



Governor's Council on Disability

LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

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Welcome to Issue 7 of the Legislative Update.

- The weekly Legislative Update provides information on disability related bills. For more details on a specific bill, please click on the bill number.
- If there has been action on a bill in the current week, the status is listed in red.
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- Access to individual bill information is available on the Missouri Senate's website at [Bill Search](#)
- A glossary of legislative terms can be found at the Missouri House of Representatives [Legislative Terms](#)
- Most of the summaries are prepared by the Research Staff of the Missouri House of Representatives and Missouri Senate and are used by permission.

Note: When "incapacitated," "handicapped," etc. appear in a bill description, it reflects the terminology of the legislation, not the Governor's Council on Disability.

Abbreviations

HBHouse of Representatives Bill
HA House Amendment
HS..... House Substitute
HR House Resolution
HJR..... House Joint Resolution
HCS..... House Committee Substitute
SBSenate Bill
SCS Senate Committee Substitute
SA.....Senate Amendment
SS Senate Substitute
SRSenate Resolution
SJR.....Senate Joint Resolution
CCR..... Conference Committee Report
CCS.....Conference Committee Substitute

Bills are listed in the following categories:

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ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY

No pending bills

CRIME

[HB 1450](#) [Lewis, Ed](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies and establishes provisions relating to the protection of children and vulnerable persons

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1710](#) [Schnelting](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies the offense of abuse of an elderly person, a person with a disability, or a vulnerable person

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2064](#) [Black](#) [Issue 1](#)

Establishes provisions relating to mental health courts

Status: 1/24/24 Hearing Completed (H)

Committee: Judiciary

[HB 2602](#) [Sauls](#) [Issue 5](#)

Provides that a person may be charged with promoting a suicide attempt or voluntary manslaughter if such person is convicted of abusing certain persons and such conduct significantly contributed to the suicide or suicide attempt

Status: 2/1/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2645](#) [Morse](#) [Issue 6](#)

Modifies provisions relating to the use of van accessible parking spaces

Status: 2/7/24 Second Read (H)

[SB 905](#) [Coleman](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to the protection of vulnerable persons

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Health and Welfare committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

[SB 906](#) [Coleman](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to the sexual exploitation of vulnerable persons

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Health and Welfare committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

[SB 1012](#) [Arthur](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to the protection of vulnerable persons

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Health and Welfare committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

[SB 1245](#) [Thompson Rehder](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to children and vulnerable persons

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Health and Welfare committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

[SB 1370](#) [Black](#) [Issue 5](#)

Modifies a provision relating to the establishment of treatment courts by providing for a mental health treatment court

Status: 2/1/24 Referred Judiciary and Civil and Criminal Jurisprudence committee (S)

Committee: Judiciary and Civil and Criminal Jurisprudence

[SB 1398](#) [Ben Brown](#) [Issue 6](#)

Modifies provisions relating to the protection of children and vulnerable persons

Status: 2/8/24 Introduced and First Read (S)

EDUCATION

[HB 1502](#) [Bangert](#) [Issue 5](#)

Requires school districts to provide instruction in cursive writing

Status: 2/5/24 Hearing Completed (H)

Committee: Special Committee on Education Reform

[HB 1568](#) [Kelley](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions governing school employee training requirements

Status: 2/8/24 Referred Elementary and Secondary Education committee (H)

Committee: Elementary and Secondary Education

[HB 1581](#) [Nurrenbern](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to corporal punishment in schools

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1663](#) [Peters](#) [Issue 1](#)

Establishes written parental consent requirements for individualized education programs (IEPs)

Status: 1/5/24 Referred Elementary and Secondary Education committee (H)

Committee: Elementary and Secondary Education

[HB 1677](#) [Mackey](#) [Issue 1](#)

Bans using seclusion to confine a student

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1688](#) **[Reedy](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Requires public schools to offer a driver education course that students must complete before graduating

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1714](#) **[Byrnes](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Enacts provisions providing protections for parents in school district encounters

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1715](#) **[Byrnes](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Establishes antibullying requirements for school districts

Status: 2/7/24 Hearing Completed (H)

Committee: Elementary and Secondary Education

[HB 1739](#) **[Richey](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Enacts provisions governing public elementary and secondary school students

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1757](#) **[Pollitt](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Establishes transfer procedures to nonresident districts for students in public schools

Status: 12/19/23 Withdrawn (H)

[HB 1771](#) **[Perkins](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Establishes provisions governing automated external defibrillators in schools

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1806](#) **[Mackey](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Prohibits zero-tolerance policies or practices of discipline in public schools

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1852](#) **[Peters](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Requires implementation of health and safety measures in public schools

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1917](#) **[Doll](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Requires hearing screenings for students

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HCS HB 1989](#) **[Pollitt](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Establishes transfer procedures to nonresident districts for students in public schools

Status: 1/31/24 First Read (S)

[HB 1991](#) **[Gallick](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Requires schools to establish cardiac emergency response plans

Status: 1/18/24 Referred Crime Prevention and Public Safety committee (H)

Committee: Crime Prevention and Public Safety

[HB 2094](#) **[Reuter](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Requires school districts to provide instruction in cursive writing

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2113](#) **[Oehlerking](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Establishes written parental consent requirements for individualized education programs (IEPs)

Status: 1/5/24 Referred Elementary and Secondary Education committee (H)

Committee: Elementary and Secondary Education

[HB 2123](#) **[Mackey](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Establishes reporting requirements for school districts and the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education when a pupil commits suicide

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2160](#) **[Baker](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Establishes provisions governing duties and responsibilities of public education entities

Status: 1/11/24 Referred Elementary and Secondary Education committee (H)

Committee: Elementary and Secondary Education

[HB 2252](#) **[Johnson, Michael](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Requires school districts to excuse students with mental or behavioral health concerns from attendance at school

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[*HB 2287](#) **[Christofanelli](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Modifies provisions related to the virtual school program

Status: 2/13/24 Reported Do Pass by committee (H)

[HB 2343](#) **[Fogle](#)** **[Issue 2](#)**

Requires school districts to excuse students with mental or behavioral health concerns from attendance at school

Status: 1/10/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2444](#) **[Merideth](#)** **[Issue 3](#)**

Establishes new procedures for annexation of school districts to special school districts

Status: 1/18/24 Second Read (H)

HB 2471 Buchheit-Courtway Issue 3

Modifies provisions governing mental health efforts in public schools

Status: 1/22/24 Second Read (H)

*HB 2630 Black Issue 6

Modifies provisions governing school antibullying policies

Status: 2/14/24 Hearing Completed (H)

Committee: Elementary and Secondary Education

HB 2678 Toalson Reisch

Prohibits students from engaging in "furry" behavior while at school

This bill requires students who state they are an imaginary animal/species or engage in anthropomorphic behavior at school to be removed from school for the remainder day by a parent or guardian. This will begin with the 2024-2025 school year.

