

FCEP Session 2010 Top Priority

2/16/2010

Sorted by Bill Number

Bill	Title	Sponsor	Summary	Committee of Reference	Actions	Priority/Importance/Position
0007	Relating to Coverage for Mental and Nervous Disorders	Homan	Coverage for Mental and Nervous Disorders: Revises requirements & limitations for optional coverage for mental & nervous disorders; repeals provisions relating to optional coverage required for substance abuse impaired persons; provides for application. Effective Date: January 1, 2011, and shall apply to policies and contracts issued or renewed on or after that date	Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	10/1/2009 HOUSE Now in Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0037	Relating to Health Care Services	Plakon	Health Care Services: Proposes creation of s. 28, Art. X of State Constitution to prohibit laws or rules from compelling any person, employer, or health care provider to participate in any health care system; permit person or employer to purchase lawful health care services directly from health care provider; permit health care provider to accept direct payment from person or employer for lawful health care services; exempt persons, employers, & health care providers from penalties & fines for paying or accepting direct payment for lawful health care services; permit purchase or sale of health insurance in private health care systems; & specifies what amendment does not affect or prohibit. Effective Date: Not Specified	Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	10/1/2009 HOUSE Now in Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0041	Relating to Use of an Electronic Wireless Communications Device While Driving	Holder	Use of an Electronic Wireless Communications Device While Driving: Prohibits operation of moving motor vehicle while reading, manually writing or typing, or sending message on electronic wireless communications device; provides exceptions & penalties. Effective Date: October 1, 2010	Roads, Bridges & Ports Policy Committee	2/10/2010 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Roads, Bridges & Ports Policy Committee, 02/17/10, 9:00 am, 404 H - Workshop	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.

0072	Relating to Health Care Services	Baker	Health Care Services [SPSC]; Proposes the creation of Section 28 of Article X of the State Constitution, relating to health care services.	Health Regulation	2/8/2010 SENATE On Committee agenda - Health Regulation, 02/18/10, 8:00 am, 412 K	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0107	Relating to Autism	Coley	Autism: Requires that physician refer minor to appropriate specialist for screening for autism spectrum disorder; requires certain insurers & HMOs to provide direct patient access to appropriate specialist for minimum number of visits per year for screening, evaluation, or diagnosis of autism spectrum disorder. Effective Date: July 1, 2010	Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	10/12/2009 HOUSE Now in Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0117	Relating to Childhood Vaccinations	Ambler	Childhood Vaccinations: Revises requirements for administration of certain vaccines required for school entry; requires licensed health care providers to provide certain vaccine information statements to parents, legal guardians, & legal representatives before administration of certain vaccines to children; requires health care providers to obtain signed statements from parents, legal guardians, & legal representatives documenting that vaccine information statements are provided; specifies required contents of signed statements; requires health care providers to record batch & lot number of each vaccine on signed statements; requires health care providers to maintain certain records; provides for application of act to certain vaccine information statements; authorizes use of single signed statement for administration of multiple vaccines under certain circumstances. Effective Date: July 1, 2010	Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	2/9/2010 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Health Care Regulation Policy Committee, 02/16/10, 9:00 am, 17 H	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.

0135	Relating to Practice of Optometry	Reagan	Practice of Optometry: Authorizes Board of Optometry to adopt rules for administration & prescription of oral ocular pharmaceutical agents; authorizes certified optometrists to administer & prescribe oral ocular pharmaceutical agents under certain circumstances; revises requirements for certified optometrist formulary of ocular pharmaceutical agents; revises qualifications of certain members of formulary committee; prohibits committee from reviewing requests or issuing advisory opinions or recommendations regarding oral ocular pharmaceutical agents; requires formulary to include certain oral ocular pharmaceutical agents; prohibits board from adding to, deleting from, or modifying formulary with respect to oral ocular pharmaceutical agents; revises definition to specify that certified optometrists are practitioners for purposes of Florida Comprehensive Drug Abuse Prevention & Control Act; prohibits certified optometrists from administering & prescribing certain controlled substances. Effective Date: July 1, 2010	Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	10/12/2009 HOUSE Now in Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0145	Relating to Emergency Room Staffing Initiative	Ambler	Emergency Room Staffing Initiative: Urges Congress to create nationwide Emergency Room Staffing Initiative. Effective Date: Not Specified	Health & Family Services Policy Council	10/26/2009 HOUSE Now in Health & Family Services Policy Council	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.

