



Bill Status Report

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Track: Family Physicians

HB 46	Mills	Reorganizes Schedules I, II, III, and V of the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Law to make those provisions consistent with federal law.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	04-09-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Judiciary (B)
HB 53	Mills	Provides relative to emergency health care rendered by health care providers during a state of emergency.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	04-15-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Welfare
HB 70	Lorusso	Revises definitions under the private Medical Malpractice Act.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LAPA, LOA
	Bill History:	04-22-08 H Set on the House Orders
HB 99	Jones, R.	Requires health insurance coverage of the human papillomavirus vaccine.
	Companions:	HB 357 (Very Similar)
	Track Code(s):	LAFP
	Bill History:	04-16-08 H Meeting set for 9:30 A.M. RM. 2 House Insurance
HB 102	Edwards	Increases the prescription period for delictual actions.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	03-12-08 H Referred to House Committee on House Civil Law
HB 154	Mills	Authorizes the Department of Health and Hospitals to determine that a Medicaid provider is out of business.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	04-21-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Welfare
HB 155	Katz	Makes changes to the facility need review process relating to the approval of nursing facilities.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA

		Bill History: 04-21-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Welfare
HB 178	Gisclair	Requires students to be vaccinated against meningococcal disease as a condition of entry into the ninth grade in public schools.
		Track Code(s): LAFP
		Bill History: 04-16-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education
HB 184	Katz	Provides for the electronic filing of student immunization compliance reports for elementary and secondary schools.
		Track Code(s): LAFP, LOA
		Bill History: 04-15-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Education
HB 193	Katz	Provides for medical malpractice coverage for physicians who offer voluntary telemedicine services for the Department of Health and Hospitals.
		Track Code(s): LAFP, LOA
		Bill History: 04-22-08 H Set on the House Orders
HB 202	Katz	Requires Medicaid claims in settlements to be considered after attorney fees.
		Track Code(s): LAFP, LOA
		Bill History: 04-21-08 H Meeting set for 9:00 A.M. RM. 2 House Civil Law
HB 205	Mills	Makes changes to the La. Pharmacy Practice Act.
		Track Code(s): LAFP
		Bill History: 04-15-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Welfare
HB 215	Foil	Provides for qualifications of medical expert witnesses in certain medical malpractice actions.
		Track Code(s): LAFP, LOA
		Bill History: 04-22-08 H Set on the House Orders
HB 217	Foil	Provides relative to fees paid for copying medical records.
		Track Code(s): INS, LAFP, LOA
		Bill History: 04-29-08 H Meeting set for 9:00 A.M. RM. 2 House Civil Law
HB 271	Katz	Allows the Department of Health and Hospitals to use the market value of certain annuities to determine eligibility to participate in the Medicaid Long Term Care program.
		Track Code(s): LAFP
		Bill History: 04-23-08 H Set on the House Orders
HB 275	Ligi	Provides relative to rules of evidence and procedure in workers' compensation hearings.
		Track Code(s): INS, LAFP
		Bill History: 04-23-08 H Committee hearing cancelled House Labor and

		Industrial Relations
HB 291	Barrow	Requires the Department of Health and Hospitals to create a pilot program to provide pre-term labor management services for Medicaid eligible women with high-risk pregnancies.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP
	Bill History:	04-30-08 H Meeting set for 9:30 A.M. RM. 5 House Health and Welfare
HB 357	LaFonta	Requires health insurance coverage of the human papillomavirus vaccine.
	Companions:	HB 99 (Very Similar)
	Track Code(s):	LAFP
	Bill History:	04-21-08 H Committee hearing cancelled House Insurance
HB 362	Geymann	Directs the DHH to seek a Medicaid waiver exempting certain nursing homes from paying a provider fee.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	04-23-08 H Recommitted House Appropriations
HB 378	Armes	Provides relative to noncomplex health procedures performed by certain school employees.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP
	Bill History:	04-24-08 H Passed (Vote: Y: 98/N: 0)
HB 414	Kleckley	Creates a prescription period for relief against preferred provider organizations.
	Companions:	HB 575 (Identical)
	Track Code(s):	LAFP
	Bill History:	03-19-08 H Withdrawn
HB 466	Richard	Repeals an exception to the La. Smokefree Air Act which allows smoking in certain areas of nursing homes.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP
	Bill History:	04-24-08 H Set on the House Orders
HB 469	Katz	Authorizes the DHH to develop a prescription drug discount program for the low-income uninsured.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP
	Bill History:	03-19-08 H Referred to House Committee on House Health and Welfare
HB 533	Hines	Requires the distribution of free medication samples to patient prior to prescribing.
	Position:	Opposed
	Track Code(s):	LAFP(Oppose), LOA
	Bill History:	04-22-08 H Committee hearing cancelled House Health and Welfare

