

THE SENATE  
THE TWENTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE  
REGULAR SESSION OF 2010

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH  
Senator David Y. Ige, Chair  
Senator Josh Green, M.D., Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Wednesday, February 3, 2010  
TIME: 3:00 pm  
PLACE: Conference Room 016  
State Capitol  
415 South Beretania Street

A G E N D A

<a href="#"><u>SB 2272</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Testimony</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Status</u></a>	RELATING TO CONTINUING EDUCATION FOR NURSES. Requires nurses licensed in the state to complete 15 hours of continuing education during each two-year license period as a requirement for license renewal.	HTH, CPN
<a href="#"><u>SB 2207</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Testimony</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Status</u></a>	RELATING TO MEDICAL RESIDENCY. Allows medical residents who are licensed to practice medicine in the State to practice medicine outside of their medical residency program hospitals or clinics.	HTH, CPN
<a href="#"><u>SB 2163</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Testimony</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Status</u></a>	RELATING TO THE PRACTICE OF NURSING. Defines the practice of nursing; directs the state board of nursing to adopt certain provisions of the NCSBN Model Nursing Practice Act and Model Nursing Administrative Rules; delineates the scope of practice for registered nurses, licensed practical nurses, and advanced practice registered nurses; repeals Hawaii Administrative Rules relating to prescriptive authority for advanced practice registered nurses.	HTH, CPN
<a href="#"><u>SB 2188</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Testimony</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Status</u></a>	RELATING TO DENTISTRY. Redefines the practice of dentistry to include teeth whitening.	HTH, CPN
<a href="#"><u>SB 2126</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Testimony</u></a> <a href="#"><u>Status</u></a>	RELATING TO DENTAL SERVICES. Prohibits a accident and health or sickness insurer, mutual benefit society, health maintenance organization, or dental service organization from requiring a dentist who provides services to its subscribers to accept a fee set by the accident and health or sickness insurer, mutual benefit society, health maintenance organization, or dental service organization unless the services are covered under the applicable subscriber agreement.	HTH, CPN

<a href="#"><u>SB 2491</u></a>	RELATING TO TELEMEDICINE.	HTH, CPN
<a href="#"><u>Testimony</u></a>	Clarifies telehealth as a practice of medicine. Amends liability insurance provisions to allow for telehealth coverage under medical malpractice insurance.	
<a href="#"><u>Status</u></a>		
 <a href="#"><u>SB 2489</u></a>	 RELATING TO NATUROPATHIC MEDICINE.	 HTH, CPN
 <a href="#"><u>Testimony</u></a>	 Removes the authority of the board of naturopathic medicine to establish examination standards for minor office procedures and a naturopathic formulary.	
 <a href="#"><u>Status</u></a>		

**Decision Making to follow, if time permits.**

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