0163	Relating to Prepaid Wireless Telecommunications Service	Gibbons	Prepaid Wireless Telecommunications Service: Revises powers & duties of Technology Program within Department of Management Services & E911 Board to include receiving & managing funds received from fee imposed on prepaid wireless telecommunications service; imposes prepaid wireless E911 fee on each retail transaction in this state for prepaid wireless telecommunications service; provides for adjustment of fee; directs DOR to establish procedures for seller to document that sale is not retail transaction; provides for seller to remit funds to DOR; directs DOR to establish registration & payment procedures; provides for audit & appeal procedures; provides for use of fees collected; prohibits local governmental agency from levying fee or additional fee on providers & sellers for provision of E911 service; limits seller's liability for damages in connection with provision of 911 or E911 service; limits seller's liability for damages for providing assistance to law enforcement agency. Effective Date: July 1, 2010	Energy & Utilities Policy Committee	10/26/2009 HOUSE Referred to Energy & Utilities Policy Committee; Finance & Tax Council; Government Operations Appropriations Committee; General Government Policy Council	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0168	Relating to State Uniform Traffic Control/Electronic Devices	Altman	State Uniform Traffic Control/Electronic Devices [CPSC]; Prohibits the use of electronic communication devices to send or receive text-based communications while operating a motor vehicle. Provides exceptions. Provides for enforcement. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Transportation	12/9/2009 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Communications, Energy, and Public Utilities; Transportation and Economic Development Appropriations	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0182	Relating to Coverage for Mental and Nervous Disorders	Crist	Coverage for Mental and Nervous Disorders [CPSC]; Revises requirements and limitations for optional coverage for mental and nervous disorders. Specifies nonapplication under certain circumstances. Conforms a cross-reference. Repeals specified provision relating to optional coverage required for substance abuse impaired persons. Provides for application. EFFECTIVE DATE: 01/01/2011.	Banking and Insurance	12/9/2009 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Health Regulation; General Government Appropriations; Policy & Steering Committee on Ways and Means	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.

0188	Relating to Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioners	Bennett	Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioners [SPSC]; Redefines the term "practitioner" for purposes of the Florida Comprehensive Drug Abuse Prevention and Control Act to include advanced registered nurse practitioners. EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon becoming law.	Health Regulation	12/9/2009 SENATE Referred to Health Regulation; Criminal Justice	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0214	Relating to Autism	Ring	Autism [SPSC]; Requires that a physician refer a minor to an appropriate specialist for screening for autism spectrum disorder under certain circumstances. Requires certain insurers and HMOs to provide direct patient access to an appropriate specialist for a minimum number of visits per year for the screening, evaluation, or diagnosis of autism spectrum disorder, etc. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Health Regulation	12/9/2009 SENATE Referred to Health Regulation; Banking and Insurance; Policy & Steering Committee on Ways and Means	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0217	Relating to Child-Restraint Requirements	Glorioso	Child-Restraint Requirements: Provides child-restraint requirements for children 4-7 years old; provides exceptions; redefines term "motor vehicle" to exclude certain vehicles from such requirements; provides grace period. Effective Date: July 1, 2010	No Current Committee	10/29/2009 HOUSE Withdrawn prior to introduction	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0218	Relating to Medical Expenses/Inmates/County or Municipality	Jones (D)	Medical Expenses/Inmates/County or Municipality [EPSC]; Requires that payments made by a county or municipality to a provider for certain services for an arrested person be made at a certain percentage of the Medicare allowable rate. Provides that this maximum allowable rate does not apply to payments for emergency services provided by emergency room physicians. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Health Regulation	2/8/2010 SENATE Now in Health Regulation	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.