HB 555	Kleckley	Provides for limitations on filing claims as relates to the claims-made insurance and claims-made Patient's Compensation Fund.
	Companions:	SB 302 (Identical)
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	04-30-08 H Meeting set for 9:30 A.M. RM. 2 House Insurance
HB 575	Ponti	Creates a prescriptive period for relief against preferred provider organizations.
	Companions:	HB 414 (Identical)
	Track Code(s):	LAFP
	Bill History:	03-20-08 H Referred to House Committee on House Civil Law
HB 640	Lorusso	Provides for the qualifications of physicians as expert witnesses in medical malpractice actions.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP
	Bill History:	03-20-08 H Referred to House Committee on House Civil Law
HB 658	Lorusso	Provides procedures for certain malpractice claims.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	03-20-08 H Referred to House Committee on House Civil Law
HB 664	Edwards	Provides an increase for the medical malpractice cap based on the Consumer Price Index.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	03-20-08 H Referred to House Committee on House Civil Law
HB 689	Edwards	Excludes economic loss from medical malpractice cap.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	03-20-08 H Referred to House Committee on House Civil Law
HB 691	Talbot	Provides for changes to the Louisiana Health Plan.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP
	Bill History:	04-15-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Insurance
HB 826	Lorusso	(Constitutional Amendment) Provides relative to medical malpractice claims.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	03-21-08 H Referred to House Committee on House Civil Law
HB 856	Armes	Conditions the issuance of a license to an acute care hospital on providing emergency room services in certain rural areas.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	05-01-08 H Meeting set for 9:30 A.M. RM. 5 House Health and Welfare

HB 881	Lorusso	Provides relative to medical malpractice actions.
	Track Code(s):	(nc), LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	03-21-08 H Referred to House Committee on House Civil Law
HB 884	LaBruzzo	Requires the state to pay a portion of medical malpractice costs in certain circumstances.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	03-21-08 H Referred to House Committee on House Appropriations
HB 887	LaBruzzo	Provides relative to limiting medical malpractice recovery in certain circumstances.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	04-22-08 H Set on the House Orders
HB 894	Katz	Provides for licensing of community-based services providers, relative to health care.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	03-21-08 H Referred to House Committee on House Health and Welfare
HB 895	Greene	Provides relative to certification of completeness of health care records.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	04-29-08 H Meeting set for 9:00 A.M. RM. 2 House Civil Law
HB 896	Hines	Prohibits the display of any pharmaceutical advertisements in a health care facility.
	Position:	Opposed
	Track Code(s):	LAFP(Oppose), LOA
	Bill History:	04-22-08 H Committee hearing cancelled House Health and Welfare
HB 897	Gallot	Requires the Department of Health and Hospitals to consider the impact of standards on rural hospitals.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP
	Bill History:	04-16-08 H Meeting set for 9:30 A.M. RM. 5 House Health and Welfare
HB 922	Henderson	Allows a physician on the board of commissioners of a hospital service district to engage in certain transactions and to own an interest in entities that engage in certain transactions.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP
	Bill History:	04-24-08 H Set on the House Orders
HB 925	Cortez	Requires reimbursement for certain services performed by licensed marriage and family therapists.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP

