/12 Hearing Scheduled (S)

1/5/12 Second Read and Referred to Education committee (S) Chair: Pearce, Vice Chair: Nieves

1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

12/1/11 Pre-filed (S)

**SB 531 - Lamping** **Issue 1**

Modifies the low-income housing and historic preservation tax credit programs and requires any increase in revenue to be applied to a decrease in the individual income tax rate

**Status:**

1/19/12 Hearing Completed (S)

1/19/12 Hearing Scheduled (S)

1/5/12 Second Read and Referred to Ways and Means and Fiscal Oversight committee (S) Chair: Purgason, Vice Chair: Kraus

1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

12/8/11 Pre-filed (S)

**SB 708 - Wasson** **Issue 4**

Extends the sunset on the residential dwelling accessibility tax credit and modifies the allocation of tax credit cap from another tax credit program to this program

**Status:**

2/2/12 Second Read and Referred to Ways and Means and Fiscal Oversight committee (S) Chair:

Purgason, Vice Chair: Kraus

1/26/12 Introduced and First Read (S)



**SB 712 - Lamping**

Issue 4

Modifies the criteria for determining that is a child is a special needs child for the purposes of the special needs adoption tax credit

**Status:**

2/2/12 Second Read and Referred to Ways and Means and Fiscal Oversight committee (S) Chair: Purgason, Vice Chair: Kraus  
1/26/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

**HEALTH CARE/PERSONAL ASSISTANCE****\*HB 1058 - Brattin**

Issue 1

Establishes Chloe's Law which, subject to appropriations, requires the newborn screening requirements to include pulse oximetry screenings

**Status:**

2/8/12 Voted Do Pass by committee (H)  
2/8/12 Executive Session Completed (H)  
1/25/12 Hearing Completed (H)  
1/25/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)  
1/12/12 Referred to Health Care Policy committee (H) Chair: Sater, Vice Chair: Frederick  
1/5/12 Second Read (H)  
1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (H)  
12/9/11 Pre-filed (H)

**HB 1078 - Sater**

Issue 1

Authorizes the MO HealthNet Division to implement a statewide dental delivery system to ensure recipient participation and access to providers of dental services under MO HealthNet

**Status:**

1/5/12 Second Read (H)  
1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (H)  
12/14/11 Pre-filed (H)

**HB 1087 - White**

Issue 1

Establishes the Adult Health Care Consent Act which provides for a priority of person who can make health care decisions for persons unable to consent

**Status:**

1/5/12 Second Read (H)  
1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (H)  
12/19/11 Pre-filed (H)

**HB 1134 - Scharnhorst**

Issue 1

Limits the copayments, coinsurance, and office visit deductible charged by a health carrier for services of a physical therapist to the same amount as charged by the health carrier for a primary care physician

**Status:**

2/1/12 Referred to Small Business committee (H) Chair: Scharnhorst, Vice Chair: Torpey  
1/5/12 Second Read (H)  
1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**\*HB 1188 - Allen**

Issue 2

Allows school nurses to use asthma related rescue medications on students experiencing asthma attacks

**Status:**

2/13/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)  
2/8/12 Referred to Rules – Pursuant to Rule 25(32)(f) committee (H) Chair: Diehl, Vice Chair: Funderburk  
2/8/12 Reported Do Pass-Consent by committee (H)  
2/8/12 Voted Do Pass-Consent by committee (H)  
2/8/12 Executive Session Completed (H)  
2/1/12 Hearing Completed (H)  
2/1/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)  
1/25/12 Referred to Health Care Policy committee (H) Chair: Sater, Vice Chair: Frederick  
1/9/12 Second Read (H)  
1/5/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**HB 1355 - Lichtenegger**

Issue 3

Requires health carriers to reimburse a physical therapist in the same amounts as paid to a licensed physical therapist for rendering the same services regardless of the setting or venue

**Status:**

1/19/12 Second Read (H)  
1/18/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**HB 1399 - Richardson**

Issue 4

Requires the injection of therapeutic substances around the spine or spinal cord for the treatment of pain syndromes by certain methods be performed only by a licensed physician

**Status:**

2/2/12 Referred to Professional Registration and Licensing committee (H) Chair: Bandom, Vice Chair: Burlison  
 1/23/12 Second Read (H)  
 1/19/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**HB 1421 - Colona** **Issue 4**  
 Changes the laws regarding the classification of marijuana as a controlled substance and allows its use for medicinal purposes under certain conditions

