



# Governor's Council on Disability

## LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

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Welcome to Issue 2 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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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

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## ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY

No pending bills

## CRIME

[HB 1319](#) [Sommer](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to service dogs

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1691](#) [Rehder](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions regarding unlawful actions by persons knowingly infected with communicable diseases

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1692](#) [McCreery](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to actions by persons knowingly infected with communicable diseases

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[\\*HB 1451](#) [Schroer](#) [Issue 1](#)

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

**Status:** 1/15/20 Hearing Completed (H)

**Committee:** Special Committee on Aging

[HB 1840](#) [Green](#) [Issue 1](#)

Creates a tort cause of action for injuries that result from harassment in the workplace

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 2060](#) [Hicks](#)

Allows certain marijuana-related offenses and violations to be expunged if the offenses or violations occurred in Missouri prior to the issuance of a patient identification card

This bill allows marijuana offenses and violations to be expunged by the court if the individual now has a medical marijuana patient identification card and the offenses or violations occurred prior to the card being issued.

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[SB 644](#) [Hoskins](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies law regarding service animals

**Status:** 1/8/20 First Read (S)

[SB 750](#) [White](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies law regarding service animals

**Status:** 1/8/20 First Read (S)

## EDUCATION

[HB 1262](#)   [Bangert](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Requires school districts to provide instruction in cursive writing

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1537](#)   [Washington](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to prefilled epinephrine auto syringes in schools

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

\*[HB 1540](#)   [Basye](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Permits recording of IEP or Section 504 meetings by a student's parent or legal guardian

**Status:** 1/22/20 Executive Session Scheduled (H)

**Committee:** Elementary and Secondary Education

\*[HB 1568](#)   [Bailey](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to seclusion and restraint policies in public schools

**Status:** 1/22/20 Hearing Scheduled (H)

**Committee:** Elementary and Secondary Education

\*[HB 1569](#)   [Mackey](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to seclusion and restraint policies in public schools

**Status:** 1/16/20 Referred to Elementary and Secondary Education Committee (H)

**Committee:** Elementary and Secondary Education

[SB 787](#)   [Romine](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Requires all public and charter schools, and institutions of higher education to print the telephone number for the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline on either side of student identification cards

**Status:** 1/8/20 First Read (S)

[SB 890](#)   [Koenig](#)

Creates the Alternative Disability Services Act

This act creates the Collaborative Special Services Agreement Act. The act allows a parent, guardian, student who has reached the age of majority, or a public school to initiate the request for an agreement that special education services or supplementary aids be provided by a privately contracted, appropriately state certified provider. The public school is prohibited from discouraging or prohibiting a parent, guardian, or student who has reached the age of majority from negotiating or consenting to such an agreement. Costs related to the services or supplemental aids shall not be discussed as a part of the negotiation of such an agreement, and any contract for services or materials related to such

agreements shall be approved by the school board. The terms of such an agreement may include provisions for partial or full enrollment of the student in the public school, and the services and supplementary aids the public school will provide. Such agreement may continue until the end of the student's annual Individualized Education Program (IEP) or Individualized Services Plan (ISP) cycle, and may be extended or modified with agreement from the parent, guardian, or student who has reached the age of majority, and the public school. An agreement may be initiated when a student may not have advanced appropriately toward attaining the annual IEP goals, when the IEP or ISP accommodations or modifications have not been provided, or when special education and related services may not have been available from licensed or appropriately state certified personnel through the public school. The education of students with disabilities shall, to the maximum extent appropriate, be with students who do not have disabilities, and such students shall attend regular classes, except in the case of a disability resulting in violent behavior which causes substantial likelihood of injury to the students or others. The public school must provide to parents, guardians, or students who have reached the age of majority information regarding where special education services, related services and supplementary aids may be obtained, the public school's criteria for such services, and the public school's criteria under which the services and supplementary aids are obtained.