		Bill History: 04-23-08 H Set on the House Orders
HB 972	Ellington	Creates the Health Information Technology and Infrastructure Advisory Committee.
		Track Code(s): BLS, LAFP
		Bill History: 04-30-08 H Meeting set for 9:30 A.M. RM. 5 House Health and Welfare
HB 1071	Ellington	Establishes a program to fund forgiveness of student loans for physicians in rural areas.
		Track Code(s): LAFP
		Bill History: 04-21-08 H Committee hearing cancelled House Health and Welfare
HB 1109	Fannin	Ancillary appropriations for operating expenses of the state for Fiscal Year 2008-2009.
		Track Code(s): LAFP, LSUA
		Bill History: 04-01-08 H Referred to House Committee on House Appropriations
HB 1186	LaBruzzo	Reduces the amount of malpractice claims for uninsured patients.
		Track Code(s): LAFP, LOA
		Bill History: 04-22-08 H Referred to House Committee on House Civil Law
HB 1242	Simon	Relative to the recruitment and retention of medical providers.
		Track Code(s): LAFP
		Bill History: 04-23-08 H Referred to House Committee on House Health and Welfare
HB 1265	Marchand	Provides for the reimbursement of certain physicians for diagnostic or consultative services provided via telemedicine.
		Track Code(s): LAFP
		Bill History: 04-23-08 H Referred to House Committee on House Insurance
HB 1268	Marchand	Authorizes the interstate practice of telemedicine.
		Track Code(s): LAFP
		Bill History: 05-01-08 H Meeting set for 9:30 A.M. RM. 5 House Health and Welfare
HB 1351	Roy	Limits third party access to a patient's medical or hospital records.
		Track Code(s): LAFP
		Bill History: 04-30-08 H Meeting set for 9:30 A.M. RM. 5 House Health and Welfare
SB 36	Dupre	Provides for the definition of rural hospital for purposes of the Rural Hospital Preservation Act.
		Track Code(s): LAFP

	Bill History:	04-24-08 S Set on the Senate Orders
SB 43	Mount	Provides for alternative remedies against health care providers. (gov sig)
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	03-17-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Welfare
SB 49	Cheek	Provides for the Uniform Emergency Volunteer Health Practitioners Act. (8/15/08)
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	03-17-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Welfare
SB 79	Cassidy	Provides with respect to qualifications of medical expert witnesses in medical malpractice actions against physicians. (gov sig)
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA(Neutral)
	Bill History:	04-22-08 S Meeting set for 9:30 A.M. John Hainkel Jr. ...Senate Judiciary (A)
SB 88	Chaisson	Authorizes parish governing authorities to provide certain per diem for members of the board of commissioners of hospital service districts in parishes with a certain population.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	04-15-08 S Recommitted Senate Local and Municipal Affairs
SB 126	Nevers	Requires school administrators to check students' records annually to ensure immunization enforcement. (8/15/08)
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	04-24-08 S Meeting set for At Adj. Hainkel Rm. Senate Education
SB 185	Marionneaux	Amends the Louisiana Clean Indoor Air Act to prohibit smoking in areas where food is served. (8/15/08)
	Track Code(s):	LAFP
	Bill History:	03-20-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Welfare
SB 186	Marionneaux	Extends the one year prescription for civil actions generally to two years. (8/15/08)
	Track Code(s):	FBI(Oppose), INS, LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	04-22-08 S Meeting set for 9:30 A.M. John Hainkel Jr. ...Senate Judiciary (A)
SB 217	Michot	Provides relative to burden of proof, jury charge and expert witness qualification in a malpractice action. (gov sig)
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	03-20-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Judiciary (A)
SB 222	Quinn	Creates the Asbestos and Silica Claims Medical Criteria Act. (8/15/08)

		Track Code(s): LAFP
SB 229	Mount	Bill History: 03-20-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Judiciary (A) Provides for health care facilities violations and penalties. (gov sig)
		Track Code(s): LAFP, LOA
SB 261	Jackson, L.	Bill History: 03-20-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Welfare Extends the sunset date of the Interagency Task Force on Family Medicine. (8/15/08)
		Track Code(s): LAFP
SB 269	McPherson	Bill History: 03-20-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Welfare Reorganizes the Louisiana Health Works Commission. (8/15/08)
		Track Code(s): LAFP
SB 287	Mount	Bill History: 03-20-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Welfare Provides for Louisiana health care consumers' right to know. (8/15/08)
		Track Code(s): LAFP
SB 301	Chaisson	Bill History: 04-28-08 H Set on the House Orders Provides immunity for certain medical personnel during evacuation or treatment of patients. (gov sig)
		Track Code(s): LAFP, LOA
SB 302	LaFleur	Bill History: 04-23-08 S Set on the Senate Orders Provides relative to claims-made insurance and claims-made patient's compensation fund coverage. (8/15/08)
		Companions: HB 555 (Identical)
		Track Code(s): LAFP, LOA
SB 307	Donahue	Bill History: 03-20-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Judiciary (A) Prohibits recovery for loss of enjoyment of life as a separate element of damages apart from pain and suffering damages and prohibits an instruction to the jury which separates loss of enjoyment of life from pain and suffering. (8/15/08)
		Track Code(s): FBI(Neutral), INS, LAFP, LOA
SB 309	Gray	Bill History: 03-20-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Judiciary (A) Creates and provides for the "Hospital Care Incentive Program." (gov sig)
		Track Code(s): LAFP
		Bill History: 03-20-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Welfare

