

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

HEALTH POLICY
Senator Burton, Chair
Senator Harrell, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Tuesday, November 18, 2025

TIME: 10:00 a.m.—12:00 noon

PLACE: Pat Thomas Committee Room, 412 Knott Building

MEMBERS: Senator Burton, Chair; Senator Harrell, Vice Chair; Senators Berman, Calatayud, Davis, Gaetz, Leek, Osgood, Passidomo, and Trumbull

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SB 40 Sharief (Identical H 163)	Medicaid Providers; Requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to include specified requirements in its contracts with Medicaid managed care plans; defining the term “outside of regular business hours”, etc. HP 11/18/2025 Favorable AHS FP	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0
2	SB 68 Harrell (Similar H 355)	Health Care Patient Protection; Requiring hospitals with emergency departments to develop and implement policies and procedures and conduct training; authorizing a hospital with an emergency department to conduct the National Pediatric Readiness Project’s Open Assessment under certain circumstances; requiring the Agency for Health Care Administration to adopt certain rules for comprehensive emergency management plans, etc. HP 11/18/2025 Favorable AHS FP	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0
3	SB 154 Harrell (Similar H 151)	Mobile Opportunity by Interstate Licensure Endorsement Act; Revising the list of persons ineligible for a license by endorsement under the act, etc. HP 11/18/2025 Favorable AHS RC	Favorable Yeas 8 Nays 0

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4	SB 254 Harrell (Compare H 121)	Nursing Education Programs; Requiring the Department of Health to issue temporary provisional licenses to graduate registered nurses and graduate licensed practical nurses; revising application requirements for nursing education program approval; requiring the Florida Center for Nursing to develop graduate nursing preceptorship standards by a specified date; authorizing agents or employees of the department to conduct onsite evaluations and inspections of approved and accredited nursing education programs, etc. HP 11/18/2025 Favorable AHS FP	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 1
5	Review of Health Care Practitioner Interstate Licensure Compacts by the Office of Program Policy Analysis and Government Accountability (OPPAGA)		Presented
Other Related Meeting Documents			