

IPHA Bill Tracker

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BILLS TO BE CONSIDERED

| Bill # | Other Versions | Title | Description | Current Status (newest in bold) | IPHA position | Governor Action |
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| HSB 500 | SF 57 HSB 226 | Postpartum Medicaid Coverage | Directs the HHS to seek a federal waiver to extend Medicaid coverage for post-partum services to 12 months. | Introduced by Meyer Health and Human Services Subcommittee: Wood, Boden, Wessel-Kroeschell | FOR | |
| HSB 552 | | Banning Guaranteed Income Programs | Prohibits any city or county from enacting a guaranteed income program without express authorization in state law. Gives the AG the power to enforce the prohibition. | Introduced by Holt Judiciary Subcommittee: Holt, Wessel-Kroeschell, Wheeler Passed subcommittee 2-1 on 01/18 Passed Committee w/ amendment | Undecided | |
| HSB 573 | | Health Provider Assaults | Amends the definition of “health care provider” to be a person who is working, volunteering, or participating in an educational course of instruction at a hospital or rural emergency hospital Assault on a healthcare provider can result in an serious misdemeanor, aggravated misdemeanor, or class “D” felony | Subcommittee: A Meyer, Collins, Scheetz Passed subcommittee 3-0 on 01/25 Passed Committee | Monitor | |
| HSB 623 | | Health Information Network | Requires the designated entity to administer and govern the state-designated HDU for the state. | Introduced by Meyer Health and Human Services Subcommittee: Lundgren, Baeth, Meyer, A Subcommittee scheduled: 02/05 at 12:30PM | Undecided | |
| HSB 643 | Companion to SSB 3140 | Governor’s Postpartum Coverage | Requires the HHS submit a Medicare/Medicaid amendment to provide 12-months of continuous post-partum coverage to women at 215% of the FPL. Requires to update infant eligibility for CHIP. | Governor’s Bill Health and Human Services Subcommittee: Wood, Boden, Wessel-Kroeschell Subcommittee Scheduled 02/06 at 11:00AM Subcommittee: Costello, Peterson, Sweeney Subcommittee scheduled 02/05 at 3:30PM | Not yet registered | |
| HSB 649 | | Defines Sex for Statutory Purposes | Defines “sex”, “woman”, “female” | Governor’s Bill Education | Monitor | |

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| | | | <p>Stipulates that equal does not mean identical, and that separate accommodations are not inherently unequal</p> <p>Data collection shall identify the sex of each person included as either male or female</p> <p>Requires birth certificates to include a designation of sex at the time of birth</p> <p>Requires licenses to show designation of the person at birth</p> | Subcommittee: Hora, Boden, Steckman | | |
| HF 2280 | Successor to HF 464 | Home School Vaccine Requirements | Strikes requirements that children who are home schooled provide the child's school district of residence with a child's immunizations | Introduced by Gustoff Education Passed Subcommittee 2-1 on 01/11 Passed Committee with amendment | Undecided | |
| HF 2282 | | Radon Awareness | Appropriates \$300,000 in FY 2025 to DHHS for radon awareness programs. \$200,000 is to support the Iowa Radon Program and \$20,000 for radon home kits | Introduced by Wilz Appropriations | ?? | |
| HF 2283 | | Obesity Deaths | Appropriates \$900,000 to DHHS in FY 2025 for an evidence-based obesity death reduction strategy. | Introduced by Wilz Appropriations | ?? | |
| HF 2022 | | Double Up Food Bucks | Appropriates 1 million for DUFEB program | Introduced By Latham, Ingels, Young Appropriations | FOR | |
| HF 2031 | Companion: SF 2150 by Alons, 4 other R's | Sex-ed courses | Incorporates provisions related to pregnancy and fetal development into the human growth and development and health curriculum provided by school districts. | Introduced by 11 House R's Education Passed Subcommittee 2-1 on 01/30 | Monitor | |
| HF 2041 | Companion SF 2058 | Vaccine Information Content | Requires the DHHS to require health care providers who give vaccines to receive informed consent before reporting the information to the Iowa Health Information Network. Allows a patient to withdraw consent at any time. Limits the amount of information that can be reported. | Introduced by Shipley Health and Human Services Introduced by Guth Subcommittee: Edler, Rowley, Wahls | Monitor | |
| HF 2042 | | Summer EBT Program II | Requires DHS to participate in the summer EBT program to the USDA and to coordinate efforts. Appropriates \$2.9 million from the GF to the DHHS for administration. Authorizes that part of the funds can be used to contract with the UI College of Public | Introduced by Isenhardt Health and Human Services | FOR | |