0219	Relating to Enforcement of Immigration Laws	Adams	<p>Enforcement of Immigration Laws: Designates act "Florida Security and Immigration Compliance Act"; prohibits agencies from entering into contract for services with contractors not registered &amp; participating in federal work authorization program by specified date; provides for enforcement; provides schedule for phased compliance; requires Chief of Domestic Security to negotiate terms of memorandum of understanding between state &amp; certain Federal Government entities concerning specified matters related to immigration; provides for establishment of law enforcement training standards &amp; creation of training programs contingent upon federal funding; provides requirements &amp; procedures with respect to determination of lawful immigration status of persons charged with crime &amp; confined to county or municipal detention facility; requires agencies to verify lawful presence in U.S. of applicants for specified state, local, &amp; federal public benefits; requires BOG to set forth policies regarding postsecondary education benefits; provides penalty for knowingly &amp; willfully making false, fictitious, or fraudulent statement or representation in affidavit attesting to citizenship or permanent legal residency. Effective Date: July 1, 2010</p>	Governmental Affairs Policy Committee	<p>11/2/2009 HOUSE  Referred to Governmental Affairs Policy Committee; Policy Council; Full Appropriations Council on Education &amp; Economic Development; Economic Development &amp; Community Affairs Policy Council</p>	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0222	Relating to Childhood Vaccinations	Ring	<p>Childhood Vaccinations [SPSC]; Requires a pediatrician or attending physician to discuss the risks, benefits, and alternatives of each vaccination before a child is vaccinated. Provides requirements for the administration of certain vaccines required for school entry. Requires licensed health care providers to provide certain vaccine information statements to parents, legal guardians, and legal representatives before administering certain vaccines to children, etc. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.</p>	Health Regulation	<p>12/9/2009 SENATE  Referred to Health Regulation; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Policy &amp; Steering Committee on Ways and Means</p>	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.

0225	Relating to Dispensing of Controlled Substances	Legg	Dispensing of Controlled Substances: Prohibits registered dispensing practitioners from dispensing more than specified amount of certain controlled substances; provides exception. Effective Date: July 1, 2010	Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	2/2/2010 HOUSE Temporarily postponed by Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0291	Relating to Provider Contracts	Ford	Provider Contracts: Proscribes specified fee setting provisions in patient services contracts between health care practitioners & health insurers, prepaid limited health service organizations, or health maintenance organizations. Effective Date: July 1, 2010	Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	11/16/2009 HOUSE Referred to Health Care Regulation Policy Committee; Insurance, Business & Financial Affairs Policy Committee; Government Operations Appropriations Committee; General Government Policy Council	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0294	Relating to Mark Wandall Traffic Safety Act	Bennett	Mark Wandall Traffic Safety Act [WPSC]; Creates the Mark Wandall Traffic Safety Program to be administered by the DOT. Requires a county or municipality to enact an ordinance in order to use a traffic infraction detector to identify a motor vehicle that fails to stop at a traffic control signal steady red light. Provides that the registered owner of the motor vehicle involved in the violation is responsible and liable for payment of the fine assessed, etc. EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon becoming law.	Transportation	12/9/2009 SENATE Referred to Transportation; Criminal Justice; Community Affairs; Policy & Steering Committee on Ways and Means	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0302	Relating to Health Care/Provider Contracts	Jones (D)	Health Care/Provider Contracts [CPSC]; Prohibits certain provider contracts from containing a provision that requires health care practitioners to provide services to subscribers at a fee set by the health insurer, prepaid limited health service organization, or HMO unless the services are covered under an applicable subscriber agreement. Defines the term "covered services." Provides for application. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Banking and Insurance	12/9/2009 SENATE Referred to Banking and Insurance; Commerce; Health Regulation; Policy & Steering Committee on Ways and Means	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.