**Status:**  
 1/23/12 Second Read (H)  
 1/19/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**HB 1533 - Schoeller** **Issue 5**  
 Requires licensed chiropractors to be reimbursed under the MO HealthNet Program for providing services currently covered and within the scope of chiropractic practice

**Status:**  
 2/1/12 Referred to Health Insurance committee (H) Chair: Molendorp, Vice Chair: Burlison  
 1/30/12 Second Read (H)  
 1/26/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**HB 1713 - Grisamore**  
 Adds prescribed, medically necessary hearing aids to the list of services covered under MO HealthNet

This act, subject to appropriations, adds prescribed medically necessary hearing aids to the list of covered services under MO HealthNet. Medical need will be verified using an electronic web-based prior authorization system using medical evidence and treatment guidelines consistent with national standards.

**Status:**  
 2/9/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**HB 1714 - Grisamore**  
 Adds comprehensive day rehabilitation services beginning soon after trauma for individuals with disabling impairments to the list of services covered under MO HealthNet benefits

This act adds, subject to appropriations, comprehensive day rehabilitation services beginning early after trauma for individuals with

disabling impairments to the list of services under MO HealthNet. The act explains what rehabilitation services should be geared toward. The MO HealthNet Division in conjunction with brain injury rehabilitation service providers and the MO head injury advisory council to establish the definition, criteria, and other necessary information to provide this benefit. The act outlines other requirements.

**Status:**  
 2/9/11 Introduced and First Read (H)

**SB 511 - Schaaf** **Issue 1**  
 Provides that no amendments shall be made to the Missouri State Medicaid Plan without first obtaining approval from the Joint Committee on MO HealthNet

**Status:**  
 1/24/12 Hearing Completed (S)  
 1/24/12 Hearing Scheduled (S)  
 1/5/12 Second Read and Referred to Health, Mental Health, Seniors and Families committee (S) Chair: Ridgeway, Vice Chair: Schaaf  
 1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (S)  
 12/2/11 Pre-filed (S)

**SB 536 - Chappelle-Nadal** **Issue 1**  
 Requires long-term care facilities to be encouraged to institute policies encouraging familial involvement in the well-being and support of its residents

**Status:**  
 1/5/12 Second Read and Referred to Health, Mental Health, Seniors and Families committee (S) Chair: Ridgeway, Vice Chair: Schaaf  
 1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (S)  
 12/9/11 Pre-filed (S)

**SB 617 - Schaaf** **Issue 2**  
 Requires the Department of Social Services to promulgate rules specifying the eligibility process for the MO HealthNet Spenddown Program

**Status:**  
 1/26/12 Second Read and Referred to Health, Mental Health, Seniors and Families committee (S) Chair: Ridgeway, Vice Chair: Schaaf  
 1/9/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

**SB 644 - Schaefer** **Issue 2**

Relating to insurance reimbursement for physical therapist services

**Status:**

2/2/12 Second Read and Referred to Small Business, Insurance and Industry committee (S)

Chair: Rupp, Vice Chair: Parson

1/11/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

**SB 682 - Dempsey** **Issue 3**

Mandates that injections around the spine under certain guidance techniques be performed by licensed physicians

**Status:**

2/2/12 Second Read and Referred to Health, Mental Health, Seniors and Families committee (S)

Chair: Ridgeway, Vice Chair: Schaaf

1/18/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

**SB 687 - Schmitt** **Issue 4**

Requires copayments, coinsurance, and deductibles charged for physical therapist services to be no greater than those charged for the same services provided by primary care physicians or osteopaths

**Status:**

2/2/12 Second Read and Referred to Small Business, Insurance and Industry committee (S)

Chair: Rupp, Vice Chair: Parson

1/23/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

**LEGAL RIGHTS/RESPONSIBILITIES**

**\*HB 1104 - Schoeller** **Issue 1**

Establishes photo identification requirements for voting

**Status:**

2/9/12 Third Read and Passed (H)

2/9/12 Reported Do Pass by committee (H)

2/9/12 Voted Do Pass by committee (H)

2/9/12 Executive Session Completed (H)

2/8/12 Referred to Fiscal Review committee (H)

Chair: Stream, Vice Chair: Flanigan

2/7/12 Perfected (H)

2/7/12 Taken Up for Perfection (H)

2/6/12 Laid Over (H)

2/6/12 Taken Up for Perfection (H)

2/1/12 Laid Over (H)