**Status:** 1/15/20 First Read (S)

## EMPLOYMENT

[HB 1263](#)      [Bangert](#)      [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to workers' compensation

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1276](#)      [Unsicker](#)      [Issue 1](#)

Requires state agencies to support competitive integrated employment for persons with disabilities

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1542](#)      [Veit](#)      [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to workers' compensation law

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1739](#)      [Hicks](#)      [Issue 1](#)

Adds provisions relating to occupational diseases diagnosed in first responders

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1965](#)      [Schroer](#)      [Issue 1](#)

Creates new provisions relating to occupational diseases diagnosed in first responders

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[SB 545](#)      [Sifton](#)      [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to occupational diseases under workers' compensation laws

**Status:** 1/9/20 Referred to Small Business and Industry Committee (S)

**Committee:** Small Business and Industry

[SB 565](#)     [Schupp](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Creates new provisions of law relating to leave from employment

**Status:** 1/9/20 Referred to Small Business and Industry Committee (S)

**Committee:** Small Business and Industry

[SB 610](#)     [Sater](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Enacts new provisions allowing employer policies relating to employee drug use

**Status:** 1/16/20 Referred to Small Business and Industry Committee (S)

**Committee:** Small Business and Industry

[SB 671](#)     [Hough](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Creates new provisions relating to legal claims based on prior toxic exposure to certain substances

**Status:** 1/8/20 First Read (S)

[SB 710](#)     [Eigel](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Creates new provisions relating to occupational diseases diagnosed in first responders

**Status:** 1/8/20 First Read (S)

[SB 748](#)     [White](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Enacts provisions relating to disability accommodations for commercial driver's license applicants

**Status:** 1/8/20 First Read (S)

## FUNDING/TAX RELIEF

[HB 1733](#)     [Christofanelli](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Establishes the "Missouri Empowerment Scholarship Accounts Program."

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 2068](#)     [Fitzwater](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Establishes the "Show Me a Brighter Future Scholarship Act"

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 2073](#)     [Carpenter](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Authorizes a tax credit for businesses owned by minorities, women, or service-disabled veterans who obtain a medical marijuana dispensary license

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 2185](#)     [Merideth](#)

Directs unclaimed lottery prizes to go to after school programs for high-need children

This bill directs unclaimed lottery prizes to go to the After School Special Fund. The money in the Fund will be used to supplement the educational resources of after-school academic programs. The Department of Elementary and

Secondary Education will give priority to programs where at least 80% of the children in the program have high need IEPs or the program is in a geographic high need area.

**Status:** 1/16/20 Second Read (H)

HJR 67     Anderson     Issue 1

Proposes a constitutional amendment exempting from taxation certain real and personal property owned by certain disabled veterans

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

HJR 94     Carpenter

Proposes a constitutional amendment exempting from taxation certain real and personal property owned by a veteran with a total service-connected disability

This bill proposes a constitutional amendment stating all property with a value of up to \$200,000 in 2021 and owned by a veteran with a total service-connected disability will not be taxed.

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

SB 547     Sifton     Issue 1

Modifies provisions relating to property tax assessments

**Status:** 1/8/20 First Read (S)

SB 548     Hegeman     Issue 1

Extends the sunset on certain health care provider federal reimbursement allowances

**Status:** 1/9/20 Referred to Appropriations Committee (S)

**Committee:** Appropriations

SB 549     Hegeman     Issue 1

Modifies provisions relating to the low-income housing tax credit

**Status:** 1/9/20 Re-referred to Economic Development Committee (S)

**Committee:** Economic Development

SB 580     Cierpiot     Issue 1

Establishes the "Long-Term Dignity Act"

**Status:** 1/9/20 Referred to Seniors, Families and Children Committee (S)

**Committee:** Seniors, Families and Children

\*SB 581     Cierpiot     Issue 1

Establishes the "Show Me a Brighter Future Scholarship Act"

**Status:** 1/21/20 Hearing Scheduled (S)

**Committee:** Ways and Means

SB 707     Koenig     Issue 1

Establishes the Missouri Empowerment Scholarship Accounts Program

**Status:** 1/8/20 First Read (S)

[SJR 56](#)     [Burlison](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Modifies a property tax exemption for certain veterans

**Status:** 1/9/20 First Read (S)

## HEALTH CARE/PERSONAL ASSISTANCE

[HB 1415](#)     [Helms](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Adds provisions relating to health care costs

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1416](#)     [Helms](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Establishes a pilot program to allow MO HealthNet participants to receive services through direct primary care arrangements

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1440](#)     [Helms](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Establishes provisions relating to prescription drugs

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1472](#)     [Appelbaum](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Requires the Department of Health and Senior Services to promulgate regulations consistent with CDC guidelines for prescribing opioids for chronic pain

