

Human Services Committee

PUBLIC HEARING AGENDA

Thursday, March 10, 2022

10:00 AM in Zoom and YouTube Live

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I. BILLS FOR REVIEW

1. [S.B. No. 198](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADVISORY BOARD FOR PERSONS WHO ARE DEAF, HARD OF HEARING OR DEAFBLIND.
2. [S.B. No. 280](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING NATUROPATHS.
3. [S.B. No. 282](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING MEDICAL ASSISTANCE FOR BARIATRIC SURGERY AND PRESCRIPTION DRUG TREATMENT OF OBESITY.
4. [S.B. No. 284](#) (RAISED) AN ACT INCREASING THE AGE FROM EIGHT TO EIGHTEEN YEARS FOR AN INCOME-ELIGIBLE PERSON TO OBTAIN MEDICAL ASSISTANCE REGARDLESS OF IMMIGRATION STATUS.
5. [S.B. No. 287](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING MEDICAID.
6. [H.B. No. 5230](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING STANDARDS FOR INTERPRETERS FOR DEAF, DEAFBLIND AND HARD OF HEARING PERSONS.
7. [H.B. No. 5334](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING A STUDY OF LONG-TERM SERVICES AND SUPPORTS.

8. [H.B. No. 5335](#) (RAISED) AN ACT REQUIRING LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES TO CONDUCT SEX OFFENDER BACKGROUND CHECKS ON STAFF AND RESIDENTS.
9. [H.B. No. 5336](#) (RAISED) AN ACT APPLYING THE PROVISIONS OF THE INDIAN CHILD WELFARE ACT TO CHILD CUSTODY, PLACEMENT, ADOPTION AND TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS PROCEEDINGS INVOLVING AN INDIAN CHILD.
10. [H.B. No. 5337](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING A "FOOD IS MEDICINE TASK FORCE" AND HEALTHY EATING INCENTIVES.
11. [H.B. No. 5338](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING INCREASING THE RATE OF MEDICAID REIMBURSEMENT FOR HOME CARE SERVICES.
12. [H.B. No. 5339](#) (RAISED) AN ACT EXPANDING ACCESS TO THE CONNECTICUT HOME-CARE PROGRAM FOR THE ELDERLY.
13. [H.B. No. 5340](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING EQUITABLE MEDICAID PAYMENTS AND ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATIONS FOR APPLICANTS, RECIPIENTS AND FAMILY CAREGIVERS.
14. [H.B. No. 5342](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING MEMBERSHIP OF THE LOW-INCOME ENERGY ADVISORY BOARD.
15. [H.B. No. 5343](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL, TRANSGENDER AND QUEER HEALTH, HUMAN SERVICES AND OPPORTUNITY NETWORK.