2/1/12 Taken Up for Perfection (H)

1/30/12 Reported Do Pass by committee (H)

1/30/12 Voted Do Pass by committee (H)

1/30/12 Executive Session Completed (H)

1/30/12 Executive Session Scheduled (H)

1/24/12 Referred to Rules – Pursuant to Rule 25(32)(f) committee (H) Chair: Diehl, Vice Chair: Funderburk

1/24/12 Reported Do Pass by committee (H)

1/24/12 Voted Do Pass by committee (H)

1/24/12 Executive Session Completed (H)

1/24/12 Hearing Completed (H)

1/24/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)

1/5/12 Second Read and Referred to Elections committee (H) Chair: Dugger, Vice Chair: Entlicher

1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

12/20/11 Pre-filed (H)

**\*HB 1684 - Fallert**

Exempts persons permanently disabled from presenting a physician's statement when renewing disabled license plates or windshield placards

This act states that individuals who are deemed to have a permanent disability and submitted a physician's statement with their first application will not be required to provide a physician's statement when renewing the appropriate license plates or windshield placards.

**Status:**

2/9/12 Second Read (H)

2/8/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**\*SCS SB 442 - Stouffer** **Issue 1**

Establishes photo identification requirements for voting

**Status:**

2/13/12 Informal Calendar S Bills for Perfection (S)

2/8/12 Informal Calendar S Bills for Perfection (S)

2/6/12 Formal Calendar S Bills for Perfection (S)

2/2/12 SCS Reported from Committee to Floor (S)

1/23/12 SCS Voted Do Pass by committee (S)

1/17/12 Hearing Completed (S)

1/17/12 Hearing Scheduled (S)

1/5/12 Second Read and Referred Financial and Governmental Organizations and Elections committee (S) Chair: Engler, Vice Chair: Wasson

1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (S)



12/1/11 Pre-filed (S)

**SCS SB 474 - Kraus** **Issue 1**  
Requires the Department of Social Services to take steps to mandate the use of photo identification for the food stamp program

**Status:**

1/18/12 SCS Voted Do Pass by committee  
1/11/12 Hearing Completed (S)  
1/11/12 Hearing Scheduled (S)  
1/5/12 Second Read and Referred to Governmental Accountability committee (S) Chair: Lembke, Vice Chair: Lager  
1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (S)  
12/1/11 Pre-filed (S)

**\*SB 542 - Chappelle-Nadal** **Issue 1**  
Establishes a paper ballot as the official ballot

**Status:**

2/6/12 Hearing Completed (S)  
2/6/12 Hearing Scheduled (S)  
1/5/12 Second Read and Referred Financial and Governmental Organizations and Elections committee (S) Chair: Engler, Vice Chair: Wasson  
1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (S)  
12/9/11 Pre-filed (S)

**MENTAL HEALTH**

**HB 1082 - Wells** **Issue 1**  
Changes to the definition of and education requirements for professional counseling (See Services category for bill summary)

**\*HB 1110 - Barnes** **Issue 1**  
Authorizes the establishment of veterans treatment courts to dispose of cases which stem from substance abuse or mental illness of military veterans or current military personnel

**Status:**

2/14/12 Hearing Scheduled (S)  
2/7/12 Referred to Veterans committee (H) Chair: Day, Vice Chair: Davis  
1/5/12 Second Read (H)  
1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (H)  
12/21/11 Pre-filed (H)

**HB 1322 - Black** **Issue 3**

Authorizes the Director of the Department of Corrections to establish, as a three-year pilot program, a mental health assessment process

**Status:**

1/18/12 Second Read (H)  
1/17/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**HB 1456 - Black** **Issue 4**  
Creates a mental health assessment pilot program for criminal offenders

**Status:**

1/24/12 Second Read (H)  
1/23/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**SB 518 - Engler** **Issue 1**

Creates a mental health assessment pilot program for criminal offenders

**Status:**

1/5/12 Second Read and Referred to Judiciary and Civil and Criminal Jurisprudence committee (S)  
Chair: Goodman, Vice Chair: Schmitt  
1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (S)  
12/6/11 Pre-filed (S)

**SB 718 - Stouffer** **Issue 5**  
Modifies provisions relating to the Department of Mental Health Employment Disqualification Registry

**Status:**

2/2/12 Second Read and Referred to Health, Mental Health, Seniors and Families committee (S)  
Chair: Ridgeway, Vice Chair: Schaaf  
1/30/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

**\*SB 768 - Kraus**  
Authorizes circuit courts to create veterans treatment courts

This act authorizes circuit courts or a combination of circuits to create veterans treatment courts. These courts will dispose of cases involving substance abuse or mental illness of current or former military personnel. Treatment referrals by the court shall be through the Department of Defense health care, Veterans Administration, or community-based treatment programs. The court shall dismiss, reduce, or modify the charges against

the participant upon successful completion of a treatment program.