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1513](#)     [Messenger](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Establishes the "Missouri Freedom to Choose Health Care Act"

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1517](#)     [Messenger](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions regarding prosthetic and orthotic devices

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1580](#)     [Ingle](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Requires the Department of Health and Senior Services to promulgate regulations consistent with CDC guidelines for prescribing opioids for chronic pain

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1616](#)     [Coleman](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Establishes the "Ensuring Coverage for Patients with Preexisting Conditions Act"

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

**[HB 1649](#)**     **[Clemens](#)**     **[Issue 1](#)**

Adds provisions relating to the cost of insulin

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

**[HB 1837](#)**     **[Green](#)**     **[Issue 1](#)**

Modifies provisions for MO HealthNet coverage for incarcerated individuals

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

**[HB 1909](#)**     **[Clemens](#)**     **[Issue 1](#)**

Adds provisions relating to multidose medications given to patients at discharge

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

**[HB 1910](#)**     **[Clemens](#)**     **[Issue 1](#)**

Adds provisions relating to prescription drug costs

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

**[HB 1927](#)**     **[Kelly](#)**     **[Issue 1](#)**

Modifies provisions relating to personal care assistance services

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

**[HB 1987](#)**     **[Merideth](#)**     **[Issue 1](#)**

Adds provisions relating to the cost of insulin

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

**[HB 2052](#)**     **[Sain](#)**     **[Issue 1](#)**

Adds provisions relating to pharmaceutical cost transparency

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

**[HB 2163](#)**     **[Rowland](#)**

Establishes provisions relating to insurance coverage for insulin drugs

This bill states on and after August 28, 2020 Insurance companies are only allowed to charge individuals with diabetes \$100 or less for a 30 day supply of insulin. The cost is allowed to increase each year based on the Consumer Price Index. The bill also instructs the Departments of Commerce and Insurance, Health and Senior Services, and Social Services to provide a report to the public regarding insulin pricing and related public policy recommendations by November 2, 2020.

**Status:** 1/15/20 Second Read (H)

**[\\*SB 524](#)**     **[Sater](#)**     **[Issue 1](#)**

Requires the Department of Social Services to apply for a global waiver for MO HealthNet

**Status:** 1/15/20 Hearing Completed (S)

**Committee:** Seniors, Families and Children



[SB 595](#)     [Hough](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to personal care assistance services

**Status:** 1/9/20 Referred to Appropriations Committee (S)

**Committee:** Appropriations

[\\*SB 629](#)     [Sifton](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Modifies the Ticket to Work Health Assurance Program

**Status:** 1/16/20 Referred to Seniors, Families and Children Committee (S)

**Committee:** Seniors, Families and Children

[SB 684](#)     [Sater](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Establishes the effective date of coverage of MO HealthNet services at the date of the participant's application

**Status:** 1/8/20 First Read (S)

[SB 749](#)     [White](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Requires health insurance policies to provide coverage for hearing instruments and related services for enrollees under the age of 18

**Status:** 1/8/20 First Read (S)

[SB 895](#)     [Eigel](#)

Prohibits Medicaid payments to health care providers for services for non-Missouri residents

The state shall not provide any payments, add-ons, or reimbursements to health care providers through MO HealthNet for medical assistance services to persons who are not considered Missouri residents under federal regulations.

**Status:** 1/15/20 First Read (S)

[\\*SJR 32](#)     [Sater](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Requires certain MO HealthNet participants to comply with work and community engagement requirements

**Status:** 1/15/20 Hearing Completed (S)

**Committee:** Seniors, Families and Children

## LEGAL RIGHTS/RESPONSIBILITIES

[HB 1388](#)     [Murphy](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to long-term care facilities

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1390](#)     [Price](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Creates civil rights for homeless persons

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1395](#)     [Price](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Requires election authorities to make available at least one electronic voting machine per polling location for disabled voters at an election in order to comply with federal law

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1396](#)   [Price](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Creates provisions for automatic voter registration

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1455](#)   [Schroer](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Prevents the state government from sharing medical marijuana user or applicant information with the federal government and others

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1594](#)   [Bland Manlove](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Creates provisions for automatic voter registration

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1662](#)   [Proudie](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Requires election authorities to make available at least one electronic voting machine per polling location for blind or visually impaired voters at an election in order to comply with federal law

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1944](#)   [Gunby](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Establishes certain rental protections for persons diagnosed with PTSD

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 2067](#)   [Mitten](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to unlawful discriminatory practices

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 2143](#)   [Ellebracht](#)

Criminalizes the disclosure of medical marijuana patients' information to unauthorized parties

This bill prohibits information from the statewide medical marijuana list or any medical marijuana applicant information from being disclosed to the federal government or unauthorized third party in any way. It is a class E felony to do so.