Status: 2/14/24 Second Read (H)

HB 2696 Steinhoff

Changes provisions governing special educational services

This bill defines young child with a developmental delay for the purposes of providing special educational services under Part B of the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA). Eligibility as a young child with a developmental delay is allowed to continue when the child is kindergarten or first grade age if the child was identified as a young child with a developmental delay before entering kindergarten or first grade. The category should not be used to determine whether the student continues to be eligible for special education services if a student is seven years old before August 1. Special education services can be determined through any other disability category.

Status: 2/15/24 Second Read (H)

SB 728 Koenig Issue 1

Creates provisions relating to public elementary and secondary school students

Status: 1/23/24 SCS Voted Do Pass by committee (S)

Committee: Education and Workforce Development

SB 761 May Issue 1

Authorizes excusal from attendance at an elementary or secondary school if the child is unable to attend due to mental or behavioral health concerns

Status: 1/9/24 Referred Education and Workforce Development committee (S)

Committee: Education and Workforce Development

SB 762 May Issue 1

Modifies provisions relating to suicide prevention in educational institutions

Status: 1/9/24 Referred Education and Workforce Development committee (S)

Committee: Education and Workforce Development

[SB 770](#) [Brattin](#) [Issue 1](#)

Establishes provisions regarding elementary and secondary education

Status: 1/17/24 Hearing Cancelled (S)

Committee: Education and Workforce Development

[SB 773](#) [Gannon](#) [Issue 1](#)

Creates provisions relating to automated external defibrillators in schools

Status: 1/9/24 Referred Education and Workforce Development committee (S)

Committee: Education and Workforce Development

[SB 780](#) [Eslinger](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to student enrollment in the Missouri Course Access and Virtual School Program

Status: 1/23/24 Hearing Completed (S)

Committee: Education and Workforce Development

[SB 812](#) [Coleman](#) [Issue 1](#)

Establishes provisions relating to special education programs

Status: 2/6/24 Hearing Completed (S)

Committee: Select Committee on Empowering Missouri Parents and Children

[SB 921](#) [Koenig](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to student enrollment in the Missouri Course Access and Virtual School Program

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Select Committee on Empowering Missouri Parents and Children (S)

Committee: Select Committee on Empowering Missouri Parents and Children

[SB 1032](#) [Eslinger](#) [Issue 1](#)

Requires public schools to develop cardiac emergency response plans

Status: 2/6/24 Hearing Completed (S)

Committee: Select Committee on Empowering Missouri Parents and Children

[SB 1051](#) [Trent](#) [Issue 1](#)

Allows the enrollment of nonresident students in public school districts

Status: 2/6/24 Hearing Completed (S)

Committee: Select Committee on Empowering Missouri Parents and Children

[SB 1081](#) [Arthur](#) [Issue 1](#)

Requires public schools to develop cardiac emergency response plans

Status: 2/6/24 Hearing Completed (S)

Committee: Select Committee on Empowering Missouri Parents and Children

[SB 1082](#) **[Arthur](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Allows students to attend multiple public summer school programs non-concurrently

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Select Committee on Empowering Missouri Parents and Children (S)

Committee: Select Committee on Empowering Missouri Parents and Children

[SB 1203](#) **[Coleman](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Establishes provisions relating to transparency of school staff training, instructional, and curricular materials

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Select Committee on Empowering Missouri Parents and Children (S)

Committee: Select Committee on Empowering Missouri Parents and Children

[*SB 1375](#) **[Eslinger](#)** **[Issue 5](#)**

Modifies provisions relating to student enrollment in the Missouri Course Access and Virtual School Program

Status: 2/13/24 Hearing Completed (S)

Committee: Select Committee on Empowering Missouri Parents and Children

EMPLOYMENT

[HB 1793](#) **[Johnson, Michael](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Creates provisions relating to mental health leave for employees

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2505](#) **[Bland Manlove](#)** **[Issue 4](#)**

Creates the "Missouri Family and Medical Leave Act" relating to leave from employment

Status: 1/24/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2597](#) **[Walsh Moore](#)** **[Issue 5](#)**

Creates the "Missouri Earned Family and Medical Leave Act"

Status: 2/1/24 Second Read (H)

[SB 945](#) **[May](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Creates new provisions relating to leave from employment

Status: 1/25/24 Referred General Laws committee (S)

Committee: General Laws

[SB 1069](#) **[McCreery](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Creates the Missouri Earned Family and Medical Leave Act

Status: 1/25/24 Referred General Laws committee (S)

Committee: General Laws

[SB 1126](#) **[McCreery](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Increases the minimum wage rate to \$15 per hour by 2026

Status: 1/25/24 Referred General Laws committee (S)

Committee: General Laws

FUNDING/TAX RELIEF

[HB 1418](#) [Sauls](#) [Issue 1](#)

Exempts the retail sale of food from state and local sales and use tax

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[*HB 1428](#) [McGill](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies the "circuit breaker" tax credit by increasing the maximum upper limit and property tax credit amounts

Status: 2/15/24 HCS Reported Do Pass by committee (H)

[*HB 1436](#) [Gallick](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions governing the use of county developmental disability resource board tax levies

Status: 2/13/24 Hearing Completed (H)

Committee: Local Government

[HB 1444](#) [Smith, Travis](#) [Issue 1](#)

Authorizes a tax credit for donations made to certain organizations

Status: 1/17/24 Hearing Completed (H)

Committee: Corrections and Public Institutions

[HB 1464](#) [Sander](#) [Issue 1](#)

Creates a sales tax exemption for food

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[*HB 1615](#) [Hudson](#) [Issue 1](#)

Changes the definition of "qualified student" for purposes of Missouri empowerment scholarship accounts

Status: 2/12/24 Hearing Completed (H)