Community based treatment programs must use programs certified by the Missouri Department of Mental Health unless no certified program is located in the same county as the court. Community based programs shall receive state or federal funds for referrals from veterans treatment courts.

**Status:**

2/9/12 Second Read and Referred to Veterans' Affairs, Emerging Issues, Pensions and Urban Affairs (S) Chair: Crowell, Vice Chair: Brown  
2/8/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

**OLMSTEAD**

HB 1077 - Wyatt Issue 1

Requires the Department of Mental Health to develop a transition plan for services of a resident of a state developmental disabilities facility to the most appropriate living setting

**Status:**

1/30/12 Hearing Completed (H)  
1/30/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)  
1/12/12 Referred to Special Standing Committee on Disability Services (H) Chair: Grisamore, Vice Chair: Houghton  
1/5/12 Second Read (H)  
1/4/11 Introduced and First Read (H)  
12/14/11 Pre-filed (H)

SB 449 - Rupp Issue 1

Requires the Department of Mental Health to develop a transition plan for services of residents of state developmental disabilities facilities to the most appropriate setting

**Status:**

1/24/12 Voted Do Pass by committee (S)  
1/19/12 Hearing Completed (S)  
1/19/12 Hearing Scheduled (S)  
1/5/12 Second Read and Referred to Health, Mental Health, Seniors and Families committee (S)  
Chair: Ridgeway, Vice Chair: Schaaf  
1/4/12 Introduced and First Read (S)  
12/1/11 Pre-filed (S)

**SAFETY/PREVENTION**

HB 1262 - Brown Issue 2

Requires the State Board of Education to establish a coordinated health program board to develop a program on the prevention of student obesity, cardiovascular disease, and type II diabetes  
1/12/12 Second Read (H)  
1/11/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

HB 1564 - Hummel Issue 5

Specifies that any personal identifying information that is utilized in a voluntary registry of persons with health-related ailments to assist them during a disaster is not considered a public record

**Status:**

1/31/12 Second Read (H)  
1/30/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

\*HB 1670 - Day

Requires only persons younger than 21 years of age to wear protective headgear when operating or riding as a passenger on any motorcycle or motortricycle

This act only requires those who are younger than age 21 to wear protective headgear when riding or operating a motorcycle or motortricycle.

**Status:**

2/8/12 Second Read (H)  
2/7/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

\*SB 743 - Brown Issue 5

Exempts motorcyclists age 21 and older from wearing a helmet when operating a motorcycle or motortricycle

**Status:**

2/15/12 Hearing Scheduled (S)  
2/9/12 Second Read and Referred to Transportation committee (S) Chair: Stouffer, Vice Chair: Kehoe  
2/2/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

**SERVICES**

HB 1082 - Wells Issue 1

Specifies that licensed professional counseling includes the diagnosis of mental, emotional, and behavior disorders and allows the committee for professional counselors to require certain educational coursework

**Status:**

1/5/12 **Second Read** (H)

1/4/11 Introduced and First Read (H)

12/15/11 Pre-filed (H)

**\*HB 1518 - Grisamore** **Issue 4**

Authorizes the licensure of provisionally licensed behavior analysts and assistant behavior analysts, and temporary licensed behavior analysts and assistant behavior analysts

**Status:**

2/13/12 **Executive Session Scheduled** (H)

2/6/12 Hearing Completed (H)

2/6/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)

2/1/12 Referred to Special Standing Committee on Disability Services (H) Chair: Grisamore, Vice Chair: Houghton

1/26/12 Second Read (H)

1/25/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**\*HB 1522 - Meadows** **Issue 4**

Authorizes the licensure of provisionally licensed behavior analysts and assistant behavior analysts, and temporary licensed behavior analysts and assistant behavior analysts

**Status:**

2/13/12 **Executive Session Scheduled** (H)

2/6/12 Hearing Completed (H)

2/6/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)

2/1/12 Referred to Special Standing Committee on Disability Services (H) Chair: Grisamore, Vice Chair: Houghton

1/26/12 Second Read (H)

1/25/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**HB 1712 - Grisamore**

Establishes a telephone tracking system pilot project for in-home services providers in certain counties

This act establishes a pilot project to verify and report that home and community-based services

have been delivered through a telephone tracking system. The Department of Health and Senior Services should work with in-home service providers and other agencies in implementing the pilot project. The act states what county classifications should be part of the project. It allows for subcontracting with a vendor to purchase services and products necessary for the project. The project should be operational by July 1, 2013.

