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COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, CONSUMER PROTECTION, AND HEALTH
Senator Rosalyn H. Baker, Chair
Senator Stanley Chang, Vice Chair

AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Friday, February 7, 2020
TIME: 9:30 AM 8:30 AM
PLACE: Conference Room 229
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

AMENDED AGENDA

SB 2277
RELATING TO ADOLESCENT MENTAL HEALTH CARE. CPH, JDC
Allows an unlicensed mental health professional, working under the supervision of a licensed mental health professional, to provide mental health treatments or counseling services to minors without parental or legal guardian consent, knowledge, or participation. Requires a mental health professional to assist a minor with completing a non-disclosure notification form to send to covered entities, when appropriate. Requires a covered entity, upon receiving a completed notification form, to maintain confidentiality of minor-initiated mental health treatment or counseling services.

SB 2631
RELATING TO THE MENTAL HEALTH OF DEFENDANTS. CPH, JDC
Permits judicial discretion for suspension of criminal proceedings for assessment and treatment should the defendant have serious and persistent mental health illness.

SB 2506
RELATING TO THE MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SPECIAL FUND. CPH, WAM
Authorizes the mental health and substance abuse special fund to be used for certain capital improvements. Repeals on June 30, 2025.

SB 2597
RELATING TO THE HAWAII STATE HOSPITAL. CPH, WAM
Appropriates funds for the renovation and repurposing of the Guensberg building at the Hawaii state hospital for a secure residential co-occurring treatment program.

SB 2505
RELATING TO HEALTH. CPH, WAM
Requires and appropriates funds for the department of health to establish a continuum of stabilization beds statewide for non-forensic patients with substance abuse or mental health disorders, or both, by repurposing unused state facilities.
| SB 2982 | RELATING TO THE TRANSITION OF THE OAHU REGIONAL HEALTH CARE SYSTEM FROM THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION INTO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH. | CPH, WAM Measure deleted on 02-03-2020 |
| SB 2504 | RELATING TO THE TRANSITION OF THE OAHU REGIONAL HEALTH CARE SYSTEM FROM THE HAWAII HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION INTO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH. | CPH, WAM Measure added on 02-03-2020 |
| SB 2592 | RELATING TO DRUG TREATMENT. Appropriates funding for the implementation and development of the Hawaii coordinated access recovery entry system to increase access to treatment for all individuals who suffer any form of substance abuse and mental illness. Requires the DOH to pursue all known funding sources for drug treatment programs prior to expending general revenue funds appropriated. Requires DOH to exhaust all public and private insurance options for reimbursement for individual treatment provided before expending appropriated funds. | CPH, WAM |
| SB 2773 | RELATING TO OPIOIDS. Requires providers authorized to prescribe opioids to discuss with patients certain risks associated with controlled substances that are opioids prior to issuing initial opioid prescriptions for the treatment of acute pain. Requires providers to include a note acknowledging the discussion of the risks associated with opioids in the patient's medical record. | CPH, JDC |
| SB 3045 | RELATING TO PRESCRIPTION DRUG RATE SETTING. Establishes a prescription affordability commission within the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs to review prescription drug costs and establish levels of reimbursement. Appropriates moneys. | CPH, WAM |
| SB 3075 | RELATING TO PSYCHOLOGISTS. Requires the board of psychology to establish a pilot program to grant prescriptive authority to qualified psychologist applicants in counties with a population of less than 100,000 persons. Repeals on 8/31/2025. | CPH, JDC Measure added on 02-03-2020 |
SB 2408  
Status &  
Testimony  

RELATING TO THE COMPOSITION OF THE STATE COUNCIL ON MENTAL HEALTH. Requires the State Council on Mental Health to include at least 3 members with demonstrated knowledge of or work experience involving Native Hawaiian concepts of well-being, culturally grounded mental health methodologies, or traditional healing or health practices.  

CPH, WAM  
Measure added on 02-03-2020

SB 2588  
Status &  
Testimony  

RELATING TO JURORS. Permits psychologists to claim exemption from service as a juror.  

CPH, JDC  
Measure added on 02-03-2020

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.  

Click here to submit testimony.  

Testimony may be submitted up to 24 hours prior to the start of the hearing.

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Senator Rosalyn H. Baker
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