0308	Relating to Disorders/Ability to Operate a Motor Vehicle	Wise	Disorders/Ability to Operate a Motor Vehicle [SPSC]; Requires a physician or person having knowledge of a licensed driver's or applicant's mental or physical disability to drive or need to wear a medical identification bracelet to report such knowledge to the HSMV, etc. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Transportation	1/28/2010 SENATE Reference removed: Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Reference added: Judiciary; Remaining references: Transportation; Judiciary; Policy & Steering Committee on Ways and Means	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0316	Relating to Child-restraint Requirements/Motor Vehicles	Altman	Child-restraint Requirements/Motor Vehicles [CPSC]; Provides child-restraint requirements for certain children ages 4 through 7. Provides certain exceptions. Redefines the term "motor vehicle" to exclude certain vehicles from such requirements. Provides a grace period. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010 except as otherwise provided.	Criminal Justice	2/8/2010 SENATE Now in Criminal Justice	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0319	Relating to Medical Expenses of Inmates Paid by a County or Municipality	Hooper	Medical Expenses of Inmates Paid by a County or Municipality: Requires that payments made by county or municipality to provider for certain services for an arrested person be made at state's Medicaid rate. Effective Date: July 1, 2010	Public Safety & Domestic Security Policy Committee	2/9/2010 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Public Safety & Domestic Security Policy Committee, 02/16/10, 10:15 am, 404 H	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0323	Relating to Use of an Electronic Communications Device While Driving	Long	Use of an Electronic Communications Device While Driving: Prohibits composing, sending, reading, or viewing text message on electronic communications device while operating motor vehicle; provides exceptions; provides for construction; provides penalties. Effective Date: July 1, 2010	Roads, Bridges & Ports Policy Committee	2/10/2010 HOUSE On Committee agenda - Roads, Bridges & Ports Policy Committee, 02/17/10, 9:00 am, 404 H - Workshop	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Position not specified.

0330	Relating to Optometry/Oral and Topical Pharmaceutical Agents	Bennett	Optometry/Oral and Topical Pharmaceutical Agents [SPSC]; Authorizes the Board of Optometry to adopt rules for the administration and prescription of oral ocular pharmaceutical agents. Prohibits the board from adding to, deleting from, or modifying the formulary with respect to oral ocular pharmaceutical agents. Prohibits certified optometrists from administering and prescribing certain controlled substances, etc. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Health and Human Services Appropriations	2/8/2010 SENATE Now in Health and Human Services Appropriations	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0373	Relating to Pain-Management Clinics	Abruzzo	Pain-Management Clinics: Prohibits person from owning or operating pain-management clinic unless he or she is physician with clear & active license to practice in Florida; provides that pain-management clinic may not be owned by, employ, or contract with certain physicians or certain persons; prohibits person from prescribing or dispensing any medication on premises of pain-management clinic unless he or she is licensed physician; provides exception for licensed pharmacist. Effective Date: July 1, 2010	Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	12/18/2009 HOUSE Referred to Health Care Regulation Policy Committee; Health & Family Services Policy Council	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0377	Relating to Nursing Services	Brisé	Nursing Services: Requires hospitals to establish nurse staffing collaborative councils; requires council to produce annual hospital nurse staffing plans; requires chief nurse executive to communicate with council to ensure appropriate implementation of nurse staffing plan; requires council to conduct semiannual review of nurse staffing plan; requires nurse staffing plan to be reviewed with nursing personnel. Effective Date: July 1, 2010	Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	12/18/2009 HOUSE Referred to Health Care Regulation Policy Committee; Health Care Appropriations Committee; Health & Family Services Policy Council	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Support.

