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AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Tuesday, February 10, 2009
TIME: 1:15 pm
PLACE: Conference Room 016
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

<u>SB 1679</u> <u>Testimony</u> <u>Status</u>	<u>RELATING TO THE EMERGENCY AND BUDGET RESERVE FUND.</u> <u>Appropriates moneys from the emergency budget and reserve fund to maintain levels of programs for education, human services, and health.</u>	<u>HTH/HMS, WAM</u> [Measure added on 02-06-09]
<u>SB 417</u> <u>Testimony</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO HEALTH. Establishes reimbursement guidelines for medicaid to hospitals and facilities with long-term care beds. Makes appropriation.	HMS/HTH, WAM
<u>SB 1344</u> <u>Testimony</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO HEALTH CARE. Requires DHS to include in its request for proposals for QUEST providers various provisions to safeguard against disruption of services that may be caused by positive enrollment.	HMS/HTH, CPN
<u>SB 1191</u> <u>Testimony</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO THE PURCHASES OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES. Specifies that proposals for purchases of health and human services must be submitted by duly licensed providers and for the exact amount to be expended by the State.	HMS/HTH, JGO
<u>SB 917</u> <u>Testimony</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO THIRD PARTY LIABILITY FOR MEDICAID. Ensures State compliance to the P.L. 109-171, the federal Deficit Reduction Act of 2005 (DRA), section 6035, that requires the strengthening of the State's ability to identify and obtain payments from third party resources that are legally responsible to pay claims primary to medicaid.	HMS/HTH, CPN
<u>SB 820</u> <u>Testimony</u> <u>Status</u>	RELATING TO HEALTH. Appropriates funds for the healthy aging partnership program operated by the executive office on aging.	HMS/HTH, WAM

SB 423	RELATING TO HEALTH.	HMS/HTH, WAM
Testimony	Appropriates money to match federal funds for medicaid.	
Status		
SB 422	RELATING TO HEALTH.	HMS/HTH, WAM
Testimony	Appropriates funds to the department of health to provide for continued respite services for family caregivers.	
Status		
SB 419	RELATING TO HEALTH.	HMS/HTH, WAM
Testimony	Requires the department of human services to provide presumptive eligibility for medicaid-eligible patients who have been waitlisted for long-term care.	
Status		
SB 182	RELATING TO CHILDREN.	HTH/HMS, WAM
Testimony	Expands the scope of services provided and broadens the definition of children covered by state early intervention services. Incorporates elements of the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004. Makes an appropriation.	
Status		
SB 818	RELATING TO HEALTH.	HTH/HMS, WAM
Testimony	Requires the department of health and the department of human services to post on their respective websites reports of all inspections of care facilities. Appropriates funds to the department of health and to the department of human services to prepare to post inspection reports online.	
Status		
SB 1304	RELATING TO GENERAL EXCISE TAX.	HTH/HMS, WAM
Testimony	Provides a general excise tax deferment for 4 years for payments received from medicaid or medicare by for-profit hospitals, that provide services to an annual patient population consisting of 60% or more uninsured, medicaid, and medicare patients.	
Status		
SB 1310	RELATING TO HEALTHCARE.	HTH/HMS, WAM
Testimony	Allows patients enrolled in QUEST Expanded Access to receive services through an alternative provider at a community-based medical home. Makes an appropriation.	
Status		
SB 791	RELATING TO CHILDREN.	HTH/HMS, WAM
Testimony	Appropriates funds from general revenues and the temporary assistance for needy families funds for the healthy start program.	
Status		
SB 817	RELATING TO SENIOR CENTERS.	HTH/HMS, WAM
Testimony	Makes an appropriation for certain senior centers on Oahu.	
Status		
SB 821	RELATING TO ELDER CARE.	HTH/HMS, WAM
Testimony	Requests the executive office on aging to cooperate with county offices of aging to develop a plan to increase voluntary contributions, procedures for managing waitlists, and policies for implementing a cash and counseling model for service delivery. Makes an appropriation for the kupuna care program.	
Status		

SB 824

Testimony

Status

RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE.

Appropriates funds to assist with the development of the aging and disability resource center program.

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Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

FOR AMENDED HEARING NOTICES: If the notice is an amended notice, measures that have been deleted are stricken through and measures that have been added are underscored. If there is a measure that is both underscored and stricken through, that measure has been deleted from the agenda.

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- In person: 1 copy of their testimony to the committee clerk, Room 226, State Capitol.
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