



# Governor’s Council on Disability

## LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

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### Welcome to Issue 19 of the Legislative Update.

This issue includes only the bills sent to Governor Parson for consideration. Some bills were Truly Agreed to and Finally Passed as part of another bill. See page 2 of [GCD Newsletter](#) for more information. After this issue was published Governor Parson vetoed HB 399. I have amended that information to reflect the veto in the online version.

- 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.
- To learn more about the legislative process consider attending the [Legislative Education Project](#) training or watching our online modules and videos.
- Please contact our office (Laura.Mueth@oa.mo.gov) if you need a different format.
- Past issues are online at [Legislative Updates](#).
- 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

HB .....	House of Representatives
Bill .....	
HA .....	House Amendment
HS.....	House Substitute
HR .....	House Resolution
HJR.....	House Joint Resolution
HCS.....	House Committee Substitute
SB .....	Senate Bill
SCS .....	Senate Committee Substitute
SA.....	Senate Amendment
SS .....	Senate Substitute
SR.....	Senate 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

[\\*SB 101](#)     [Riddle](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Establishes a statewide hearing aid distribution program

**Status:** 7/11/19 Signed by Governor (G)

## CRIME

[\\*SCS HCS HB 547](#)     [Griffith](#)     [Issue 2](#)

Provides alternative methods for the disposal of cases including through the use of treatment courts and prosecution diversion programs

**Status:** 7/9/19 Signed by Governor (G)

## EDUCATION

No bills sent to Governor

## EMPLOYMENT

No bills sent to Governor

## FUNDING/TAX RELIEF

[\\*SS #3 SCS SB 29](#)     [Hegeman](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Extends the sunset on certain healthcare provider reimbursement allowances and modifies the managed care organization reimbursement allowance

**Status:** 7/11/19 Signed by Governor (G)

## HEALTH CARE/PERSONAL ASSISTANCE

[\\*SS HB 138](#)     [Kidd](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Establishes "Simon's Law," which changes the laws regarding life-sustaining or nonbeneficial treatment policies of health care facilities

**Status:** 7/11/19 Signed by Governor (G)

\*[CCS SS SCS HCS HB 399](#) [Basye](#) [Issue 1](#)

Changes the laws regarding health care for persons with disabilities

**Status:** 7/12/19 **Vetoed by Governor** (G)

## LEGAL RIGHTS/RESPONSIBILITIES

\*[SCS SB 230](#) [Crawford](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to venue in guardianship and conservatorship proceedings

**Status:** 7/10/19 **Signed by Governor** (G)

## MENTAL HEALTH

No bills sent to Governor

## OLMSTEAD

No bills sent to Governor

## SAFETY/PREVENTION

No bills sent to Governor

## SERVICES

No bills sent to Governor

## OTHER

No bills sent to Governor

## APPROPRIATIONS

\*[CCS SCS HCS HB 2](#) [Smith](#) [Issue 5](#)

Appropriates money for the expenses, grants, refunds, and distributions of the State Board of Education and Department of Elementary and Secondary Education

**Status:** 6/10/19 **Signed by Governor** (G)

\*[CCS SS SCS HCS HB 10](#) [Smith](#) [Issue 5](#)

Appropriates money for the expenses, grants, refunds, and distributions of the Department of Mental Health, Board of Public Buildings, and Department of Health and Senior Services

**Status:** 6/10/19 Signed by Governor (G)

\*CCS SCS HCS [HB 11](#) [Smith](#) [Issue 5](#)

Appropriates money for the expenses, grants, and distributions of the Department of Social Services

**Status:** 6/10/19 Signed by Governor (G)