
Bill Number: [HB05001 - An Act Supporting Connecticut Seniors And The Improvement Of Nursing And Home-based Care.](#)
Summary: To support Connecticut seniors and the improvement of nursing and home-based care.
Last Action: Referred to Office of Legislative Research and Office of Fiscal Analysis 04/23/24 5:00 PM
Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [HB05046 - An Act Promoting Nursing Home Resident Quality Of Life.](#)
Summary: To implement the Governor's budget recommendations.
Last Action: Filed with Legislative Commissioners' Office
Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [HB05048 - An Act Adjusting The State Budget For The Biennium Ending June 30, 2025.](#)
Summary: To implement the Governor's budget recommendations.
Last Action: Appropriations Public Hearing (00:00:00 2/26/2024)
Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [HB05053 - An Act Concerning The Governor's Budget Recommendations For Health And Human Services.](#)
Summary: To implement the Governor's budget recommendations concerning public health and human services.
Last Action: Referred to Office of Legislative Research and Office of Fiscal Analysis 04/22/24 12:00 PM
Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [HB05058 - An Act Adopting The Nurse Licensure Compact.](#)
Summary: To implement the Governor's budget recommendations.
Last Action: House Passed as Amended by House Amendment Schedule A
Bill Progress: Crossed Over

Bill Number: [HB05164 - An Act Concerning Unemployment Benefits.](#)
Summary: To allow striking employees to access unemployment benefits after a period of two consecutive weeks of striking.
Last Action: File Number 78
Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [HB05198 - An Act Concerning Telehealth.](#)
Summary: To extend telehealth provisions adopted during the COVID-19 pandemic until June 30, 2027.
Last Action: House LCO Amendment #4005 (J) - House LCO Amendment #4005 (J)
Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [HB05200 - An Act Concerning Health Care Accessibility For Persons With A Disability.](#)
Summary: To expand access to medical diagnostic equipment and examination rooms for persons with a disability.
Last Action: House LCO Amendment #4037 (D) - House LCO Amendment #4037 (D)
Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [HB05210 - An Act Establishing An Elder Justice Unit In The Division Of Criminal Justice.](#)
Summary: To establish an elder justice unit in the Division of Criminal Justice.
Last Action: Referred by House to Committee on Appropriations
Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [HB05269 - An Act Concerning Noncompete Agreements.](#)
Summary: To prohibit the use of noncompete agreements and exclusivity agreements unless they meet certain requirements.
Last Action: Referred by House to Committee on Judiciary
Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [HB05290 - An Act Concerning The Department Of Public Health's Recommendations Regarding Various Revisions To The Public Health Statutes.](#)
Summary: To implement the Department of Public Health's recommendations regarding various revisions to the public health statutes.
Last Action: File Number 404
Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [HB05308 - An Act Concerning Absentee Voting For Certain Patients Of Nursing Homes.](#)
Summary: To allow an absentee ballot applicant, who is a patient in a nursing home within six days immediately preceding the close of the polls at an election, primary or referendum, to designate someone to deliver an absentee ballot to such applicant.
Last Action: File Number 407
Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [HB05316 - An Act Concerning The Office Of Health Strategy's Recommendations Regarding The Certificate Of Need Program.](#)
Summary: To amend the (1) definitions of "large group practice" and "group practice" relating to the certificate of need program, (2) size and composition of the type of group practices required to annually report to the Attorney General, (3) types of large group practice transfers of ownership and acquisition of medical equipment that require certificate of need approval, and (4) presumption in favor of certificate of need approval for certain large group practice transfers of ownership.
Last Action: File Number 327
Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [HB05319 - An Act Requiring A Plan Concerning Private Equity Firms Acquiring Or Holding An Ownership Interest In Health Care Facilities.](#)
Summary: To require the executive director of the Office of Health Strategies to develop a plan concerning private equity firms acquiring or holding an ownership interest in health care facilities in the state.
Last Action: File Number 446
Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [HB05366 - An Act Concerning Covenants Not To Compete In The Home Care Industry.](#)
Summary: To allow homemaker-companion agencies to contractually limit the ability of a homemaker-companion who has received paid training from such agency to engage in private service contracts with clients of the agency.
Last Action: File Number 281
Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [HB05373 - An Act Concerning Various Revisions To Human Services Statutes.](#)
Summary: To repeal obsolete statutory provisions, make technical statutory changes and replace an arbitration process with the right to appeal to a Superior Court.
Last Action: House LCO Amendment #3870 (D) - House LCO Amendment #3870 (D)
Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [HB05431 - An Act Establishing The Stabilization Support And Arpa Replacement Fund.](#)
Summary: To review appropriations from the General Fund.
Last Action: File Number 558
Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [HB05455 - An Act Concerning The Efficiency Of The Department Of Social Services In Determining Eligibility For Medical Assistance And Responding To Requests For Information Or Assistance.](#)

Summary: To require the Commissioner of Social Services to study and make recommendations concerning the efficiency of the Department of Social Services in making eligibility determinations for medical assistance and responding to requests for information or assistance.

