

AGENDA

**House Committee on Health and Welfare**

Tuesday, May 23, 2017

Committee Room 5

9:00 a.m.

Chairman: Frank A. Hoffmann  
Vice Chairman: Bob Hensgens

Staff: Felicie Jackson, secretary  
Brandi Cannon, attorney  
Drew Murray, legislative analyst

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. OTHER BUSINESS

IV. DISCUSSION OF LEGISLATION

_____	<b>HCR 75</b>	<b>WHITE, MALINDA</b>	<b>HEALTH/MEDICAL TREATMENT</b> Requests the Louisiana Department of Health take all necessary steps to bring attention to the need to eliminate pain as the fifth vital sign and a determinate of quality patient care
_____	<b>HCR 83</b>	<b>AMEDEE</b>	<b>NURSES/REGISTERED</b> Requests a study of means by which to facilitate care by Louisiana-licensed nurses for Louisiana evacuees in other states
_____	<b>HCR 86</b>	<b>THOMAS</b>	<b>HOSPITALS</b> Urges and requests the La. Dept. of Health to finalize plans for implementing hospital payment reform within the Medicaid program
_____	<b>SB 37</b>	<b>MARTINY</b>	<b>PSYCHOLOGISTS</b> Provides relative to the Louisiana State Board of Examiners of Psychologists. (gov sig)
_____	<b>SB 38</b>	<b>MORRELL</b>	<b>COUNSELING/GUIDANCE</b> Provides with respect to mental health counselors. (gov sig)
_____	<b>SB 55</b>	<b>MILLS</b>	<b>HEALTH CARE</b> Provides relative to prescribers of controlled dangerous substances. (See Act)
_____	<b>SB 58</b>	<b>MILLS</b>	<b>HEALTH SERVICES</b> Provides relative to the statewide human services districts and authorities. (gov sig)
_____	<b>SB 59</b>	<b>MILLS</b>	<b>HEALTH CARE</b> Provides relative to prescription drug price information. (gov sig)

_____	<b>SB 75</b>	<b>MILLS</b>	<b>HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT</b> Provides relative to the health professional licensing boards created within the Louisiana Department of Health. (See Act)
_____	<b>SB 111</b>	<b>MIZELL</b>	<b>ABORTION</b> Requires proof of identification from parents for an unemancipated minor child to obtain an abortion based upon parental consent and requires court-ordered counseling if it is suspected that the minor is a victim of criminal sexual exploitation. (8/1/17)
_____	<b>SB 216</b>	<b>TARVER</b>	<b>HEALTH CARE</b> Provides for physician assistants executing emergency certificates relative to alleged mental illness or substance abuse. (8/1/17)
_____	<b>SB 217</b>	<b>ERDEY</b>	<b>CHIROPRACTORS</b> Increases the number of continuing education hours for chiropractors. (8/1/17)
_____	<b>SCR 21</b>	<b>MIZELL</b>	<b>HEALTH CARE</b> Requests Louisiana medical schools, prescriber licensing boards, and prescriber trade associations to take all necessary steps to eliminate pain as the fifth vital sign and to increase prescriber education and awareness on assessing, identifying, and treating the symptom of pain.

V. ANNOUNCEMENTS

VI. ADJOURNMENT

PLEASE SUBMIT A WITNESS CARD TO THE SECRETARY BEFORE THE MEETING BEGINS IF YOU WANT TO TESTIFY BEFORE THE COMMITTEE.