

THE SENATE
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COMMITTEE ON HEALTH
Senator Jarrett Keohokalole, Chair
Senator Rosalyn H. Baker, Vice Chair

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Wednesday, March 24, 2021
TIME: 1:00PM
PLACE: Via Videoconference

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A G E N D A

HB 1281, HD1 (HSCR701) Status & Testimony	RELATING TO EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES. Establishes a four-year transfer of certain duties, functions, and powers relating to emergency medical services for the city and county of Honolulu from the department of health to the city and county of Honolulu. Begins transition with the training and billing for emergency services on 7/1/2021. Appropriates general funds to the city and county of Honolulu for emergency medical services for fiscal years 2021-2022 and 2022-2023. Appropriates half of the moneys in the emergency medical services special fund to the general for fiscal years 2021-2022 and 2022-2023. Phases out state funding for emergency medical services in the city and county of Honolulu by 6/30/2025. (HD1)	HTH, WAM/JDC
HB 991, HD2 (HSCR899) Status & Testimony	RELATING TO THE DISCLOSURE OF VITAL STATISTICS RECORDS. Authorizes the department of health to disclose vital statistics records for public health and law enforcement purposes. Updates eligibility requirements for access to confidential vital statistics records. Effective 7/1/2060. (HD2)	HTH, JDC
HB 1032, HD1 (HSCR748) Status & Testimony	RELATING TO THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT. Updates the Uniform Controlled Substances Act, chapter 329, Hawaii Revised Statutes, to make it consistent with amendments in the federal controlled substances law as required by section 329-11, Hawaii Revised Statutes. (HD1)	HTH, JDC

<p>SCR 33 / SR 22</p> <p>Status & Testimony / Status & Testimony</p>	<p>REQUESTING THE OFFICE OF PRIMARY CARE AND RURAL HEALTH TO FACILITATE DISCUSSIONS WITH KEY COMMUNITY HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS WITHIN WEST HAWAII AND MAJOR HEALTHCARE STAKEHOLDERS IN SENATE DISTRICT 3 TO ADDRESS THE HEALTH AND WELLNESS NEEDS OF THE MOST VULNERABLE BY ALIGNING THE GOALS AND OBJECTIVES OF KEY ORGANIZATIONS INTO ONE SHARED 2030 HEALTH VISION PLAN.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p>SCR 37 / SR 26</p> <p>Status & Testimony / Status & Testimony</p>	<p>REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO REPORT ON CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION INSTRUCTION BEING OFFERED THROUGHOUT STATE DEPARTMENTS.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p>SCR 255 / SR 214</p> <p>Status & Testimony / Status & Testimony</p>	<p>REQUESTING THAT JUNE 27 OF EACH YEAR BE RECOGNIZED AS POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS INJURY AWARENESS DAY AND DESIGNATING THE MONTH OF JUNE OF EACH YEAR AS POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS INJURY AWARENESS MONTH IN HAWAII.</p>	<p>HTH</p>
<p>SCR 35 / SR 24</p> <p>Status & Testimony / Status & Testimony</p>	<p>REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO PROVIDE A PLAN FOR IMPROVING ITS PROCESS FOR FULFILLING VITAL RECORD REQUESTS FROM NEIGHBOR ISLAND RESIDENTS.</p>	<p>HTH</p>

Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

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Chair