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SB 46	Eye Care for Newborns and Infants	Farmer	<p>Last Action: 8/16/2019 S Referred to Health Policy; Banking and Insurance; Appropriations</p> <p>Companion Bill: H 67 (Farmer)</p> <p>Requiring a certain eye examination for newborns; requiring that coverage for children under health insurance policies and health maintenance contracts include certain eye examinations for newborns and infants, etc.</p>	
SB 64	Exemptions from School-entry Health Requirements	Book	<p>Last Action: 8/16/2019 S Referred to Health Policy; Education; Rules</p> <p>Companion Bill: None</p> <p>Deleting exemptions from school-entry health examinations and immunization requirements for religious reasons; requiring the Board of Medicine and the Board of Osteopathic Medicine to jointly create a medical exemption review panel, etc.</p>	
SB 66	Student Loans and Scholarship Obligations of Health Care Practitioners	Cruz	<p>Last Action: 10/28/2019 S On Committee agenda-- Health Policy, 11/05/19, 10:00 am, 412 Knott Building</p> <p>Companion Bills: H 77 (Goff-Marcil)</p> <p>H 115 (Duran)</p> <p>Establishing that a health care practitioner's failure to repay a student loan or to comply with service scholarship obligations does not constitute grounds for disciplinary action; removing a civil fine; removing the requirement that the Department of Health investigate and prosecute health care practitioners for failing to repay a student loan or to comply with scholarship service obligations, etc.</p>	
SB 116	Prescription Insulin Drugs	Cruz	<p>Last Action: 8/16/2019 S Referred to Banking and Insurance; Appropriations Subcommittee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government; Appropriations</p>	

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			<p>Companion Bills: H 109 (Duran/Casello)</p> <p>Defining the term “prescription insulin drug”; requiring individual and group health insurance policies, respectively, to cap an insured’s monthly cost-sharing obligation for covered prescription insulin drugs at a specified amount; requiring health maintenance contracts to cap a subscriber’s monthly cost-sharing obligation for covered prescription insulin drugs at a specified amount, etc.</p>	
			<p>Last Action: 9/3/2019 S Referred to Education; Health Policy; Rules</p> <p>Companion Bill: H 331 (Geller)</p>	
SB 120	Naloxone in Schools	Pizzo	<p>Authorizing a public school to purchase a supply or enter into an arrangement to receive a supply of the opioid antagonist naloxone for a certain purpose; requiring the school district to adopt a protocol for the administration of naloxone; providing that a school district and its employees and agents and the physician who provides the protocol are not liable for any injury arising from the administration of the naloxone pursuant to the protocol, etc.</p>	
			<p>Last Action: 9/19/2019 S Referred to Health Policy; Children, Families, and Elder Affairs; Rules</p> <p>Companion Bill: H 41 (Grieco)</p>	
SB 180	Conversion Therapy	Rodriguez	<p>Prohibiting a person who is licensed to provide professional counseling or a practitioner who is licensed under provisions regulating the practice of medicine, osteopathic medicine, psychology, clinical social work, marriage and family therapy, or mental health counseling from practicing or performing conversion therapy for an individual who is younger than a specified age; providing that such licensee or practitioner is subject to disciplinary proceedings by the Department of Health and the appropriate board under certain circumstances, etc.</p>	
			<p>Last Action: 9/19/2019 S Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations</p>	
SB 204	Delivery of Nursing Services	Braynon II	<p>Companion Bill: None</p> <p>Creating the “Florida Hospital Patient Protection Act”; requiring that each health care facility implement a staffing plan that provides minimum direct care registered nurse staffing levels;</p>	

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			prohibiting a health care facility from assigning unlicensed personnel to perform functions or tasks that should be performed by a licensed or registered nurse; requiring a direct care registered nurse to initiate action or to change a decision or an activity relating to a patient's health care under certain circumstances; prohibiting a health care facility from interfering with the right of direct care registered nurses to organize, bargain collectively, and engage in concerted activity under a federal act, etc.	
			Last Action: 10/23/2019 S Now in Appropriations	
			Companion Bills: H 221 Roach; H 485 Antone	
SB 230	Department of Health	Harrell	Revising the purpose of patient care networks from serving patients with acquired immune deficiency syndrome to serving those with human immunodeficiency virus; requiring the Department of Health to develop strategies to maximize federal-state partnerships that provide incentives for physicians to practice in medically underserved or rural areas; extending through 2025 the Florida Center for Nursing's responsibility to study and issue an annual report on the implementation of nursing education programs; requiring dentists and certified registered dental hygienists to report in writing certain adverse incidents to the department within a specified timeframe, etc.	
			Last Action: 10/15/2019 S Referred to Banking and Insurance; Health Policy; Rules	
SB 298	Prior Authorization for Opioid Alternatives	Farmer	Companion Bill: None Prohibiting health insurance policies from requiring that treatment with an opioid analgesic drug product be attempted and have failed before authorizing the use of a nonopioid-based analgesic drug product, etc.	
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SB 348	Florida Kidcare Program	Bean	Companion Bill: H 6031 (Pigman) Removing the lifetime maximum cap on covered expenses for a child enrolled in the Florida Healthy Kids program, etc.	

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SB 356	Keep Our Graduates Working Act	Hutson	<p>Last Action: 10/15/2019 S Referred to Education; Innovation, Industry, and Technology; Rules</p> <p>Companion Bill: H 115 (Duran); H 77 (Goff-Marcil)</p> <p>Creating the "Keep Our Graduates Working Act of 2020"; prohibiting a state authority from suspending or revoking a person's professional license, certificate, registration, or permit solely on the basis of a delinquency or default in the payment of his or her student loan, etc.</p>	
SB 416	Insurance Coverage for Breast Cancer Tests and Procedures	Berman	<p>Last Action: 10/15/2019 S Referred to Health Policy; Banking and Insurance; Rules</p> <p>Companion Bill: H263 (Brown)</p> <p>Providing definitions; prohibiting cost-sharing requirements for specified breast cancer tests and procedures under individual health insurance policies, group, blanket, and franchise health insurance policies, and health maintenance contracts, etc.</p>	
SB 448	Prescriptive Authority Certification for Psychologists	Brandes	<p>Last Action: 10/15/2019 S Referred to Health Policy; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations</p> <p>Companion Bill: None</p> <p>Requiring the Board of Psychology to certify specified psychologists to exercise prescriptive authority; specifying application requirements for certification; specifying requirements for the prescribing of drugs and controlled substances by a prescribing psychologist, etc.</p>	
SB 500	Prohibited Acts by Health Care Practitioners	Harrell	<p>Last Action: 10/11/2019 S Filed</p> <p>Companion Bill: H309 (Massullo)</p> <p>Authorizing disciplinary action to be enforced by the Department of Health for the use of specified names or titles without a valid license or certification to practice as such, etc.</p>	
SB 672	Coverage for Cancer and Associated Conditions Drug Treatment	Mayfield	<p>Last Action: 10/25/2019 S Filed</p> <p>Companion Bill: H 261 (Brown; Toledo); H 373 Massullo</p> <p>Prohibiting health maintenance organizations from excluding coverage for certain cancer treatment drugs; prohibiting health insurers and health maintenance organizations from requiring, before providing prescription drug coverage for the treatment of stage 4 metastatic</p>	

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			cancer and associated conditions, that treatment have failed with a different drug; providing applicability, etc	