SB 320	Cassidy	Constitutional amendment to authorize the legislature to determine limits for professional medical damages in medical and health care liability claims.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP
	Bill History:	03-20-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Judiciary (A)
SB 323	Thompson	Expands the definition of consent to medical treatment. (8/15/08)
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	04-24-08 S Set on the Senate Orders
SB 330	Chaisson	Provides relative to limitation of liability for medical services during a declared state of emergency. (gov sig)
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	04-22-08 S Meeting set for 9:30 A.M. John Hainkel Jr. ...Senate Judiciary (A)
SB 332	Thompson	Creates the Health Care Information Technology and Infrastructure Advisory Committee. (gov sig)
	Track Code(s):	BLS, LAFP
	Bill History:	04-23-08 S Meeting set for 9:00 A.M. John J. Hainkel Rm. Senate Health and Welfare
SB 337	Michot	Provides for uncompensated care hospital payments. (8/15/08)
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	03-21-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Welfare
SB 353	Gautreaux, N.	Limits liability of volunteer supervisory physicians at certain nonprofit centers. (gov sig)
	Track Code(s):	LAFP, LOA
	Bill History:	04-10-08 H Referred to House Committee on House Civil Law
SB 379	Thompson	Provides for the Rural Hospital Regulatory Impact Relief Act. (gov sig)
	Track Code(s):	LAFP
	Bill History:	04-23-08 S Meeting set for 9:00 A.M. John J. Hainkel Rm. Senate Health and Welfare
SB 401	Cassidy	Provides that Louisiana Medicaid use the same guidelines as employed by Centers of Medicaid and Medicare Services with regard to eligibility of newly formed organ transplant centers for payment for transplanted patients.
	Track Code(s):	LAFP
	Bill History:	03-21-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Welfare
SB 402	Cassidy	Provides for the allocation of uncompensated care payments. (gov sig)
	Track Code(s):	LAFP

		Bill History: 03-21-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Welfare
SB 418	Murray	Authorizes physicians at certain facilities to render opinions for purposes of social security disability determinations. (8/15/08)
		Track Code(s): LAFP
		Bill History: 03-21-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Welfare
SB 435	Mount	Provides for certain claims for Medicare patient co-payments. (8/15/08)
		Track Code(s): LAFP
		Bill History: 03-21-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Welfare
SB 464	Murray	Provides relative to health care arrangements provided to a health care consumer. (8/15/08)
		Track Code(s): LAFP, LOA
		Bill History: 03-31-08 S Recommitted Senate Insurance
SB 506	Mount	Authorizes the Department of Health and Hospitals and local governments to privatize forensic psychiatric services and facilities. (8/15/08)
		Track Code(s): LAFP
		Bill History: 03-21-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Welfare
SB 509	Michot	Revises definitions under the private Medical Malpractice Act. (gov sig)
		Track Code(s): LAFP, LOA
		Bill History: 03-21-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Judiciary (A)
SB 599	Gautreaux, N.	Prohibits a physician from referring a patient to an ancillary service provider in which the physician has an ownership interest. (8/15/08)
		Track Code(s): LAFP, LOA
		Bill History: 03-21-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Health and Welfare
SB 617	Murray	Provides relative to workers' compensation medical service agreements. (1/1/09)
		Track Code(s): LAFP
		Bill History: 03-21-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Labor and Industrial Relations
SB 652	Michot	Provides relative to the definitions and general applications of medical malpractice.
		Track Code(s): LAFP, LOA
		Bill History: 03-21-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Judiciary (A)
SB 661	Michot	Provides relative to the medical malpractice cap.

Track Code(s): LAFP, LOA

Bill History: 03-21-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Judiciary (A)

SB 664

Michot

Provides relative to medical malpractice claims.

Track Code(s): LAFP, LOA

Bill History: 03-21-08 S Referred to Senate Committee on Senate Judiciary (A)

SB 668

LaFleur

Provides relative to medical malpractice.

Track Code(s): LAFP, LOA

Bill History: 04-15-08 S Withdrawn

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