Committee: Special Committee on Education Reform

[HB 1636](#) [Terry](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions related to the "circuit breaker" property tax credit, reenacts the Missouri Homestead Preservation Tax Credit Program, and implements a homestead exemption for certain individuals

Status: 1/11/24 Referred Special Committee on Property Tax Reform (H)

Committee: Special Committee on Property Tax Reform

[HB 1670](#) [Matthiesen](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies the "circuit breaker" tax credit by increasing the maximum upper limit and property tax credit amounts

Status: 2/7/24 Hearing Completed (H)

Committee: Special Committee on Property Tax Reform

[*HB 1671](#) **[Matthiesen](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Changes the definition of "qualified student" for the Missouri Empowerment Scholarship Accounts Program

Status: 2/12/24 Hearing Completed (H)

Committee: Special Committee on Education Reform

[*HB 1738](#) **[Richey](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Changes provisions governing educational scholarships

Status: 2/12/24 Hearing Completed (H)

Committee: Special Committee on Education Reform

[HB 1817](#) **[Thomas](#)** **[Issue 2](#)**

Provides a sales tax exemption for sales of certain medical devices

Status: 2/1/24 Voted Do Pass by committee (H)

Committee: Ways and Means

[HB 1856](#) **[Busick](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Authorizes counties and other political subdivisions to grant real property tax credits to eligible taxpayers with homesteads

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1906](#) **[Chappell](#)** **[Issue 3](#)**

Modifies provisions relating to the assessed valuation of real property

Status: 1/24/24 Hearing Completed (H)

Committee: Special Committee on Property Tax Reform

[HB 1920](#) **[Doll](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Authorizes a sales tax exemption for the purchase of diapers and feminine hygiene products

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1925](#) **[Morse](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Establishes a grant program for health care professionals working and residing in rural counties

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1939](#) **[Plank](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Modifies the "Senior Citizen Property Tax Relief Credit" or "circuit breaker" tax credit by increasing the maximum upper limit amounts

Status: 1/11/24 Referred Special Committee on Property Tax Reform (H)

Committee: Special Committee on Property Tax Reform

[HB 2050](#) **[Strickler](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Modifies the "Senior Citizen Property Tax Relief Credit" or "circuit breaker" tax credit by increasing the maximum upper limit and property tax credit amounts

Status: 1/11/24 Referred Special Committee on Property Tax Reform (H)

Committee: Special Committee on Property Tax Reform

[HB 2055](#) [Keathley](#) [Issue 1](#)

Exempts the sale of food from sales tax

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2112](#) [Hausman](#) [Issue 1](#)

Authorizes a sales tax exemption for the purchase of diapers, incontinence products, feminine hygiene products, and certain vitamins

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2117](#) [Thomas](#) [Issue 1](#)

Establishes the "Forgivable Grant Program for Families of Adopted Children with Special Needs" within the division of senior and disability services

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2118](#) [Thomas](#) [Issue 1](#)

Establishes provisions relating to reimbursing the monetary value of unused units of respite care or unused child care maintenance or subsidy days

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2119](#) [Thomas](#) [Issue 1](#)

Establishes provisions relating to adoption subsidies for youth with elevated needs

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2120](#) [Thomas](#) [Issue 1](#)

Establishes a pilot program administered by the department of health and senior services to provide funds to families who care for individuals with nursing care needs

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2174](#) [Schnelting](#) [Issue 1](#)

Exempts the retail sale of food from state sales and use tax

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2187](#) [Lewis, Patty](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions of the diaper bank tax credit and authorizes a sales tax exemption for the purchase of diapers, feminine hygiene products, & incontinence products

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2224](#) [Phifer](#) [Issue 1](#)

Changes the laws regarding the taxation of feminine hygiene products and diapers

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2273](#) [Dinkins](#) [Issue 1](#)

Exempts the sale of food from sales tax

Status: 1/5/24 Second Read (H)

[*HB 2319](#) [Owen](#) [Issue 2](#)

Modifies provisions relating to tax credits

Status: 2/14/24 HCS Voted Do Pass by committee (H)

Committee: Government Efficiency and Downsizing

[HB 2366](#) [McMullen](#) [Issue 2](#)

Establishes the "Missouri Parent Empowerment Act" relating to a tax credit for certain educational expenses

Status: 1/11/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2401](#) [Quade](#) [Issue 2](#)

Eliminates the retail sale of food from state and local sales and use tax and authorizes certain tax increases to offset lost revenues, subject to voter approval

Status: 1/16/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2403](#) [Sander](#) [Issue 2](#)

Modifies provisions relating to personal property taxes

Status: 1/16/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2432](#) [Hausman](#) [Issue 3](#)

Modifies provisions relating to local homestead property tax credits

Status: 1/31/24 Hearing Completed (H)

Committee: Special Committee on Property Tax Reform

[HB 2433](#) [Coleman](#) [Issue 3](#)

Modifies provisions relating to the assessed valuation of real property

Status: 1/18/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2435](#) [Evans](#) [Issue 3](#)

Modifies provisions relating to the local homestead property tax credit

Status: 1/18/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2442](#) [Merideth](#) [Issue 3](#)

Authorizes a property tax for special educational services

Status: 1/18/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2443](#) **[Merideth](#)** **[Issue 3](#)**

Authorizes a sales tax for special educational services

Status: 1/18/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2482](#) **[Keathley](#)** **[Issue 3](#)**

Modifies provisions relating to local homestead property tax credits

Status: 1/31/24 Hearing Completed (H)

Committee: Special Committee on Property Tax Reform

[HB 2543](#) **[Voss](#)** **[Issue 4](#)**

Modifies provisions relating to local homestead property tax credits

Status: 2/7/24 Hearing Completed (H)

Committee: Special Committee on Property Tax Reform

[HB 2620](#) **[Smith, Cody](#)** **[Issue 5](#)**

Changes the definition of "qualified student" for purposes of Missouri empowerment scholarship accounts

Status: 2/5/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2643](#) **[Quade](#)** **[Issue 6](#)**

Establishes a caregiver tax credit, a tax credit for certain vulnerable persons, and the "Missouri Child Tax Credit Act"

Status: 2/7/24 Second Read (H)

[HJR 75](#) **[Griffith](#)** **[Issue 2](#)**

Proposes an amendment to the Constitution of Missouri relating to property tax exemptions

Status: 2/7/24 HCS Voted Do Pass by committee (H)