**Status:**

2/9/12 **Introduced and First Read** (H)

**OTHER**

**\*HB 1407 - Walton Gray** **Issue 4**

Establishes the Sickle Cell Disease Task Force to study and make recommendations regarding the impact of sickle cell disease on urban communities, examine existing services, and address any needs

**Status:**

2/8/12 **Referred to Health Care Policy committee**

(H) Chair: Sater, Vice Chair: Frederick

1/23/12 Second Read (H)

1/19/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**HB 1545 - Kirkton** **Issue 4**

Designates December fourth of each year as "PKS Day" in Missouri for awareness regarding Pallister-Killian Syndrome

**Status:**

1/30/12 **Second Read** (H)

1/26/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**\*HB 1651 - McGeoghegan**

Designates the month of October as "Spinal Cord Injury Month" in Missouri.

This act designates October as "Spinal Cord Injury Month" in Missouri and encourages all citizens to engage in activities which increase awareness of spinal cord injuries including: dangers, prevention methods, and available measures to reduce the incidence of these injuries.

**Status:**

2/7/12 **Second Read** (H)

2/6/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**\*HB 1652 - McGeoghegan**

Designates the month of May as "Fibromyalgia Month" in Missouri

This act designates May as "Fibromyalgia Month" in Missouri and encourages everyone to participate in activities and events to increase awareness and education of the disorder.

**Status:**

2/7/12 Second Read (H)

2/6/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**\*HB 1665 - Jones**

Designates the month of May each year as "Lupus Awareness Month"

This act designates May as "Lupus Awareness Month" in this state. It encourages everyone to educate themselves on the symptoms and impact of lupus and to support community service, research, and education programs related to lupus.

**Status:**

2/8/12 Second Read (H)

2/7/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**APPROPRIATIONS****\*HB 2002 - Silvey**

Appropriates money for the expenses, grants, refunds, and distributions of the State Board of Education and Department of Elementary and Secondary Education

This act appropriates money for vocational rehabilitation, disability determination, centers for independent living, the Supported Employment Evidence Based Dartmouth Grant, special education, the First Steps Program, sheltered workshops, readers for students who are blind or have a visual impairment, a task force for students who are blind, the Missouri School for the Deaf, Missouri Special Olympics Program, the State Schools for the Severely Disabled, the Missouri Commission on Deaf and Hard of Hearing, and the Missouri Assistive Technology Council.

**Status:**

2/8/12 Referred to Budget committee (H) Chair:

Silvey, Vice Chair: Stream

2/7/12 Second Read (H)

2/6/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**\*HB 2010 - Silvey**

Appropriates money for the expenses, grants, refunds, and distributions of the Department of Mental Health, Board of Public Buildings, and Department of Health and Senior Services

This act appropriates money for various sections of the Department of Mental Health including the Office of the Director, programs and centers within the Division of Comprehensive Psychiatric Services, and programs centers, and services within the Division of Developmental Disabilities. It also appropriates money for the Department of Health and Senior Services to fund services and programs for those who are non-Medicaid eligible.

**Status:**

2/8/12 Referred to Budget committee (H) Chair:

Silvey, Vice Chair: Stream

2/7/12 Second Read (H)

2/6/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

**\*HCS HB 2014 - Silvey**

Issue 5

Appropriates money for supplemental purposes for several departments, offices of state government, payment of various claims for refunds, for persons, firms, corporations, other purposes, transfer money among funds

**Status:**

2/8/12 Referred to Rules – Pursuant to Rule

25(32)(f) committee (H) Chair: Diehl, Vice Chair:

Funderburk

2/8/12 HCS Reported Do Pass by committee (H)

2/8/12 HCS Voted Do Pass by committee (H)

2/8/12 Executive Session Completed (H)

2/8/12 Executive Session Scheduled (H)

2/6/12 Second Read and Referred to Budget

committee (H) Chair: Silvey, Vice Chair: Stream

2/2/12 Introduced and First Read (H)