**Status:** 1/14/20 First Read (H)

[HB 2218](#)   [Mayhew](#)

Adds grandparents, uncles, and aunts to the list of individuals who are not required to submit background screenings if seeking appointments as guardians or conservators to certain persons

This bill adds grandparents, aunts, and uncles to those who are not required to submit background screenings as part of conservatorship or guardianship appointments.

**Status:** [1/16/20 First Read](#) (H)

[\\*SB 551](#) [Wieland](#)

Prohibits discrimination in insurance against any person based solely on the person's status as an organ donor

**Status:** [1/15/20 Hearing Completed](#) (S)

**Committee:** Insurance and Banking

[SB 712](#) [Arthur](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to anatomical gifts to persons with disabilities

**Status:** [1/8/20 First Read](#) (S)

## MENTAL HEALTH

[HB 1322](#) [Sommer](#) [Issue 1](#)

Designates May as Mental Health Awareness Month

**Status:** [1/9/20 Second Read](#) (H)

[HB 1324](#) [Sommer](#) [Issue 1](#)

Designates the month of September as Suicide Prevention Awareness Month in Missouri

**Status:** [1/9/20 Second Read](#) (H)

[HB 1382](#) [Washington](#) [Issue 1](#)

Requires long-term care facilities to have on staff one person trained in suicide assessment, treatment, and management

**Status:** [1/9/20 Second Read](#) (H)

[\\*HB 1383](#) [Washington](#) [Issue 1](#)

Designates July as "Minority Mental Health Awareness Month" in Missouri

**Status:** [1/16/20 Hearing Completed](#) (H)

**Committee:** Special Committee on Tourism

[HB 1470](#) [Appelbaum](#) [Issue 1](#)

Requires teachers and principals to complete two hours of suicide prevention education each school year

**Status:** [1/9/20 Second Read](#) (H)

[HB 1528](#) [Razer](#) [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to insurance coverage for mental health conditions

**Status:** [1/9/20 Second Read](#) (H)

[HB 1820](#)   [Kelley](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Enacts requirements relating to suicide prevention education and information

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1875](#)   [Gregory](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to antipsychotic drugs

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 2137](#)   [Neely](#)

Modifies provisions relating to insurance coverage for mental health conditions

This act states that no limitation can be placed on nonquantitative mental health treatments unless the standard used for the limitation is equal to or no more stringent than the standard used for medical or surgical treatment. It requires health benefit plans to submit a report to the director of the Department of Health and Senior Services who will then provide a presentation to the General Assembly. The bill describes in detail what will be in the reports and presentation.

**Status:** 1/15/20 Second Read (H)

[SB 666](#)   [White](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to antipsychotic drugs for MO HealthNet participants

**Status:** 1/8/20 First Read (S)

## OLMSTEAD

[HB 1772](#)   [Shields](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Adds provisions relating to Medicaid waivers

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

## SAFETY/PREVENTION

[HB 1265](#)   [Bangert](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Prohibits anyone from using a hand-held electronic wireless communication device while driving a non-commercial motor vehicle unless the device is equipped for hands-free operation and is being used in that manner

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1290](#)   [Evans](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Prohibits the use of a hand-held wireless communications device for texting by drivers of any age

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[\\*HB 1387](#)   [Murphy](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Establishes the "Authorized Electronic Monitoring in Long-Term Care Facilities Act"

**Status:** 1/16/20 Referred to Special Committee on Aging (H)

**Committee:** Special Committee on Aging

[HB 1474](#)   [Runions](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Imposes certain restrictions on the use of handheld wireless communications devices by persons operating motor vehicles

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1482](#)   [McDaniel](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Establishes the "Authorized Electronic Monitoring in Long-Term Care Facilities Act"

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1484](#)   [Rehder](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Establishes multidisciplinary adult protection teams

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1531](#)   [Razer](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Imposes certain restrictions on the use of handheld wireless communication devices by persons operating motor vehicles