Committee: Special Committee on Property Tax Reform

[HJR 78](#) **[Coleman](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Proposes a constitutional amendment relating to real property tax assessments

Status: 2/7/24 HCS Voted Do Pass by committee (H)

Committee: Special Committee on Property Tax Reform

[HJR 82](#) **[Seitz](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Proposes an amendment to the Constitution of Missouri relating to a property tax exemption for certain seniors

Status: 1/11/24 Referred Special Committee on Property Tax Reform (H)

Committee: Special Committee on Property Tax Reform

[HJR 85](#) **[Terry](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Reduces property tax assessments on senior citizens and disabled persons by fifty percent

Status: 1/11/24 Referred Special Committee on Property Tax Reform (H)

Committee: Special Committee on Property Tax Reform

[HJR 95](#) [Gray](#) [Issue 1](#)

Proposes a constitutional amendment granting property tax exemptions to certain disabled veterans

Status: 1/11/24 Referred Special Committee on Property Tax Reform (H)

Committee: Special Committee on Property Tax Reform

[HJR 118](#) [Aune](#) [Issue 3](#)

Proposes a constitutional amendment relating to a property tax exemption for certain disabled veterans

Status: 1/16/24 Second Read (H)

[HJR 120](#) [Hicks](#) [Issue 4](#)

Proposes a constitutional amendment relating to residential real property tax assessments

Status: 2/7/24 Hearing Completed (H)

Committee: Special Committee on Property Tax Reform

[SCS SB 727](#) [Koenig](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions of the Missouri Empowerment Scholarship Accounts Program

Status: 2/7/24 Placed on Informal Calendar S Bills for Perfection (S)

[SB 729](#) [Koenig](#) [Issue 1](#)

Authorizes a tax credit for certain educational expenses

Status: 1/17/24 Voted Do Pass by committee (S)

Committee: Education and Workforce Development

[SB 733](#) [Eigel](#) [Issue 2](#)

Modifies provisions relating to personal property taxes

Status: 1/16/24 Hearing Completed (S)

Committee: Economic Development and Tax Policy

[SB 748](#) [Hough](#) [Issue 2](#)

Modifies provisions relating to reimbursement allowance taxes

Status: 2/7/24 Placed on Informal Calendar S Bills for Perfection (S)

[SB 756](#) [Luetkemeyer](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies a property tax credit for certain seniors

Status: 2/5/24 SCS Voted Do Pass by committee (S)

Committee: Economic Development and Tax Policy

[SB 794](#) [Washington](#) [Issue 1](#)

Authorizes a tax credit for providing services to homeless persons

Status: 1/9/24 Referred Fiscal Oversight committee (S)

Committee: Fiscal Oversight

[*SB 822](#) [McCreery](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies the Senior Citizen Property Tax Relief Credit

Status: 2/12/24 Hearing Completed (S)

Committee: Economic Development and Tax Policy

[SB 842](#) [Arthur](#) [Issue 1](#)

Authorizes a sales tax exemption for the purchase of diapers

Status: 1/11/24 Referred Economic Development and Tax Policy committee (S)

Committee: Economic Development and Tax Policy

[SB 858](#) [May](#) [Issue 1](#)

Authorizes a sales tax exemption for certain hygiene products

Status: 1/11/24 Referred Economic Development and Tax Policy committee (S)

Committee: Economic Development and Tax Policy

[SB 880](#) [Razer](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies a property tax credit for certain seniors

Status: 1/11/24 Referred Economic Development and Tax Policy committee (S)

Committee: Economic Development and Tax Policy

[SB 915](#) [McCreery](#) [Issue 1](#)

Authorizes certain senior citizens to defer property taxes

Status: 1/25/24 Referred General Laws committee (S)

Committee: General Laws

[SB 930](#) [Cierpiot](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies the Senior Citizens Property Tax Relief Credit

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Economic Development and Tax Policy committee (S)

Committee: Economic Development and Tax Policy

[SB 965](#) [Roberts](#) [Issue 1](#)

Authorizes a sales tax for special educational services

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Select Committee on Empowering Missouri Parents and Children (S)

Committee: Select Committee on Empowering Missouri Parents and Children

[SB 966](#) [Roberts](#) [Issue 1](#)

Authorizes a property tax for special educational services

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Select Committee on Empowering Missouri Parents and Children (S)

Committee: Select Committee on Empowering Missouri Parents and Children

[*SB 1010](#) **[Cierpiot](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Reauthorizes an income tax deduction for certain savings accounts

Status: 2/19/24 Hearing Scheduled (S)

Committee: Economic Development and Tax Policy

[SB 1042](#) **[Washington](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Creates a Text-to-Donate pilot program from homelessness services in certain cities

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Governmental Accountability committee (S)

Committee: Governmental Accountability

[SB 1062](#) **[Coleman](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Exempts the sale of food from sales tax

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Economic Development and Tax Policy committee (S)

Committee: Economic Development and Tax Policy

[SB 1118](#) **[Coleman](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Modifies provisions relating to the Missouri Empowerment Scholarship Accounts Program

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Select Committee on Empowering Missouri Parents and Children (S)

Committee: Select Committee on Empowering Missouri Parents and Children

[SB 1119](#) **[Coleman](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Authorizes sales tax exemptions for certain purchases

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Economic Development and Tax Policy committee (S)

Committee: Economic Development and Tax Policy

[*SB 1180](#) **[Koenig](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Modifies a sales tax exemption for the sale of certain medical devices

Status: 2/19/24 Hearing Scheduled (S)

Committee: Economic Development and Tax Policy

[SB 1231](#) **[Trent](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Authorizes a sales tax exemption for diapers

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Economic Development and Tax Policy committee (S)

Committee: Economic Development and Tax Policy

[SB 1361](#) **[Justin Brown](#)** **[Issue 4](#)**

Modifies provisions relating to county developmental disability resource board taxes

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Health and Welfare committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

[SB 1386](#) **[McCreery](#)** **[Issue 5](#)**

Authorizes a tax credit for certain volunteer drivers

Status: 2/8/24 Referred Economic Development and Tax Policy committee (S)

Committee: Economic Development and Tax Policy

[*SB 1391](#) [Luetkemeyer](#) [Issue 6](#)

Modifies provisions of the Missouri Empowerment Scholarship Accounts Program

Status: 2/13/24 Hearing Completed (S)