0509	Relating to Blood Establishments	Tobia	Blood Establishments: Requires blood establishments to report certain financial information to AHCA; requires blood establishments to identify suppliers, sources, costs, destinations, & pricing structure of inventory of blood products; provides for fee; revises definition of term "blood establishment"; authorizes agency to adopt rules. Effective Date: upon becoming a law	Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	1/15/2010 HOUSE Now in Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Position not specified.
0573	Relating to Physician Assistants	Kreegel	Physician Assistants: Deletes requirements that physician assistants file evidence of certain clinical experience before prescribing or dispensing medication; requires applicants for licensure as physician assistants to remit applications in specified format, submit fingerprints, & undergo statewide & national criminal history checks; requires DOH to allow electronic submission of fingerprints; authorizes DOH to contract for electronic fingerprint collection & imaging; requires that applicants pay cost of criminal history checks; requires DOH to refer physician assistant license applicants with criminal histories to Board of Medicine or Board of Osteopathic Medicine for licensure determination; authorizes electronic submission of applications & other required documentation. Effective Date: July 1, 2010	Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	1/20/2010 HOUSE Referred to Health Care Regulation Policy Committee; Health Care Appropriations Committee; Health & Family Services Policy Council	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Position not specified.
0616	Relating to Prescription Drug Monitoring Program	Ring	Prescription Drug Monitoring Program [SPSC]; Requires that the confidential and exempt information in the program database which is disclosed to the Attorney General or a law enforcement agency by the Department of Health be disclosed pursuant to a search warrant based upon probable cause. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Health Regulation	2/8/2010 SENATE On Committee agenda - Health Regulation, 02/18/10, 8:00 am, 412 K	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.

0646	Relating to Pain-management Clinics	Aronberg	Pain-management Clinics [SPSC]; Prohibits a person from owning or operating a pain-management clinic unless he or she is a physician licensed in this state. Requires a physician's license to be clear and active to own or operate a pain-management clinic. Provides that a pain-management clinic may not be owned by or employ a physician who has been disciplined by the Board of Medicine or the Board of Osteopathic Medicine for dependency on drugs or alcohol, etc. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Health Regulation	12/17/2009 SENATE Referred to Health Regulation; Criminal Justice; Health and Human Services Appropriations	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Position not specified.
0652	Relating to Reproductive Health Services/Rape Survivors	Rich	Reproductive Health Services/Rape Survivors [SPSC]; Creates the "Prevention First Act." Provides duties of licensed health care practitioners and facilities relating to the treatment of rape survivors. Requires the Agency for Health Care Administration to provide for enforcement and impose penalties. Requires licensed pharmacies to dispense certain forms of contraception without delay. Specifies conditions under which a pharmacy may refuse to provide a contraceptive, etc. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Health Regulation	12/17/2009 SENATE Referred to Health Regulation; Judiciary; Health and Human Services Appropriations	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Position not specified.
0682	Relating to Tax on Tobacco Products	Jones (D)	Tax on Tobacco Products [CPSC]; Expresses the legislative intent to revise laws relating to the tax on tobacco products. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Regulated Industries	12/17/2009 SENATE Referred to Regulated Industries; Finance and Tax; Policy & Steering Committee on Ways and Means; Rules	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Position not specified.
0696	Relating to Mental Health and Substance Abuse Treatment	Storms	Mental Health and Substance Abuse Treatment [SPSC]; Expresses the legislative intent to revise laws relating to mental health and substance abuse treatment. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Children, Families, and Elder Affairs	12/17/2009 SENATE Referred to Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Rules	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.

0698	Relating to Mental Health and Substance Abuse Treatment	Storms	Mental Health and Substance Abuse Treatment [SPSC]; Expresses the legislative intent to revise laws relating to mental health and substance abuse treatment. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Children, Families, and Elder Affairs	12/17/2009 SENATE Referred to Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Rules	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0748	Relating to Agency for Health Care Administration	Gaetz	Agency for Health Care Administration [SPSC]; Expresses the legislative intent to revise laws relating to the Agency for Health Care Administration. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Health Regulation	12/17/2009 SENATE Referred to Health Regulation; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Rules	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Support.
0750	Relating to Department of Health	Gaetz	Department of Health [SPSC]; Expresses the legislative intent to revise laws relating to the Department of Health. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Health Regulation	12/17/2009 SENATE Referred to Health Regulation; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Rules	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Support.
0752	Relating to Health Care Fraud	Gaetz	Health Care Fraud [SPSC]; Expresses the legislative intent to revise laws relating to health care fraud. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Health Regulation	12/17/2009 SENATE Referred to Health Regulation; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Rules	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Support.
0754	Relating to Medicaid	Gaetz	Medicaid [SPSC]; Expresses the legislative intent to revise laws relating to Medicaid. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Health Regulation	12/17/2009 SENATE Referred to Health Regulation; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Policy & Steering Committee on Ways and Means; Rules	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Support.
0756	Relating to Regulation of Health Care Facilities and Services	Gaetz	Regulation of Health Care Facilities and Services [SPSC]; Expresses the legislative intent to revise laws relating to the regulation of health care facilities and services. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Health Regulation	12/17/2009 SENATE Referred to Health Regulation; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Rules	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Support.