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1633](#)   [Porter](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Prohibits the use of hand-held wireless communication devices by drivers of any age

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1674](#)   [Bland Manlove](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Prohibits text messaging while driving for all drivers

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

\*[HB 1743](#)   [Sommer](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Establishes the "Authorized Electronic Monitoring in Long-Term Care Facilities Act"

**Status:** 1/16/20 Referred to Special Committee on Aging (H)

**Committee:** Special Committee on Aging

[HB 1847](#)   [Pollitt](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Prohibits the use of a hand-held wireless communication device within a school zone

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1879](#)   [Tate](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Prohibits the use of hand-held electronic wireless communications devices while driving non-commercial and commercial motor vehicles; but allows the use of such devices when used hands-free by operators of non-commercial motor vehicles who are fully licensed and eighteen years of age or older

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 2190](#)     [Taylor](#)

Specifies when persons operating or riding a motorcycle or motortricycle must wear protective headgear

This bill specifies anyone under 18 years old must wear a helmet anytime they are driving or riding a motorcycle or motortricycle. It also specifies anyone who has an instruction permit no matter the age must wear a helmet. Any licensed motorcycle operator who is 18 years old or older can operate a motorcycle without a helmet as long as he/she has insurance which will cover injuries.

**Status:** 1/16/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 2193](#)     [Rodan](#)

Specifies when persons operating or riding a motorcycle or motortricycle must wear protective headgear

This act states that anyone under the age of 18 riding or driving a motorcycle or motortricycle must wear a helmet at all times. Individuals who have a motorcycle instruction permit must wear a helmet when the motorcycle or motortricycle is moving. Licensed motorcycle or motortricycle drivers who are age 18 or older do not have to wear a helmet as long as the individual has medical payment insurance, maintains proof of financial responsibility, and has health insurance to cover medical costs associated with a motorcycle accident.

**Status:** 1/15/20 Second Read (H)

[SB 532](#)     [Wallingford](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Enacts provisions relating to the operation of motor vehicles while using electronic devices

**Status:** 1/9/20 Referred to Transportation, Infrastructure and Public Safety Committee (S)

**Committee:** Transportation, Infrastructure and Public Safety

\*[SB 590](#)     [Burlison](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Specifies when persons operating or riding a motorcycle or motortricycle must wear protective headgear

**Status:** 1/16/20 Hearing Completed (S)

**Committee:** Transportation, Infrastructure and Public Safety

\*[SB 625](#)     [Libla](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Establishes multidisciplinary adult protection teams

**Status:** 1/16/20 Referred to Seniors, Families and Children Committee (S)

**Committee:** Seniors, Families and Children

## SERVICES

\*[HB 1270](#)     [Unsicker](#)     [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to blind pensions

**Status:** 1/16/20 Referred to Health and Mental Health Policy Committee (H)

**Committee:** Health and Mental Health Policy

[HB 1273](#)   [Unsicker](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to the verification of eligibility for public assistance

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

\*[HB 1683](#)   [Wood](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Establishes the "Alzheimer's State Plan Task Force"

**Status:** 1/15/20 Hearing Completed (H)

**Committee:** Special Committee on Aging

[HB 1705](#)   [Coleman](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Adds provisions relating to public health

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1841](#)   [Green](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Requires gas corporations to repair pipelines and equipment necessary for a customer to benefit from the service even if the customer is not up to date with payments

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

\*[HB 1869](#)   [Gregory](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to the scope of practice for physical therapists

**Status:** 1/13/20 Re-referred Professional Registration and Licensing Committee (H)

**Committee:** Professional Registration and Licensing

[HB 1960](#)   [Coleman](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Simplifies the application form for certain public assistance benefit programs and allows certain periodic eligibility review forms to be submitted as an attachment to a recipient's state tax return

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 2167](#)   [Morse](#)

Requires the Department of Social Services to conduct a study on generational use of public assistance

This bill requires the Department of Social Services to conduct a study to determine how many individuals receiving benefits or services from the Family Support Division are the great-grandchildren, grandchildren, or children of individuals who received benefits or services. The Department will submit a report using aggregate data to the General Assembly on or before January 1, 2023.

**Status:** 1/15/20 Second Read (H)

[SB 823](#)   [Wallingford](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Establishes the "Alzheimer's State Plan Task Force"

**Status:** 1/8/20 First Read (S)

[SJR 53](#)   [Eigel](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Prohibits implementation of any program providing a public benefit without an appropriation

This constitutional amendment, if approved by the voters, prohibits state departments and agencies from implementing any program which confers a state public benefit without an appropriation for such program.