Committee: Select Committee on Empowering Missouri Parents and Children

[*SB 1392](#) [Trent](#) [Issue 6](#)

Modifies provisions of the Missouri Empowerment Scholarship Accounts Program and authorizes charter schools to operate in Boone County, St. Charles County, and St. Louis County

Status: 2/13/24 Hearing Completed (S)

Committee: Select Committee on Empowering Missouri Parents and Children

[SJR 58](#) [Luetkemeyer](#) [Issue 1](#)

Exempts certain disabled veterans from property taxes

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Local Government and Elections committee (S)

Committee: Local Government and Elections

[SJR 66](#) [Washington](#) [Issue 1](#)

Authorizes a property tax exemption for certain senior citizens

Status: 1/25/24 Referred General Laws committee (S)

Committee: General Laws

[SJR 82](#) [Brattin](#) [Issue 1](#)

Replaces the property tax on real property with a sales tax

Status: 1/25/24 Referred General Laws committee (S)

Committee: General Laws

[SJR 84](#) [Mosley](#) [Issue 5](#)

Exempts certain disabled veterans from property taxes

Status: 2/8/23 Referred Local Government and Elections committee (S)

Committee: Local Government and Elections

HEALTH CARE/PERSONAL ASSISTANCE

[HB 1585](#) [Clemens](#) [Issue 1](#)

Creates provisions relating to the cost of insulin

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1586](#) [Clemens](#) [Issue 1](#)

Allows certain medications in multidose containers used by a patient during a hospital stay to be sent with the patient at discharge

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[*HB 1628](#) [Wright](#) [Issue 4](#)

Creates provisions relating to cost-sharing under health benefit plans

Status: 2/15/24 Referred Health and Mental Health Policy committee (H)

Committee: Health and Mental Health Policy

[HB 1632](#) [Pouche](#) [Issue 1](#)

Establishes provisions relating to insurance coverage for insulin drugs and epinephrine auto-injectors

Status: 1/23/24 Voted Do Pass by committee (H)

Committee: Healthcare Reform

[*HB 1918](#) [Doll](#) [Issue 1](#)

Provides for MO HealthNet coverage of hearing aids and cochlear implants

Status: 2/20/24 Executive Session Scheduled (H)

Committee: Healthcare Reform

[HB 2036](#) [Weber](#) [Issue 1](#)

Establishes provisions relating to allergy prevention and responses in child care facilities

Status: 2/8/24 Referred Emerging Issues committee (H)

Committee: Emerging Issues

[HB 2082](#) [Gregory](#) [Issue 1](#)

Creates provisions relating to health care benefits provided by certain organizations

Status: 2/6/24 Reported Do Pass by committee (H)

[HB 2115](#) [Toalson Reisch](#) [Issue 1](#)

Creates provisions relating to prosthetists and orthotists

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2182](#) [Stinnett](#) [Issue 1](#)

Requires the department of health and senior services to develop an educational pamphlet on nonopioid alternatives for the treatment of pain

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2262](#) [Nurrenbern](#) [Issue 1](#)

Creates provisions relating to insurance coverage for prescription insulin drugs

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2347](#) [Stinnett](#) [Issue 2](#)

Creates provisions relating to prior authorization for ambulance service transportation from one hospital to another hospital for MO HealthNet participants

Status: 1/10/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2364](#) [Ealy](#) [Issue 2](#)

Establishes provisions relating to allergy prevention and responses in child care facilities

Status: 2/8/24 Referred Emerging Issues committee (H)

Committee: Emerging Issues

[HB 2393](#) [Mosley](#) [Issue 2](#)

Requires health benefit plans to cover prostheses for hair loss due to chemotherapy

Status: 1/16/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2517](#) [Bland Manlove](#) [Issue 4](#)

Modifies provisions relating to the health professional student loan repayment program

Status: 1/24/24 Second Read (H)

[*HB 2552](#) [Schulte](#) [Issue 4](#)

Establishes provisions relating to allergy prevention and responses in child care facilities

Status: 2/20/24 Hearing Scheduled (H)

Committee: Healthcare Reform

[*HB 2626](#) [Parker](#) [Issue 6](#)

Provides for MO HealthNet coverage of hearing aids and cochlear implants

Status: 2/20/24 Executive Session Scheduled (H)

Committee: Healthcare Reform

[HJR 124](#) [Smith, Cody](#) [Issue 5](#)

Proposes a constitutional amendment relating to MO HealthNet

Status: 2/5/24 Second Read (H)

[SB 830](#) [Rowden](#) [Issue 1](#)

Requires the Department of Health and Senior Services to develop a pamphlet on nonopioid alternatives for pain treatment

Status: 2/7/24 Voted Do Pass by committee (S)

Committee: General Laws

[SB 844](#) [Bernskoetter](#) [Issue 4](#)

Requires any amount paid on behalf of a health benefit plan enrollee to count toward the enrollee's cost-sharing

Status: 2/7/24 Voted Do Pass by committee (S)

Committee: General Laws

[SB 943](#) [May](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to opioid prescriptions

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Health and Welfare committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

[SB 1046](#) [Mosley](#) [Issue 1](#)

Requires health benefit plans to cover prostheses for hair loss due to chemotherapy

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Insurance and Banking committee (S)

Committee: Insurance and Banking

[SB 1102](#) [Mosley](#) [Issue 1](#)

Enacts provisions relating to insurance coverage for cancer treatment

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Insurance and Banking committee (S)

Committee: Insurance and Banking

[SB 1182](#) [Arthur](#) [Issue 1](#)

Enacts provisions relating to insurance coverage for prescription insulin drugs

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Insurance and Banking committee (S)

Committee: Insurance and Banking

[SB 1403](#) [Mosley](#)

Establishes the Cancer Patients' Bill of Rights

This act established the "Cancer Patients' Bill of Rights", which include the right to understand diagnoses and be informed about treatment options, to transparent and timely processes to contract with treatment specialists and testing, to medical treatments for pain management, and to relevant clinical trials and medical research. The Department of Health and Senior Services shall make the Cancer Patients' Bill of Rights readily available online.

Status: 2/12/24 Introduced and First Read (S)

[SB 1407](#) [McCreery](#)

Repeals an age limit on the requirement for health insurance to cover low protein modified food products for certain conditions

Currently, health benefit plans are required to provide coverage for low protein modified food products, as defined by law, recommended by a physician for individuals with phenylketonuria (PKU) or certain inherited diseases, provided that the patient is under 6 years of age. This act requires coverage regardless of the patient's age.

