

Legislative Council Agenda

2/11/2019

Dinner – 6:00 pm

Meeting – 6:30 pm

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- I. Call to Order
- II. Presentation Medical Mutual
- III. Boards and Commission

[HB0471](#) Health Occupations - Requirements for the Practice of Optometry - Miscellaneous Revisions  
([SB0447](#)) Delegate Young, K.  
First Reading Health and Government Operations

[HB0526](#) Medical Laboratories - Laboratory Tests and Procedures – Advertising  
([SB0495](#)) Delegate Cullison  
First Reading Health and Government Operations

[HB0547](#) State Board of Physicians - Naturopathic Doctors - Formulary Content and Scope of Practice  
Delegate Krebs  
First Reading Health and Government Operations

[HB0638](#) State Board of Physicians - Sunset Evaluation and Performance Audit  
Delegate Pendergrass  
First Reading Health and Government Operations

[HB0696](#) Maryland Health Care Commission - Authorized Prescribers - Reporting of Financial Gratuities or  
([SB0430](#)) Incentives  
Delegate Pena-Melnyk  
First Reading Health and Government Operations

[SB0388](#) Civil Actions - Liability Insurance - Prohibition on Disclaiming Coverage  
Senator Zirkin  
First Reading Finance and Judicial Proceedings

- [SB0459](#) Medical Records - Compulsory Process Requests - Advisory Protocol and Voluntary Training  
Senator Waldstreicher  
Hearing 2/20 at 1:00 p.m.
- [SB0497](#) Pharmacists - Aids for the Cessation of Tobacco Product Use - Prescribing and Dispensing  
Senator Hayes  
Reassigned to Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs and Finance
- [SB0565](#) Health Occupations - Practice of Optometry - Therapeutically Certified Optometrists  
Senator Patterson  
Hearing 2/26 at 1:00 p.m.
- [SB0568](#) Crimes - Child Abuse and Neglect - Failure to Report  
Senator Lee  
Hearing 2/22 at 12:00 p.m.
- [SB0733](#) State Board of Physicians - Registered Cardiovascular Invasive Specialists  
Senator Zucker  
Hearing 2/26 at 1:00 p.m.
- [SB0773](#) Health Care Malpractice Qualified Expert – Qualification  
Senator Smith  
Hearing 3/06 at 12:00 p.m.
- [SB0784](#) Civil Actions - Health Care Malpractice Claims (Life Care Act 2019)  
Senator West  
Hearing 3/06 at 12:00 p.m.
- [SB0813](#) Personal Injury or Wrongful Death - Noneconomic Damages  
Senator Smith  
Hearing 3/06 at 12:00 p.m.
- [SB0869](#) Maryland No-Fault Birth Injury Fund  
Senator Kelley  
First Reading Senate Rules

IV. Health Insurance

[HB0545](#) Health Insurance - Freedom of Choice of Pharmacy Act  
Delegate Kipke  
First Reading Health and Government Operations

[HB0546](#) Health Insurance - Access to and Coverage of Specialty Drugs – Definition  
Delegate Kipke  
First Reading Health and Government Operations

[HB0599](#)  
([SB0631](#)) Health Insurance - Coverage for Mental Health Benefits and Substance Use Disorder Benefits -  
Requirements and Reports  
Delegate Kelly  
First Reading Health and Government Operations

[HB0607](#) Maryland Trauma Fund - State Primary Adult Resource Center - Reimbursement of On-Call and  
Standby Costs  
Delegate McIntosh  
Hearing 2/19 at 1:00 p.m.

[HB0697](#)  
([SB0868](#)) Health Insurance - Consumer Protections  
Delegate Pendergrass  
First Reading Health and Government Operations

[SB0410](#) Health Insurance - Coverage for Insulin - Prohibition on Deductible, Copayment, and Coinsurance  
Senator Beidle  
First Reading Finance

[SB0538](#) Health - Hospital-Based Facilities - Disclosure of Facility Fees  
Senator Lam  
Hearing 2/28 at 1:00 p.m.

