

LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

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Welcome to the eighth 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
SCS.....	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 Completed** (H)
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)

***SB 809 - Lamping** **Issue 7**

Modifies provisions relating to public accommodations and service dogs for persons with mental disabilities

Status:

2/23/12 **Second Read and Referred to Health, Mental Health, Seniors and Families committee** (S)
Chair: Ridgeway, Vice Chair: Schaaf
2/16/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

CRIME

***HCS HB 1317 - Riddle** **Issue 3**

Expands the crime of child abuse to include shaken baby syndrome

Status:

2/23/12 **Returned to Committee of Origin** (H)
2/23/12 Executive Session Completed (H)
2/23/12 Executive Session Scheduled (H)
2/15/12 Referred to Rules – Pursuant to Rule 25(32)(f) committee (H)
2/15/12 HCS Reported Do Pass (H)
2/14/12 HCS Voted Do Pass (H)
2/14/12 Executive Session Completed (H)
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:

2/15/12 **Referred to Crime Prevention and Public Safety committee** (H) Chair: Schad, Vice Chair: Marshall
1/26/12 Second Read (H)
1/25/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

HB 1689 - Sommer **Issue 6**

Changes the elements of the crime of abuse of a child to include Shaken Baby Syndrome

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)

***SCS SB 689 - Engler**

Issue 4

Modifies provisions relating to crimes committed against the elderly and disabled

Status:

2/20/12 SCS Voted Do Pass by committee (S)

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)

HB 1831 - Stream

Prohibits spanking from being used in a public school on any student with an individualized education plan who is receiving special education services

This act prohibits spanking of any public school student who has an individualized education plan and is receiving special education services.

Status:

2/23/12 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)

***SB 799 - Justus**

Issue 7

Changes the requirements for school anti-bullying policies

Status:

2/23/12 Second Read and Referred to Education committee (S) Chair: Pearce, Vice Chair: Nieves

2/16/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

EMPLOYMENT

HB 1219 - Elmer

Issue 2

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

Status:

2/13/12 Reported to Senate and First Read (S)

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:

2/27/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)

2/20/12 Hearing Continued (H)

2/20/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)

2/13/12 Hearing Continued (H)

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:

2/27/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)

2/21/12 Referred to Workforce Development and Workplace Safety committee (H) Chair: Fisher, Vice Chair: Brown

2/17/12 Second Read (H)

2/16/12 First Read with Emergency Clause (H)

2/16/12 Third Read and Passed and Emergency Clause Adopted (S)

2/15/12 Reported Truly Perfected by S Rules committee (S)

2/15/12 Perfected (S)

2/15/12 SS Adopted (S)

2/15/12 SA 4 for SS Offered and Defeated (S)

2/15/12 SA 3 for SS Offered and Adopted (S)

2/15/12 SA 2 for SS Offered and Adopted (S)

2/15/12 SA 1 for SS Withdrawn (S)

2/14/12 Informal Calendar S Bills for Perfection (S)

2/14/12 SA 1 for SS Offered (S)

2/14/12 SS Offered (S)

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:

2/13/12 Second Read (H)

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)

***SB 807 - Dempsey** **Issue 7**
Modifies the law relating to the Second Injury Fund

Status:
2/23/12 Second Read and Referred to Small Business, Insurance and Industry committee (S)
Chair: Rupp, Vice Chair: Parson
2/16/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

***SB 828 - Crowell**
Modifies the law relating to occupational disease under the workers' compensation system

The act affirmatively states that occupational diseases are covered under workers' compensation laws.

Toxic exposure is defined as an exposure to chemicals, dusts, particulates, fumes, mists, fibers, solvents, vapors, radiation, or other substances or other materials that, when ingested, consumed, inhaled, or absorbed are sufficient to cause disease, death, mutations, cancer, deformities, or reproductive abnormalities in humans. In cases where occupational disease is caused by toxic exposure, there shall be no subrogation rights for employers.