0758	Relating to Health Care Practitioners	Gaetz	Health Care Practitioners [SPSC]; Expresses the legislative intent to revise laws relating to health care practitioners. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Health Regulation	12/17/2009 SENATE Referred to Health Regulation; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Rules	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Support.
0760	Relating to Health Care	Gaetz	Health Care [SPSC]; Expresses the legislative intent to revise laws relating to health care. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Health Regulation	12/17/2009 SENATE Referred to Health Regulation; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Rules	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Support.
0762	Relating to Health Insurance	Gaetz	Health Insurance [SPSC]; Expresses the legislative intent to revise laws relating to health insurance. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Health Regulation	12/17/2009 SENATE Referred to Health Regulation; Banking and Insurance; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Rules	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Support.
0764	Relating to Public Health	Gaetz	Public Health [SPSC]; Expresses the legislative intent to revise laws relating to public health. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Health Regulation	12/17/2009 SENATE Referred to Health Regulation; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Rules	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Support.
0791	Relating to Emergency Health Care Providers	Renuart	Emergency Health Care Providers: Provides legislative findings & intent; provides that certain emergency health care providers are agents of state for purposes of sovereign immunity when acting pursuant to specified statutory obligations; requires certain indemnity for state from providers. Effective Date: upon becoming a law, and applies to any cause of action accruing on or after that date	Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	2/5/2010 HOUSE Referred to Health Care Regulation Policy Committee; Civil Justice & Courts Policy Committee; Health Care Appropriations Committee; Health & Family Services Policy Council	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Position not specified.

0793	Relating to Cardiology Services	Renuart	Cardiology Services: Requires EMS providers to transport certain cardiac patients to most appropriate facility; requires each medical director of EMS provider to develop & implement certain protocols for cardiac patients; provides exemption; requires DOH to provide opportunities & resources to EMS providers to secure appropriate equipment for cardiac patient identification; authorizes medical directors to determine appropriate transport locations for patients; requires participation by certain hospitals. Effective Date: July 1, 2010	Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	2/5/2010 HOUSE Referred to Health Care Regulation Policy Committee; Health Care Appropriations Committee; Health & Family Services Policy Council	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0804	Relating to Pain-management Clinics	Gelber	Pain-management Clinics [SPSC]; Requires privately owned pain-management clinics to be registered with the Department of Health by a specified date. Prohibits a physician from practicing in a pain-management clinic that is not registered with the DOH. Requires the DOH to submit fingerprints of an applicant for initial registration or renewal of a registration to the FDLE and the FBI for a criminal record check, etc. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Health Regulation	12/17/2009 SENATE Referred to Health Regulation; Criminal Justice; Health and Human Services Appropriations	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
0830	Relating to Health Care Provider/Immunity From Civil Liability	Bennett	Health Care Provider/Immunity From Civil Liability [SPSC]; Provides immunity from civil damages to health care providers providing emergency care or medical consultation services. Provides an exception. Provides for severability. Provides for retroactive application. EFFECTIVE DATE: 10/01/2010.	Health Regulation	12/17/2009 SENATE Referred to Health Regulation; Judiciary; Policy & Steering Committee on Social Responsibility	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.