Status: 2/12/24 Introduced and First Read (S)

[SJR 76](#) [Carter](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to MO HealthNet

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Health and Welfare committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

LEGAL RIGHTS/RESPONSIBILITIES

[HB 1596](#) [Bosley](#) [Issue 1](#)

Adds provisions relating to a landlord failing to remedy a condition that would materially affect the health and safety of a tenant

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1598](#) [Bosley](#) [Issue 1](#)

Requires election authorities to provide braille ballots on request

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1641](#) [Terry](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to guardianships and conservatorships

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1686](#) [Appelbaum](#) [Issue 1](#)

Establishes the "Missouri Voter Fraud Protection Act"

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1695](#) [Sparks](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to abuse and neglect reporting, including a requirement to report companion animal abuse

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1709](#) [Schnelting](#) [Issue 1](#)

Creates provisions relating to digital surveillance systems in long-term care facilities

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Children and Families committee (H)

Committee: Children and Families

[HB 1883](#) [Lewis, Patty](#) [Issue 1](#)

Creates no-excuse absentee voting

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HCS HB 1886](#) [Veit](#)

Modifies provisions relating to judicial proceedings

Only the sections related to people with disabilities are summarized.

The bill adds a person acting as a parent of a minor entering adult guardianship or conservatorship to the list of those persons who must, except in certain circumstances, be appointed as guardians or conservators of minors, as well as to the hierarchy of those who must be considered for appointment to serve as guardian for an incapacitated person or conservator for a disabled person. The bill also excludes persons acting as parents, as well as grandparents, from the requirement that persons seeking guardianship complete a background screening at their own expense. The bill specifies what assistance a court clerk must provide or make available for a petitioner filing for emergency or full orders regarding a minor entering adult guardianship or conservatorship. Currently, under certain circumstances, a statement made by a child under the age of 14 or by a vulnerable person, or the visual and aural recording of a verbal or nonverbal statement of such child or vulnerable person, is admissible in evidence in criminal proceedings as substantive evidence to prove the truth of the matter asserted. It amends the definition of "vulnerable person" to include a person whose developmental level does not exceed that of an ordinary child of 17 years of age, increased from 14 years of age.

Status: 2/13/24 Perfected with Amendments-HA 1 Adopted (H)

[HB 1903](#) [Mackey](#) [Issue 1](#)

Establishes the " Marilyn Teitelbaum Death with Dignity Act"

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1975](#) [Stinnett](#) [Issue 1](#)

Creates a prescribed pediatric extended care facility license issued by the department of health and senior services

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2000](#) [Mann](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to unlawful discriminatory practices and establishes the Missouri Fair Housing Act

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2042](#) [Weber](#) [Issue 1](#)

Creates provisions requiring realtors and landlords to provide new residents with voter registration packets

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2052](#) [Schwadron](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to elections

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2186](#) [Plank](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to marijuana

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2229](#) [Merideth](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to elections

Status: 1/10/24 Withdrawn (H)

[HB 2242](#) [Woods](#) [Issue 1](#)

Creates provisions for automatic voter registration

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2243](#) [Woods](#) [Issue 1](#)

Allows for same-day voter registration

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[*HB 2248](#) [Francis](#) [Issue 1](#)

Repeals provisions relating to hemp extract

Status: 2/13/24 Voted Do Pass-Consent by committee (H)

Committee: Consent and House Procedure

[HB 2340](#) [Fogle](#) [Issue 2](#)

Adds additional options for photo identification needed to vote

Status: 1/10/24 Withdrawn (H)

[HB 2354](#) [Adams](#) [Issue 2](#)

Allows for three weeks of no-excuse absentee voting

Status: 1/10/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2371](#) [Merideth](#) [Issue 2](#)

Modifies provisions relating to elections

Status: 1/11/24 Second Read (H)

[*HB 2385](#) [Keathley](#) [Issue 4](#)

Prohibits local governments from requiring private property owners to accept Section 8 vouchers

Status: 2/20/24 Executive Session Scheduled (H)

Committee: General Laws

[HB 2404](#) [Mosley](#) [Issue 2](#)

Modifies law relating to rejected absentee ballots

Status: 1/16/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2510](#) [Bland Manlove](#) [Issue 4](#)

Creates provisions for automatic voter registration

Status: 1/24/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2538](#) [Steinhoff](#) [Issue 4](#)

Adds additional options for photo identification needed to vote

Status: 1/25/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2704](#) **[Walsh Moore](#)**

Modifies provisions relating to tort actions based on improper health care

This bill changes current statute for tort actions based on improper health care so that loss of one or more limbs is part of the definition of terms used.

Status: 2/15/24 Introduced and First Read (H)

[HJR 123](#) **[Young](#)** **[Issue 5](#)**

Removes the restriction on persons judged incapacitated being able to vote

Status: 1/31/24 Second Read (H)

[SB 791](#) **[Roberts](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Modifies provisions relating to homelessness

Status: 1/9/24 Referred Health and Welfare committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

[SB 832](#) **[Eigel](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Modifies provisions relating to elections

Status: 1/11/24 Referred Local Government and Elections committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

[SB 863](#) **[Thompson Rehder](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Modifies provisions relating to medication-assisted treatment and child placement

Status: 2/7/24 Voted Do Pass by committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

[SB 874](#) **[Bean](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Repeals provisions relating to hemp extract for the treatment of intractable epilepsy

Status: 1/11/24 Referred Health and Welfare committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

[SB 917](#) **[Hoskins](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Modifies procedures for counting ballots

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Local Government and Elections committee (S)

Committee: Local Government and Elections

[SB 926](#) **[Crawford](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Modifies provisions relating to elections

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Local Government and Elections committee (S)

Committee: Local Government and Elections

[SB 932](#) **[Arthur](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Establishes provisions relating to funding of certain activities of public administrators and communication rights of persons subject to guardianships and conservatorships

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Local Government and Elections committee (S)

Committee: Local Government and Elections

[SB 968](#) [Washington](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to use of marijuana by family court participants

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Health and Welfare committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

[SB 991](#) [Carter](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to administrative proceedings relating to MO HealthNet

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Health and Welfare committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

