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

_____ HCR 75 WHITE, MALINDA HEALTH/MEDICAL TREATMENT 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

_____ HCR 83 AMEDEE NURSES/REGISTERED Requests a study of means by which to facilitate care by Louisiana-licensed nurses for Louisiana evacuees in other states

_____ HCR 86 THOMAS HOSPITALS Urges and requests the La. Dept. of Health to finalize plans for implementing hospital payment reform within the Medicaid program

_____ SB 37 MARTINY PSYCHOLOGISTS Provides relative to the Louisiana State Board of Examiners of Psychologists. (gov sig)

_____ SB 38 MORRELL COUNSELING/GUIDANCE Provides with respect to mental health counselors. (gov sig)

_____ SB 55 MILLS HEALTH CARE Provides relative to prescribers of controlled dangerous substances. (See Act)

_____ SB 58 MILLS HEALTH SERVICES Provides relative to the statewide human services districts and authorities. (gov sig)

_____ SB 59 MILLS HEALTH CARE Provides relative to prescription drug price information. (gov sig)
SB 75 MILLS HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT Provides relative to the health professional licensing boards created within the Louisiana Department of Health. (See Act)

SB 111 MIZELL ABORTION 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)

SB 216 TARVER HEALTH CARE Provides for physician assistants executing emergency certificates relative to alleged mental illness or substance abuse. (8/1/17)

SB 217 ERDEY CHIROPRACTORS Increases the number of continuing education hours for chiropractors. (8/1/17)

SCR 21 MIZELL HEALTH CARE 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.