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| | | | Health to evaluate the impact of the program. Appropriates \$2.8 million to the Double-Up food program. | | | |
| HF 2044 | Companion SF 2064 | Minor Vaccine Consent | Does not allow a minor to consent to receiving vaccines in provisions allowing the minor to consent to treatment for STDs | Introduced by Shipley Health and Human Services | Against | |
| HF 2047 | | Disability Status + Vaccinations | The definition of disability for purposes of Ch. 216 includes the condition of whether or not a person is vaccinated against a particular disease | Introduced by Shipley Judiciary | Monitor | |
| HF 2053 | | Child Cardiac Monitoring | Requires the DHHS and the DOE to collaborate on the cardiac health of children. Requires the development of forms to evaluate the family history of a child, to gather information related to the AHA screening for child heart health and on other related matters. Requires a provider doing a well-child examination/athlete physical to do a child heart evaluation. Requires the provider to send a signed certificate to DIAL regarding this requirement and makes the failure to do so subject to civil penalties. Requires children to give signed copies of the screenings to schools before participating in interscholastic/intramural activities. | Introduced by Jacoby State Government | Monitor | |
| HF 2054 | Companion: SF 2087 | Therapeutic Vitamins | Appropriates \$75 million for the Therapeutic Classroom Incentive Program for the nutritional needs of students in the program – includes access to micro and macro nutrients and vitamins | Introduced by Shipley Education | Monitor | |
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| HF 2055 | | Ending School Vaccine Mandates | Strikes the requirements for a child to be immunized in order to enroll in school or childcare | Introduced by Shipley Education | Against | |
| HF 2070 | | Indoor Mold Program | Requires DHHS to establish an Indoor Mold awareness program for the public – includes information on mold and on remediation methods. | Introduced by Hayes Health and Human Services Subcommittee: Andrews, Kniff McCulla, Madison Passed Subcommittee 3-0 | Monitor | |
| HF 2071 | | Enforcing Vaccine Mandates | Prohibits enforcing vaccination requirements unless the FDA and DHHS have determined that the vaccination is safe, with benefits outweighing the risks and the vaccine being effective for its intended use | Introduced by Shipley Judiciary | Monitor | |
| HF 2082 | | Gender Identity Protections | Removes gender identity as a protected class, adds gender dysphoria to disabilities covered by the act | Introduced by Shipley Judiciary Did not pass subcommittee vote of 3-0 | Monitor | |
| HF 2090 | Companion to SF 2030 | Public Health Emergency Authority | Amends current law to require the approval of the legislature to extend or rescind a public health disaster or disaster emergency declaration. Makes requirements for future disaster proclamations. *reasonable measures taken by HHS do not include requiring identification and monitoring of persons who may be at risk of contracting a contagious or infections disease by virtue of contact with a contagious person. *Length of isolation shall not exceed the longest usual incubation period for the specific disease *cannot order that individuals be vaccinated against an infectious disease | Introduced by Dieken State Government Subcommittee: Bergan, Collins, Gjerde Introduced by Salmon State Government Subcommittee: Schultz, Bisignano, Boussetot | Monitor | |
| HF 2097 | | Church Exemption from Disaster Declaration | Prohibits the governor from closing, placing a mandate on, or otherwise regulating a place or practice of worship for any reason including a disaster emergency or public health disaster. | Introduced by Dieken Judiciary Subcommittee: Kaufmann, James, Wills Passed subcommittee 2-0 on 01/31 | Against | |
| HF 2112 | | Public Assistance and Smuggling | DHHS must require that all noncitizen applicants for public assistance document and verify their noncitizen status. HHS will then determine if they are eligible for public assistance. DHHS must also verify the immigration status of all applicants. | Introduced by House R's Judiciary Subcommittee: Holt, Olson, Wheeler Passed subcommittee 2-1 on 01/30 | Monitor | |
| HF 2169 | | No Minors in Tanning Beds | Bars tanning facilities from renting to minors under 18 | Introduced by H. Wilz | Monitor | |

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| | | | | Commerce Subcommittee: Thomson, C., Wilz, Nielsen Passed subcommittee 2-1 on 02/01 | | |
| HF 2267 | Formerly HF 2057 Companion to SSB 3114 | MOMS Program | Allows DHHS to administer the MOMS program through a contract with a pregnancy support provider | Health and Human Services Passed Subcommittee 2-1 on 01/23 Passed Committee Passed Subcommittee on 01/31 | Monitor | |
| SSB 3006 | | Protections for Health Care Workers | Allows a health care institution, payor or provider to refuse to pay for or to perform a health care service that violates the conscience of the institution, payor or provider. Establishes immunity for the refusal. Does not eliminate the requirement to give emergency health care to all patients. Establishes whistleblower protections for providing information related to violations of the bill or for testifying or acting in other proceedings. Prohibits professional discipline. Authorizes civil actions against attempts to violate the bill. | Introduced by Zaun Judiciary Subcommittee: J Taylor, Petersen, Schultz Passed Subcommittee 2-1 | Undecided | |
| SF 297 | | Beliefs of Healthcare Providers | Protects religious and moral beliefs of health care providers and health care facilities. Health providers and facilities have the right to refuse to participate in or refer medical procedures | Introduced by Taylor Subcommittee: Taylor, Schultz, Weiner | Monitor | |
| SF 2196 | Formerly SF 2003 Companion: HF 2045 by Shipley | Vaccination Information | Requires a school nurse include information on exemptions when communicating with parents about vaccination requirements. Requires schools to post exemption information on the internet. | Introduced by Green Education Passed subcommittee 2-1 w/ amendment (to be drafted) Passed Committee with amendment that took out requirement for nurses distribution | Undecided | |
| SF 2039 | Companion: HF 2140 by House D's | Summer EBT | Requires the state to participate in the EBT Summer Food program. Democrats said that the bill must move forward by February 15 in order for the state to secure \$29 million in federal funding. | Introduced by Trone Garriott, All D's Health and Human Services Subcommittee: Edler, Costello, Trone Garriott | FOR | |
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