[SB0609](#) Maryland Medical Assistance Program and Health Insurance - Coverage - Treatment for  
Contagious Diseases  
Senator Nathan-Pulliam  
First Reading Finance

[SB0759](#) Health - Prescription Drug Affordability Board  
Senator Klausmeier  
First Reading Finance

[SB0761](#) Health Insurance - Payments to Noncontracting Specialists and Noncontracting Nonphysician Specialists  
Senator Klausmeier  
First Reading Finance

[SB0802](#) Maryland Health Insurance Option (Protect Maryland Health Care Act of 2019)  
Senator Feldman  
First Reading Finance and Budget and Taxation

[SB0803](#) Health Facilities - Hospitals - Disclosure of Outpatient Facility Fees (Facility Fee Right-to-Know Act)

[SB0819](#) Health Insurance - Pharmaceutical Manufacturers - Transparency and Reporting  
Senator Hayes  
First Reading Finance

[SB0867](#) Health Insurance - Coverage for Diagnostic Laboratory Tests for Lyme Disease  
Senator Reilly  
First Reading Senate Rules

[SB0871](#) Public Health - Healthy Maryland Program – Establishment  
Senator Pinsky  
First Reading Senate Rules

V. Public Health

[HB0434](#) Pediatric Stroke - Awareness, Training, and Resource Materials (Laney Jaymes Fitzsimmons Act)  
[\(SB0307\)](#) Delegate Young, K.  
First Reading Health and Government Operations

[HB0506](#) Maryland Department of Health - Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children – Reports  
Delegate Valentino-Smith  
Hearing 2/19 at 1:00 p.m.

[HB0523](#) Public Schools - Use of Lead Ammunition in School Programs – Prohibition  
Delegate Palakovich Carr  
Hearing 2/21 at 1:00 p.m.

- [HB0583](#)  
([SB0356](#))  
Health - Maternal Mortality Review Program - Reporting Requirement  
Delegate Wilkins  
First Reading Health and Government Operations
- [HB0589](#)  
Maryland Medical Assistance Program and Managed Care Organizations That Use Pharmacy Benefits Managers - Reimbursement Requirements  
Delegate Barron  
First Reading Health and Government Operations
- [HB0630](#)  
([SB0420](#))  
Health - Abortions - Reporting Requirements  
Delegate Wivell  
First Reading Health and Government Operations
- [HB0660](#)  
([SB0557](#))  
Public Health - Tick-Borne Disease Interagency Workgroup  
Delegate Adams  
First Reading Health and Government Operations
- [SB0481](#)  
Environment - Drinking Water Outlets in School Buildings - Elevated Level of Lead and Grant Program  
Senator McCray  
Hearing 2/27 at 1:00 p.m.
- [SB0482](#)  
Maryland Medical Assistance Program - Managed Care Organizations - Behavioral Health Services  
Senator Kelley  
  
Hearing 2/20 at 1:00 p.m.
- [SB0498](#)  
Prescription Drug Monitoring Program - Disclosure of Data - Managed Care Organizations  
Senator Hayes  
  
Hearing 2/28 at 1:00 p.m.
- [SB0506](#)  
Maryland Department of Health - Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Services - Needs Assessment Study  
Senator Elfreth  
  
Hearing 2/20 at 1:00 p.m. (Finance)

- [SB0531](#) Public Health - Overdose Response - Storage Warehouses  
Senator Klausmeier  
First Reading Finance
- [SB0602](#) Public Health - Maternal Mortality Review Program - Establishment of Local Teams  
Senator Nathan-Pulliam  
Hearing 2/14 at 1:00 p.m.
- [SB0605](#) Hospitals - Emergency Departments - Identification, Treatment, and Rescue of Human Trafficking Victims  
Senator Nathan-Pulliam  
First Reading Finance
- [SB0614](#) Health Care Facilities - Blood Pressure Screening  
Senator Nathan-Pulliam  
First Reading Finance
- [SB0657](#) Pilot Program - Alleged Rape, Sexual Offense, or Child Sexual Abuse - HIV Postexposure Prophylaxis  
Senator King  
Hearing 2/22 at 12:00 p.m. (Judicial Proceedings)
- [SB0708](#) Electronic Nicotine Delivery Systems - Prohibitions and Requirements  
Senator Beidle  
First Reading Finance
- [SB0783](#) Public Health - Human Papillomavirus Vaccine - Information and Informed Consent  
Senator West  
Reassigned to Education, Health, and Environmental Affairs
- [SB0820](#) Public Health – Co–Prescribing, Prescribing and Dispensing Opioid Overdose Reversal Drugs  
Senator Hough  
First Reading Finance
- [SB0831](#) Landlord and Tenant - Repossession for Failure to Pay Rent - Procedure for Lead-Affected Property  
Senator Carter  
Hearing 2/28 at 12:00 p.m.