[SB 995](#) [McCreery](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to abuse and neglect reporting, including a requirement to report companion animal abuse

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Health and Welfare committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

[SB 1055](#) [Black](#) [Issue 1](#)

Establishes the Designated Health Care Decision-Maker Act, which authorizes certain persons to make health care decisions for certain incapacitated persons

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Health and Welfare committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

[SB 1111](#) [Black](#) [Issue 1](#)

Creates a prescribed pediatric extended care facility license issued by the Department of Health and Senior Services

Status: 2/7/24 Hearing Completed (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

[SB 1136](#) [Arthur](#) [Issue 1](#)

Creates new provisions relating to voting accessibility for persons with disabilities

Status: 1/25/24 Local Government and Elections committee (S)

Committee: Local Government and Elections

[SB 1165](#) [Schroer](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to marijuana

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Judiciary and Civil and Criminal Jurisprudence committee (S)

Committee: Judiciary and Civil and Criminal Jurisprudence

[SB 1259](#) [Fitzwater](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to abuse and neglect reporting, including a requirement to report companion animal abuse

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Health and Welfare committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

[SB 1345](#) [Mosley](#) [Issue 3](#)

Modifies provisions relating to rejected absentee ballots

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Local Government and Elections committee (S)

Committee: Local Government and Elections

[*SJR 78](#) [Ben Brown](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to elections

Status: 2/12/24 Hearing Completed (S)

Committee: Local Government and Elections

MENTAL HEALTH

[HB 1495](#) [Griffith](#) [Issue 1](#)

Tasks the Missouri veterans commission with expanding its efforts to prevent veteran suicide

Status: 1/24/24 Reported Do Pass-Consent by committee (H)

[HB 1723](#) [Crossley](#) [Issue 1](#)

Creates provisions relating to dialectical behavior therapy

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1830](#) [McMullen](#) [Issue 1](#)

Creates provisions relating to alternative therapies

Status: 1/30/24 Hearing Completed (H)

Committee: Veterans

[HB 1915](#) [Doll](#) [Issue 1](#)

Creates provisions relating to perinatal care

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2520](#) [Johnson](#) [Issue 4](#)

Requires the department of mental health to apply for a federal grant to implement a statewide mobile mental

Status: 1/24/24 Second Read (H)

[SB 768](#) [Thompson Rehder](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to alternative therapies and treatments, including psilocybin

Status: 2/6/24 Hearing Completed (S)

Committee: Emerging Issues

OLMSTEAD

[*HB 2664](#) [Hausman](#) [Issue 6](#)

Establishes the "End Hospital Institutionalization Act"

Status: 2/12/24 Second Read (H)

SAFETY/PREVENTION

[HB 1614](#) [Van Schoiack](#) [Issue 1](#)

Repeals the motor vehicle seat belt requirement

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1819](#) [Taylor, Del](#) [Issue 5](#)

Prohibits certain individuals from possessing a firearm due to domestic violence

Status: 2/1/24 Referred Crime Prevention and Public Safety committee (H)

Committee: Crime Prevention and Public Safety

[HB 1997](#) [Mann](#) [Issue 1](#)

Requires public institutions of higher education to have opioid overdose rescue kits available for public use on campus

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2076](#) [Marquart](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to requirements for certain off-road vehicles

Status: 1/5/24 Referred Insurance Policy committee (H)

Committee: Insurance Policy

[HB 2124](#) [Mackey](#) [Issue 1](#)

Establishes extreme risk protection orders and gun violence seizure warrants and prohibits certain persons involved in domestic violence from possessing a firearm

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2336](#) [Nurrenbern](#) [Issue 2](#)

Prohibits certain individuals from possessing a firearm due to domestic violence

Status: 1/10/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2395](#) [Mosley](#) [Issue 2](#)

Creates the "Christian Taylor Ferguson Medical Alert System"

Status: 1/16/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2488](#) **[Burton](#)** **[Issue 4](#)**

Prohibits certain individuals from possessing a firearm due to domestic violence

Status: 1/23/24 Second Read (H)

[*HB 2556](#) **[Hicks](#)** **[Issue 4](#)**

Creates provisions relating to the management of violent patients in health care facilities

Status: 2/15/24 Referred General Laws committee (H)

Committee: General Laws

[SB 1155](#) **[Mosley](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Creates the CTF Medical Alert System

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Transportation, Infrastructure and Public Safety committee (S)

Committee: Transportation, Infrastructure and Public Safety

[SB 1385](#) **[Schroer](#)** **[Issue 5](#)**

Creates provisions relating to health care professionals and workplace violence

Status: 2/8/24 Referred Health and Welfare committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

SERVICES

[HB 1489](#) **[Griffith](#)** **[Issue 5](#)**

Modifies provisions relating to mail sent by state agencies

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 1560](#) **[Cook](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Prohibits temporary assistance for needy families (TANF) benefit cards from being used at ATMs or to access cash, and limits the items that may be purchased with TANF benefits

Status: 2/1/24 Referred Special Committee on Governmental Accountability (H)

Committee: Special Committee on Governmental Accountability

[HB 1777](#) **[Perkins](#)**

Modifies provisions relating to certain offenders, including access to SNAP benefits; inmate release from DOC; restraints on children in juvenile court; pregnant offenders; and admissibility of certain evidence in criminal cases

This bill is the primary bill for HB 2502. It also includes language about the admissibility of recordings from a vulnerable person in certain situations.

Status: 2/19/24 Executive Session Scheduled (H)

Committee: Rules-Regulatory Oversight

[HB 2071](#) **[Mayhew](#)** **[Issue 1](#)**

Establishes the position of dementia services coordinator within the department of health and senior services

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2116](#) [Thomas](#) [Issue 1](#)

Establishes provisions relating to foster care services for youth with elevated needs

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

***[HB 2215](#)** [Brown, Chris](#) [Issue 1](#)

Creates provisions relating to alternative therapies for veterans with PTSD and traumatic brain injuries

Status: 2/15/24 Referred Veterans committee (H)

Committee: Veterans

[HB 2386](#) [Mosley](#)

Prohibits temporary assistance for needy families (TANF) benefit cards from being used at ATMs or to access cash, and limits the items that may be purchased with TANF benefits

Status: 1/11/24 Withdrawn (H)

[HB 2387](#) [Mosley](#) [Issue 2](#)

Establishes a "Restaurant Meals Program" as part of the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)

Status: 1/16/24 Second Read (H)

***[HB 2502](#)** [Oehlerking](#) [Issue 4](#)

Requires the department of corrections to provide certain services to inmates prior to their release from the department

This bill is now combined with others and part of a substitute bill. The primary bill is [HB 1777](#).