**Status:** 1/8/20 First Read (S)

## OTHER

[HB 1323](#)   [Sommer](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Designates the third week of October as Invisible Disabilities Week in Missouri

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1326](#)   [Sommer](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Designates the month of September as Service Dog Month in Missouri

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1334](#)   [Kelley](#)

Allows Missouri driver's license applicants to elect to have a medical alert notation placed on the person's driver's license or nondriver's identification card

This bill allows a resident of Missouri to have a medical alert notation placed on his or her driver's license or nondriver's identification card. The bill specifies the medical conditions that may be listed on the license or identification card. The applicant must sign a waiver for the release of medical information and provide a sworn statement with the applicant's diagnosis from a physician or psychologist. Parental consent is required for anyone under 18 years of age. This bill requires the Department of Revenue to transfer the medical information received to the State Highway Patrol for entry into the Missouri Uniform Law Enforcement System (MULES). The applicant is made aware of the transfer of information in the application and consent requests. This bill has a delayed effective date of July 31, 2021.

**Status:** 1/16/20 Referred to Transportation Committee (H)

**Committee:** Transportation

[HB 1471](#)   [Appelbaum](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to the MO HealthNet Fraud Reimbursement Fund

This bill allows money in the MO HealthNet Fraud Reimbursement fund to be used to hire additional full-time Department of Social Services employees.

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[\\*HB 1572](#)   [Barnes](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Designates the month of September as "Deaf Awareness Month" and the last week of September as "Deaf Awareness Week"

**Status:** 1/16/20 Referred to Special Committee on Tourism (H)

**Committee:** Special Committee on Tourism



[HB 1651](#)   [Sommer](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Allows driver's license applicants to elect to have a disability designation placed on the person's driver's license

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

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

Adds provisions relating to insurance for living organ donors

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1719](#)   [Schnelting](#)

Allows Missouri driver's license applicants to have an autism notation placed on the person's driver's license or nondriver's identification card

This bill authorizes a Missouri driver's license applicant to apply to have an autism notation placed on his or her driver's license or nondriver's license identification card. The application must include a waiver of liability for the release of medical information, sworn statement verifying his or her autism diagnosis, and inform the applicant that the information will be entered into the Missouri Uniform Law Enforcement System (MULES), as specified in the bill. The autism notation shall not be printed on or removed from a driver's license or non-driver's identification card without the express consent of the licensee or the parent or guardian if the applicant is under 18 years of age or incapacitated. The bill has an effective date of July 20, 2021.

**Status:** 1/16/20 Referred to Transportation Committee (H)

**Committee:** Transportation

[HB 1740](#)   [Hicks](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Provides that placement of a child in an adoptive home shall not be delayed or denied on the basis that a prospective adoptive parent has a medical marijuana card or works in the medical marijuana industry

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1762](#)   [Knight](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Allows the Public Service Commission to authorize a low income rate for water and sewer service

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1773](#)   [Roberts](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Adds provisions relating to end-of-life care homes

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1718](#)   [Morse](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Designates June as "Myasthenia Gravis Awareness Month"

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[HB 1947](#)   [Barnes](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Exempts certain disabled veterans from driver's license fees

**Status:** 1/9/20 Second Read (H)

[\\*SB 617](#)   [Cunningham](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Provides for the distribution of epinephrine auto-injector devices to fire protection districts

**Status:** 1/16/20 Referred to Health and Pensions Committee (S)

**Committee:** Health and Pensions

[SB 767](#)   [Burlison](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions on permanent total disability benefit

**Status:** 1/8/20 First Read (S)

[SB 803](#)   [Crawford](#)   [Issue 1](#)

Modifies provisions relating to salaries of public administrators

**Status:** 1/8/20 First Read (S)

[SCR 33](#)   [May](#)

Designates August as Minority Organ Donor Awareness Month

This concurrent resolution designates each August as "Minority Organ Donor Awareness Month" in Missouri.

**Status:** 1/14/20 Referred to Rules, Joint Rules, Resolutions and Ethics Committee (S)

**Committee:** Rules, Joint Rules, Resolutions and Ethics

## APPROPRIATIONS

No pending bills