[SB0861](#) Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis Commission - Registration of Certifying Providers – Repeal  
Senator Zirkin  
Hearing 2/26 at 12:00 p.m.

VI. FYI

[HB0309](#) Task Force on Oral Health in Maryland  
([SB0431](#)) Delegate Cullison  
Hearing 2/12 at 1:00 p.m.

[HB0605](#) Maryland Medical Assistance Program - Telemedicine - Psychiatric Nurse Practitioners  
([SB0524](#)) Delegate Kelly  
First Reading Health and Government Operations

[HB0626](#) Health Care Facilities - Change in Bed Capacity - Certificate of Need Exemption  
Delegate Krebs  
First Reading Health and Government Operations

[HB0656](#) Cannabis - Legalization, Taxation, and Regulation  
([SB0771](#)) Delegate Luedtke  
First Reading Judiciary and Ways and Means

[HB0646](#) Maryland Health Care Commission - State Health Plan and Certificate of Need for Hospital Capital  
([SB0597](#)) Expenditures  
Delegate Pendergrass  
First Reading Health and Government Operations

[HB0681](#) State Department of Education and Maryland Department of Health - School-Based Health  
Centers – Ombudsmen  
Delegate Cullison  
First Reading Health and Government Operations and Ways and Means

[HB0693](#) Public Safety - Correctional Facilities - Mental Disorder Screening  
([SB0746](#)) Delegate Barron  
Hearing 2/26 at 1:00 p.m.

[SB0518](#) Discrimination in Employment - Pregnancy and Childbirth  
Senator Feldman  
Hearing 2/28 at 12:00 p.m.

- [SB0543](#) Health - Vital Records - Security Protocols and Protections  
Senator Lam  
First Reading Finance
- [SB0570](#) Distribution of Fentanyl Resulting in Death  
Senator Bailey  
Hearing 2/22 at 12:00 p.m.
- [SB0598](#) Maryland Medical Assistance Program - Coverage - Hepatitis C Drugs  
Senator Nathan-Pulliam  
First Reading Finance
- [SB0600](#) Health - Sickle Cell Disease - Steering Committee, Services, Testing, and Funding (Sickle Cell Treatment Act of 2019)  
Senator Nathan-Pulliam  
Hearing 2/26 at 1:00 p.m.
- [SB0645](#) Local Health Services Funding – Modifications  
Senator Klausmeier  
Hearing 2/27 at 1:00 p.m.
- [SB0649](#) Health Care Facilities - Change in Bed Capacity - Certificate of Need Exemption  
Senator Klausmeier  
First Reading Finance
- [SB0752](#) Food Supplement Program - Restaurant Meals Program  
Senator Lam  
First Reading Finance
- [SB0778](#) Education - Identification of Students With Traumatic Brain Injury - Study and Report  
Senator Waldstreicher  
Hearing 2/13 at 1:00 p.m.
- [SB0789](#) Involuntary Commitment - Procedures for Admission  
Senator Lam  
First Reading Finance
- [SB0836](#) Criminal Law - Drug Paraphernalia - Prevention of HIV and Viral Hepatitis  
Senator Carter  
Hearing 2/22 at 12:00 p.m.



[SB0854](#)

Workers' Compensation - Medical Cannabis - Compensation and Benefits

Senator Zirkin

Hearing 2/26 at 12:00 p.m.

[SB0855](#)

Correctional Services - Medical Cannabis - Medical Treatment for Inmates

Senator Zirkin

Hearing 2/26 at 12:00 p.m.

[SB0858](#)

Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis Commission - Academic Research - Medical Uses and Properties of Cannabis

Senator Zirkin

Hearing 2/26 at 12:00 p.m.

[SB0859](#)

Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis Commission – Advertisements

Senator Zirkin

Hearing 2/26 at 12:00 p.m.

[SB0860](#)

Natalie M. LaPrade Medical Cannabis Commission - Immunity - Revocation of Release

Senator Zirkin

Hearing 2/26 at 12:00 p.m.