The Florida Senate

COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

HEALTH POLICY Senator Bean, Chair Senator Sobel, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, February 4, 2014

TIME: 2:00 —4:00 p.m.

PLACE: Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building

MEMBERS: Senator Bean, Chair; Senator Sobel, Vice Chair; Senators Brandes, Braynon, Flores, Galvano,

Garcia, Grimsley, and Joyner

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION		
1	SB 520 Richter (Identical H 457)	Public Records/Dental Workforce Surveys; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for information contained in dental workforce surveys submitted by dentists or dental hygienists to the Department of Health; providing exceptions to the exemption; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. HP 02/04/2014 Favorable GO RC	Favorable Yeas 9 Nays 0		
2	SB 390 Hays (Similar H 419)	Public Records/Identifying Information of Personnel of Department of Health; Providing an exemption from public records requirements for certain identifying information of specific current and former personnel of the Department of Health and the spouses and children of such personnel, under specified circumstances; providing for future legislative review and repeal of the exemption under the Open Government Sunset Review Act; providing a statement of public necessity, etc. HP 02/04/2014 Fav/CS GO RC	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0		
	Consideration of proposed committee bill:				
3	SPB 7014	OGSR/Department of Health; Amending provisions which make confidential and exempt certain information of a patient or patient's agent, health care practitioner, and others held by the Department of Health; specifying that the Attorney General, health care regulatory boards, and law enforcement agencies may disclose certain confidential and exempt information to certain entities only if such information is relevant to an active investigation that prompted the request for the information, etc.	Submitted as Committee Bill Yeas 7 Nays 2		

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4	SPB 7016	Prescription Drug Monitoring; Revising provisions relating to the comprehensive electronic database system and prescription drug monitoring program maintained by the Department of Health; requiring a law enforcement agency to submit a subpoena as a condition of direct access to information in the program; authorizing the department to provide relevant information that does not contain personal identifying information if the program manager determines a specified pattern exists, etc.	Submitted as Committee Bill Yeas 7 Nays 2
5	SB 408 Braynon (Similar H 491)	Needle and Syringe Exchange Pilot Program; Requiring the Department of Health to establish a needle and syringe exchange pilot program in Miami- Dade County; providing for administration of the pilot program by the department or a designee; establishing pilot program criteria; providing that the distribution of needles and syringes under the pilot program is not a violation of the Florida Comprehensive Drug Abuse Prevention and Control Act or any other law; providing conditions under which a pilot program staff member or participant may be prosecuted, etc. HP 02/04/2014 Fav/CS CJ AHS AP	Fav/CS Yeas 9 Nays 0
	Consideration of proposed committee bill:		
6	SPB 7028	Telemedicine; Citing this act as the "Florida Telemedicine Act"; creating licensure and registration requirements; providing health insurer and health plan reimbursement requirements for telemedicine; providing requirements for reimbursement of telemedicine services under the Medicaid program, etc.	Temporarily Postponed
	Other Related Meeting Documents		