Last Action: File Number 334

Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [HB05457 - An Act Concerning Nursing Home Waiting Lists.](#)

Summary: To implement working group recommendations regarding waiting list requirements for nursing homes.

Last Action: House Passed as Amended by House Amendment Schedule A

Bill Progress: Crossed Over

Bill Number: [HB05488 - An Act Concerning Various Revisions To The Public Health Statutes.](#)

Summary: To make various revisions to the public health statutes.

Last Action: File Number 423

Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [SB00001 - An Act Concerning The Health And Safety Of Connecticut Residents.](#)

Summary: To improve the health and safety of Connecticut residents.

Last Action: Senate Reconsidered

Bill Progress: In Committee

Sponsors: Saud Anwar (D), Jorge Cabrera (D), Christine Cohen (D), Bob Duff (D), Mae Flexer (D), Herron Gaston (D), Joan Hartley (D), Jan Hochadel (D), Julie Kushner (D), Matt Lesser (D), Martin Looney (D), Ceci Maher (D), James Maroney (D), Martha Marx (D), Doug McCrory (D), Pat Miller (D), Marilyn Moore (D), Norm Needleman (D), Cathy Osten (D), M.D. Rahman (D), Derek Slap (D), Gary Winfield (D)

Bill Number: [SB00007 - An Act Concerning Connecticut Paid Sick Days.](#)

Summary: To support paid sick days.

Last Action: File Number 339

Bill Progress: In Committee

Sponsors: Saud Anwar (D), Jorge Cabrera (D), Bob Duff (D), Mae Flexer (D), Herron Gaston (D), Jan Hochadel (D), Julie Kushner (D), Matt Lesser (D), Martin Looney (D), Ceci Maher (D), Martha Marx (D), Pat Miller (D), Marilyn Moore (D), Norm Needleman (D), M.D. Rahman (D), Derek Slap (D), Gary Winfield (D)

Bill Number: [SB00008 - An Act Concerning Drug Affordability.](#)

Summary: To make prescription drugs affordable and available for Connecticut residents.

Last Action: Referred by Senate to Committee on Judiciary

Bill Progress: In Committee

Sponsors: Bob Duff (D), Mae Flexer (D), Herron Gaston (D), Jan Hochadel (D), Julie Kushner (D), Matt Lesser (D), Martin Looney (D), Ceci Maher (D), James Maroney (D), Martha Marx (D), Doug McCrory (D), Pat Miller (D), Marilyn Moore (D), Norm Needleman (D), M.D. Rahman (D), Derek Slap (D), Gary Winfield (D)

Bill Number: [SB00009 - An Act Promoting Hospital Financial Stability.](#)

Summary: To implement the Governor's budget recommendations.

Last Action: File Number 381

Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [SB00013 - An Act Incentivizing Student Loan Repayment Assistance.](#)**Summary:** To implement the Governor's budget recommendations.**Last Action:** File Number 523**Bill Progress:** In Committee

Bill Number: [SB00156 - An Act Establishing A Task Force To Study Requiring Nursing Homes To Spend A Percentage Of Medicaid Reimbursement Or Total Revenue On Direct Care Of Nursing Home Residents.](#)**Summary:** To require nursing home facilities to spend at least eighty per cent of Medicaid funding provided by the state on direct care.**Last Action:** File Number 112**Bill Progress:** In Committee

Bill Number: [SB00176 - An Act Requiring A Plan To Establish A Hospice And Palliative Care Program For Children.](#)**Summary:** To require the Department of Public Health to develop a plan to establish a hospice program for children in the state.**Last Action:** File Number 16**Bill Progress:** In Committee

Bill Number: [SB00180 - An Act Concerning Adverse Determination And Utilization Reviews.](#)**Summary:** To (1) redefine "clinical peer" for the purposes of adverse determination and utilization reviews; (2) require health carriers to bear the burden of proving that certain health care services under adverse determination or utilization review are not medically necessary; and (3) require health carriers to provide certain clinical peers with authority to reverse initial adverse determinations.**Last Action:** File Number 18**Bill Progress:** In Committee

