

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

HEALTH POLICY
Senator Burton, Chair
Senator Brodeur, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Monday, February 20, 2023
TIME: 3:00—6:00 p.m.
PLACE: Toni Jennings Committee Room, 110 Senate Building

MEMBERS: Senator Burton, Chair; Senator Brodeur, Vice Chair; Senators Albritton, Avila, Book, Broxson, Burgess, Calatayud, Davis, Garcia, Harrell, and Osgood

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 298 Boyd (Similar H 79, Identical H 267)	Telehealth Practice Standards; Revising the definition of the term “telehealth”, etc. HP 02/20/2023 Favorable BI RC	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 0
2	SB 112 Harrell (Identical H 183)	Step-therapy Protocols; Defining the term “serious mental illness”; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to approve drug products for Medicaid recipients for the treatment of serious mental illness without step-therapy prior authorization under certain circumstances, etc. HP 02/20/2023 Fav/CS AHS FP	Fav/CS Yeas 11 Nays 0
3	SB 218 Harrell (Identical H 117)	Genetic Counselors Using Telehealth; Revising the definition of the term “telehealth provider” to include persons licensed as genetic counselors, etc. HP 02/20/2023 Favorable JU RC	Favorable Yeas 11 Nays 0
4	SB 230 Harrell (Similar H 583)	Health Care Practitioner Titles and Abbreviations; Defining the terms “advertisement” and “deceptive or misleading terms or false representation”; specifying which titles and abbreviations health care practitioners may use in their advertisements, communications, and personal identification; requiring health care practitioners to disclose specified information and use only authorized titles and abbreviations in their advertisements; requiring health care practitioners who treat patients in person to wear a badge or clothing that clearly discloses specified information, etc. HP 02/20/2023 Fav/CS RC	Fav/CS Yeas 10 Nays 1

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5	SB 274 Avila (Identical H 517)	Nursing Education Pathway for Military Combat Medics; Revising a primary goal of the Florida Center for Nursing to provide that development of a statewide plan for nursing manpower must include the encouragement and coordination of the development of partnerships with hospitals which provide opportunities for nursing students to obtain clinical experience; requiring that the Articulation Coordinating Committee convene a workgroup to establish a process for determining postsecondary course equivalencies and the minimum postsecondary credit or career education clock hours that must be awarded in accredited nursing education programs for military training and education required for service in specified positions; authorizing the award of additional postsecondary credit or career education clock hours, etc. HE 02/08/2023 Favorable HP 02/20/2023 Favorable RC	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0
6	SB 452 Harrell (Similar H 391)	Home Health Aides for Medically Fragile Children; Requiring home health agencies to ensure that any tasks delegated to home health aides for medically fragile children meet specified requirements; establishing the home health aides for medically fragile children program for specified purposes; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration, in consultation with the Board of Nursing, to approve training programs for home health aides for medically fragile children; authorizing home health aides for medically fragile children to administer certain medications under certain circumstances, etc. HP 02/20/2023 Favorable AHS FP	Favorable Yeas 10 Nays 0

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