Status: 2/19/24 HCS Executive Session Scheduled (H)

Committee: Rules-Regulatory Oversight

[HB 2572](#) [Hausman](#) [Issue 5](#)

Requires individuals to cooperate with child support enforcement as a condition of eligibility for SNAP

Status: 1/31/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2585](#) [Young](#) [Issue 5](#)

Modifies provisions relating to blind pensions

Status: 1/31/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2675](#) [Young](#)

Modifies provisions for blind pensions

This bill changes when someone receiving the blind pension must present to the Department of Social Services or how soon an ophthalmologist may repeat a vision test if there is a possibility of improvement from five years to seven years. It also removes the statement that a person shall not be exempt from reexamination at the request of the Department of Social Services.

Status: 2/13/24 Second Read (H)

[HB 2689](#) [Lovasco](#)

Establishes the "Office of the Department of Corrections Ombudsman"

This bill establishes the "Office of the Department of Corrections Ombudsman." The bill specifies the type of issues the office will handle, the responsibilities, and the setup of the office. The office will be established before June 1, 2025. The bill also establishes a "Corrections Oversight Committee". The membership and duties of the Committee are specified. The Committee will be established before March 1, 2025.

Status: 2/14/24 Second Read (H)

[SB 973](#) [Mosley](#) [Issue 1](#)

Establishes a "Restaurant Meals Program" as part of the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Progress and Development committee (S)

Committee: Progress and Development

[SB 1410](#) [Fitzwater](#)

Creates the position of a dementia services coordinator within the Department of Health and Senior Services

This act requires the Division of Senior and Disability Services within the Department of Health and Senior Services to establish a dementia services coordinator as a full-time position. The coordinator shall perform duties specified in the act, including coordinating information resources affecting Missourians living with dementia and their caregivers, streamlining applicable services to increase efficiency and improve the quality of care in certain settings, identifying any duplicated services, promoting public awareness and education, and collecting and monitoring relevant data.

Status: 2/13/24 Introduced and First Read (S)

OTHER

[HB 1451](#) [Veit](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to the issuance and renewal of license plates and placards for persons with disabilities

Status: 2/7/24 Hearing Completed (H)

Committee: Transportation Infrastructure

[HB 1605](#) [Van Schoiack](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to certificates of need

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

***HB 1814** **Riggs** **Issue 1**

Modifies provisions relating to task forces

Status: 2/21/24 Hearing Scheduled (H)

Committee: Government Efficiency and Downsizing

HB 1825 **Smith, Travis** **Issue 1**

Creates provisions relating to inspections of residential care facilities and assisted living facilities

Status: 1/30/24 Hearing Completed (H)

Committee: Professional Registration and Licensing

HB 2221 **Anderson** **Issue 1**

Modifies provisions for providing copies of medical records

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

HB 2234 **Sauls** **Issue 1**

Modifies provisions for providing copies of medical records

Status: 1/4/24 Second Read (H)

***HB 2365** **Richey** **Issue 2**

Prohibits state departments from spending money on diversity, equity, and inclusion initiatives

Status: 2/20/24 Executive Session Scheduled (H)

Committee: General Laws

***HB 2448** **Hudson** **Issue 3**

Prohibits state departments from spending money on diversity, equity, and inclusion initiatives

Status: 2/20/24 Executive Session Scheduled (H)

Committee: General Laws

HB 2462 **Houx** **Issue 3**

Prohibits the office of equal opportunity from approving certain actions by state departments

Status: 1/22/24 Second Read (H)

***HB 2567** **Baker** **Issue 5**

Creates provisions relating to health care

Status: 2/20/24 Executive Session Scheduled (H)

Committee: General Laws

***HB 2569** **Baker** **Issue 5**

Prohibits state departments from spending money on diversity, equity, and inclusion initiatives

Status: 2/20/24 Executive Session Scheduled (H)

Committee: General Laws

[*HB 2619](#) [Smith, Cody](#) [Issue 5](#)

Prohibits state departments from spending money on diversity, equity, and inclusion initiatives

Status: 2/20/24 Executive Session Scheduled (H)

Committee: General Laws

[HCR 44](#) [Young](#) [Issue 5](#)

Urges the general assembly to raise awareness of kidney disease

Status: 1/31/24 Second Read (H)

[SB 912](#) [Ben Brown](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to motor vehicles

Status: 2/7/24 Hearing Completed (S)

Committee: Veterans, Military Affairs and Pensions

[SB 990](#) [Carter](#) [Issue 1](#)

Enacts provisions relating to transportation for disabled persons

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Transportation, Infrastructure and Public Safety committee (S)

Committee: Transportation, Infrastructure and Public Safety

[SB 1073](#) [Hoskins](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies the membership of the Missouri Housing Development Commission

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Economic Development and Tax Policy committee (S)

Committee: Economic Development and Tax Policy

[SB 1087](#) [Moon](#) [Issue 1](#)

Repeals the certificate of need law

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Health and Welfare committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

[SB 1184](#) [Arthur](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to the Missouri Housing Trust Fund

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Health and Welfare committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

[SB 1314](#) [Fitzwater](#) [Issue 2](#)

Creates new restrictions on the expenditure of funds by state departments for certain programs related to diversity, equity, and inclusion, etc.

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Governmental Accountability committee (S)

Committee: Governmental Accountability

[SB 1336](#) [Thompson Rehder](#) [Issue 3](#)

Modifies provisions relating to funding for housing programs

Status: 1/25/24 Referred Health and Welfare committee (S)

Committee: Health and Welfare

[SCR 27](#) [Arthur](#) [Issue 4](#)

Establishes February 24 of each year as "SCN2A Awareness Day" in Missouri

Status: 2/8/24 Referred Rules, Joint Rules, Resolutions and Ethics committee (S)

Committee: Rules, Joint Rules, Resolutions and Ethics

APPROPRIATIONS

[HB 2010](#) [Smith](#)

APPROPRIATION BILL

This bill appropriates money for the Department of Mental Health and the Department of Health and Senior Services.

Please see the bill text for details.

Status: 2/15/24 **Second Read** (H)