0837	Relating to Medicaid Buy-in for Persons With Disabilities	Homan	Medicaid Buy-in for Persons With Disabilities: Provides for Medicaid eligibility for certain persons with disabilities under Medicaid buy-in program, subject to specific federal authorization; requires AHCA to seek amendments to specified Medicaid waivers for certain persons with disabilities. Effective Date: July 1, 2010	Health Care Regulation Policy Committee	2/10/2010 HOUSE Referred to Health Care Regulation Policy Committee; Health Care Appropriations Committee; Health & Family Services Policy Council	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Position not specified.
0912	Relating to Clinical Perfusionists	Peaden, Jr.	Clinical Perfusionists [SPSC]; Specifies financial responsibility requirements for clinical perfusionists. Requires a supervising physician to be qualified in the medical area in which the clinical perfusionist performs. Prescribes duties of a clinical perfusionist. Prohibits a clinical perfusionist from prescribing, ordering, compounding, or dispensing certain drugs or medical devices. Provides certification requirements, etc. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Health Regulation	1/14/2010 SENATE Referred to Health Regulation; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Health and Human Services Appropriations	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Position not specified.
0958	Relating to Electronic Health Information	Ring	Electronic Health Information [SPSC]; Requires the State Consumer Health Information and Policy Advisory Council to develop the AHCA's strategic plan relating to electronic health records. Requires the AHCA to develop a uniform enterprise integration agreement. Requires the ACHA to coordinate with regional extension centers and develop guidelines for center services and Medicaid participation and use of such services, etc. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Health Regulation	1/14/2010 SENATE Referred to Health Regulation; Banking and Insurance; Governmental Oversight and Accountability; Health and Human Services Appropriations	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.

1002	Relating to Medicaid	Lawson Jr.	Medicaid [WPSC]; Requires each managed care organization to certify to the Agency for Health Care Administration its medical loss ratio and the medical loss ratio for its subcontractors. Provides requirements for the reporting of the medical loss ratios. Requires the managed care organization to pay a certain amount to the agency if the certified medical loss ratio is less than a specified ratio. Requires that fines collected supplement the agency's Medicaid budget, etc. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Health Regulation	1/14/2010 SENATE Referred to Health Regulation; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Policy & Steering Committee on Ways and Means	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Position not specified.
1050	Relating to Methamphetamine Pharmaceutical Products/Sale	Baker	Methamphetamine Pharmaceutical Products/Sale [SPSC]; Prohibits the retail sale of more than a specified amount of ephedrine base, pseudoephedrine base, or phenylpropanolamine base contained in a scheduled listed chemical product. Provides criminal penalties. Requires each seller of scheduled listed chemical products to maintain a logbook to record sales. Provides for a methamphetamine monitoring system within the Department of Law Enforcement, etc. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Criminal Justice	1/21/2010 SENATE Referred to Criminal Justice; Health Regulation; Judiciary; Criminal and Civil Justice Appropriations	: Top Priority. / High Importance. / Position not specified.

1140	Relating to Mental Health	Fasano	Mental Health [WPSC]; Creates the Community Mental Health and Substance Abuse Treatment and Crime Reduction Act. Requires the DCFS, in consultation with the AHCA, to develop and implement a community mental health and substance abuse forensic treatment system. Adds home and community based mental health services to the optional Medicaid services offered by the state Medicaid program. Provides for forensic evaluator training for mental health experts, etc. EFFECTIVE DATE: 07/01/2010.	Children, Families, and Elder Affairs	1/21/2010 SENATE Referred to Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Criminal Justice; Health Regulation; Health and Human Services Appropriations; Policy & Steering Committee on Ways and Means	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.
1474	Relating to Relating to Emergency Health Care Providers	Thrasher	Emergency Health Care Providers [SPSC]; Provides legislative findings and intent. Provides that certain emergency health care providers are agents of the state for purposes of sovereign immunity when acting pursuant to specified statutory obligations. Requires certain indemnity for the state from providers. Provides penalties, definitions, and applicability. EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon becoming law.	Health Regulation	2/3/2010 SENATE Referred to Health Regulation; Banking and Insurance; Judiciary; Health and Human Services Appropriations	: Top Priority. / Importance not specified. / Position not specified.