Submit:
2/23/12 Second Read and Referred to Judiciary and Civil and Criminal Jurisprudence committee (S)
Chair: Goodman, Vice Chair: Schmitt
2/22/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

***SB 829 - Crowell**
Modifies the law relating to the Second Injury Fund

This act modifies provisions relating to the Second Injury Fund.

No new claims shall be filed against the Second Injury Fund after July 1, 2012.

Only awards granted prior to July 1, 2012, awards or settlements in cases filed before July 1, 2012 and medical bills incurred and filed by employees of uninsured employers before July 1, 2012 shall be paid by the fund.

The Attorney General shall transmit the projected cost of all legal expenses to the director of the Division of Workers' Compensation. The director shall then withhold sufficient funds to meet the expenses not to exceed 1/4 of the annual appropriation for that purpose.

Under the act, an annual actuarial study shall be made taking into consideration any existing balance carried forward in the fund from a previous year.

The act establishes priority for paying liability of the fund in the following order:

1. Expenses related to the legal defense of the fund.
2. Permanent total disability awards in the order settled or finally adjudicated.
3. Permanent partial disability awards in the order settled or finally adjudicated.
4. Medical expenses incurred prior to July 1, 2012.

This act contains an emergency clause.

Status:

2/23/12 Second Read and Referred to Small Business, Insurance and Industry committee (S)
Chair: Rupp, Vice Chair: Parson
2/22/12 Introduced and First Read (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 Completed (H)
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:

2/21/12 Voted Do Pass by committee (H)
2/21/12 Executive Session Completed (H)
2/21/12 Executive Session Scheduled (H)
2/14/12 Hearing Completed (H)
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

Sunsetts certain tax credits and creates a developmental disability care provider tax credit

Status:

2/15/12 Hearing Completed (H)
2/15/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)
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)

***HCS 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:

2/22/12 HCS Voted Do Pass by committee (H)
2/15/12 Hearing Completed (H)
2/15/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)
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 Issue 6

Creates a tax return check-off for lupus research

Status:

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

HB 1718 - Scharnhorst **Issue 7**
 Establishes Bryce's Law which authorizes a tax credit for a person donating to a scholarship-granting organization for special needs students if it is not claimed on his or her federal income tax return
Status:
 2/15/12 **Second Read** (H)
 2/14/12 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)

SB 782 - Curls **Issue 7**
 Establishes the Lupus Research Trust Fund
Status:
 2/16/12 **Second Read and Referred to Ways and Means and Fiscal Oversight committee** (S) Chair: Purgason, Vice Chair: Kraus
 2/13/12 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:
 2/15/12 **Hearing Completed** (H)
 2/15/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)
 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:
 2/23/12 **First Read** (S)
 2/22/12 Third Read and Passed (H)
 2/20/12 Perfected by Consent (H)
 2/13/12 Reported Do Pass-Consent by committee (H)
 2/13/12 Voted Do Pass-Consent by committee (H)

2/13/12 Executive Session Completed (H)
 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:
 2/15/12 **Hearing Completed** (H)
 2/15/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)
 2/2/12 Referred to Professional Registration and Licensing committee (H) Chair: Brandom, 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:
 2/21/12 Hearing Completed (H)
 2/21/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)
 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** **Issue 6**
 Adds prescribed, medically necessary hearing aids to the list of services covered under MO HealthNet

Status:
 2/20/12 Hearing Completed (H)
 2/20/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)
 2/15/12 Referred to Special Standing Committee on Disability Services (H) Chair: Grisamore, Vice Chair: Houghton
 2/13/12 Second Read (H)
 2/9/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

***HB 1714 - Grisamore** **Issue 6**
 Adds comprehensive day rehabilitation services beginning soon after trauma for individuals with disabling impairments to the list of services covered under MO HealthNet benefits

Status:
 2/20/12 Hearing Completed (H)
 2/20/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)
 2/15/12 Referred to Special Standing Committee on Disability Services (H) Chair: Grisamore, Vice Chair: Houghton
 2/13/12 Second Read (H)
 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:
 2/14/12 Hearing Completed (S)
 2/14/12 Hearing Scheduled (S)
 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:

2/13/12 Reported to Senate and First Read (S)

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**

Issue 6

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

Status:

2/21/12 Hearing Completed (H)

2/21/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)

2/15/12 Referred to Transportation committee (H)

Chair: Dennison, Vice Chair: Long

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:

2/27/12 Informal Calendar S Bills for Perfection (S)

2/20/12 Informal Calendar S Bills for Perfection (S)

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:

2/27/12 Formal Calendar S Bills for Perfection (S)

2/20/12 Formal Calendar S Bills for Perfection (S)

2/16/12 Reported from Committee to Floor (S)

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:

2/13/12 Motion to Vote Do Pass Failed (S)
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 Completed (H)
2/14/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)
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:

2/20/12 Hearing Completed (S)
2/20/12 Hearing Scheduled (S)
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:

2/21/12 Hearing Completed (S)
2/21/12 Hearing Scheduled (S)
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 **Issue 6**

Authorizes circuit courts to create 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:
2/14/11 Removed from Hearing/Hearing Cancelled (S)
2/14/12 Hearing Scheduled (S)
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

Status:
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 **Issue 6**

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

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:
2/22/12 Voted Do Pass by committee (S)
2/15/12 Hearing Completed (S)
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)

HCS 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 HCS Voted Do Pass by committee (H)
2/13/12 Executive Session Completed (H)
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)

HCS 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 HCS Voted Do Pass by committee (H)

2/13/12 Executive Session Completed (H)

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 **Issue 6**

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

Status:

2/15/12 Referred to Budget committee (H) Chair:

Silvey, Vice Chair: Stream

2/13/12 Second Read (H)

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

***SB 803 - Rupp** **Issue 7**

Modifies provisions relating to behavior analysts and the Behavior Analyst Advisory Board

Status:

2/23/12 Second Read and Referred Financial and Governmental Organizations and Elections

committee (S) Chair: Engler, Vice Chair: Wasson

2/16/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

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:

2/22/12 Hearing Completed (H)

2/22/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)

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** **Issue 6**

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

Status:

2/20/12 Hearing Completed (H)

2/20/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)

2/15/12 Referred to Special Standing Committee on Disability Services (H) Chair: Grisamore, Vice Chair: Houghton

2/7/12 Second Read (H)

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

***HB 1652 - McGeoghegan** **Issue 6**

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

Status:

2/20/12 Hearing Completed (H)

2/20/12 Hearing Scheduled (H)

2/15/12 Referred to Special Standing Committee on Disability Services (H) Chair: Grisamore, Vice Chair: Houghton

2/7/12 Second Read (H)

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

HB 1665 - Jones **Issue 6**

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

Status:

2/15/12 Referred to Urban Issues committee (H)

Chair: Nasheed, Vice Chair: Brown

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

HB 1738 - Grisamore Issue 7
Requires one in every four accessible parking spaces to be lift accessible for new parking lots, and parking lots being restriped, that contain twenty five or more parking spaces

Status:
2/16/12 Second Read (H)
2/15/12 Introduced and First Read (H)

SB 784 - Curls Issue 7
Designates the month of May each year as Lupus Awareness Month

Status:
2/16/12 Second Read and Referred to General Laws committee (S) Chair: Cunningham, Vice Chair: Nieves
2/13/12 Introduced and First Read (S)

payment of various claims for refunds, for persons, firms, corporations, other purposes, transfer money among funds

Status:
2/23/12 First Read (S)
2/21/12 Perfected (H)
2/21/12 HCS Adopted (H)
2/15/12 Reported Do Pass by committee (H)
2/15/12 Voted Do Pass by committee (H)
2/15/12 Executive Session Completed (H)
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)

APPROPRIATIONS

HB 2002 - Silvey Issue 6
Appropriates money for the expenses, grants, refunds, and distributions of the State Board of Education and Department of Elementary and Secondary Education

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 Issue 6
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

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,