Bill Number: [SB00181 - An Act Concerning Emergency Department Crowding.](#)**Summary:** To require the Commissioner of Public Health to report data regarding emergency department crowding.**Last Action:** House Calendar Number 386**Bill Progress:** Crossed Over

Bill Number: [SB00182 - An Act Prohibiting Certain Health Carriers From Requiring Step Therapy For Prescription Drugs Used To Treat A Mental Or Behavioral Health Condition Or A Chronic, Disabling Or Life-threatening Condition.](#)**Summary:** To prohibit certain health carriers from requiring step therapy for prescription drugs used to treat a mental or behavioral health condition or a chronic, disabling or life-threatening condition.**Last Action:** File Number 20**Bill Progress:** In Committee

Bill Number: [SB00191 - An Act Concerning Food Scrap Diversion From The Solid Waste Stream And The Redemption Of Out-of-state Beverage Containers.](#)**Summary:** To require the diversion of food scraps from the solid waste stream and prohibit the redemption of out-of-state beverage containers.**Last Action:** Senate LCO Amendment #4009 (R) - Senate LCO Amendment #4009 (R)**Bill Progress:** In Committee

Bill Number: [SB00212 - An Act Concerning The Revisor's Technical Corrections To The General Statutes.](#)**Summary:** To make various technical changes concerning grammar, clarity and accuracy of internal references and consistency in the general statutes.**Last Action:** File Number 484**Bill Progress:** In Committee

Bill Number: [SB00246 - An Act Establishing A Task Force To Study Temporary Nursing Services Provided To Nursing Home Facilities.](#)

Summary: To establish a maximum rate, not to exceed two hundred per cent of the state's median hourly wage for nursing personnel, for temporary nursing services provided by a temporary nursing services agency to a nursing home facility.

Last Action: File Number 118

Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [SB00273 - An Act Concerning Nursing Home Staffing.](#)

Summary: To establish minimum staffing level requirements for nursing homes.

Last Action: File Number 318

Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [SB00275 - An Act Prohibiting Nursing Homes From Rejecting A Patient Solely On The Basis That Such Patient Received Mental Health Services.](#)

Summary: To prohibit nursing homes from denying a patient admission solely on the basis that such person has, at any time, received mental health services.

Last Action: File Number 319

Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [SB00309 - An Act Concerning A Study Of Medical Assistance For Certain Legally Present Noncitizens.](#)

Summary: To study the feasibility of restoring a program providing state-funded medical assistance for assisted living and nursing facility care for certain noncitizens who are lawfully present.

Last Action: File Number 254

Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [SB00316 - An Act Concerning A Study Of State-funded Assisted Living Services.](#)

Summary: To study the costs and benefits of expanding state-funded assisted living services.

Last Action: File Number 258

Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [SB00365 - An Act Concerning Safety In The Health Care Workforce.](#)

Summary: To require that providers contracting with the Department of Social Services for reimbursement under the medical assistance program provide training to staff on workplace violence prevention and to authorize the department to offer rate enhancements for escorts for home visits deemed hazardous and for timely reporting of workplace violence.

Last Action: Senate LCO Amendment #3877 (D) - Senate LCO Amendment #3877 (D)

Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [SB00366 - An Act Concerning Medicaid.](#)

Summary: To study opportunities to expand Medicaid services.

Last Action: File Number 262

Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [SB00395 - An Act Concerning The Reporting Of Medical Debt.](#)

Summary: To prohibit the reporting of medical debt to credit rating agencies and impose penalties via reduction or withdrawal of Medicaid funds to the extent permissible under federal law.

Last Action: Senate Passed as Amended by Senate Amendment Schedule A

Bill Progress: Crossed Over

Bill Number: [SB00406 - An Act Concerning Long-term Care Insurance.](#)

Summary: To (1) limit premium rate increases for certain long-term care policies issued in this state, and (2) require that the Office of Policy and Management, in consultation with the Insurance Department, submit a report evaluating the feasibility of providing state-financed death benefits for long-term care policies purchased through the Connecticut Partnership for Long-Term Care.

Last Action: Insurance and Real Estate Public Hearing (00:00:00 3/12/2024)

Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [SB00425 - An Act Prohibiting Discrimination By Health Care Providers In The Provision Of Health Care Services In The State.](#)

Summary: To prohibit health care providers from discriminating against persons in the provision of health care services in the state.

Last Action: File Number 526

Bill Progress: In Committee

Bill Number: [SB00440 - An Act Concerning Certificates Of Need.](#)

Summary: To make various revisions to the certificate of need process.

Last Action: File Number 314

Bill Progress: In Committee
