

THE SENATE
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[COMMITTEE ON HEALTH](#)

Senator Josh Green, Chair
Senator Glenn Wakai, Vice-Chair

MEASURES DEFERRED TO WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2015

DATE: Wednesday, February 11, 2015
TIME: 1:15 PM
PLACE: Conference Room 414
State Capitol
415 South Beretania Street

DECISION MAKING ON THE FOLLOWING MEASURE(S):

SB978 Status and Testimony	RELATING TO YOUTH. Appropriates funds to support anti-bullying and suicide prevention efforts in Hawaii's public schools.	EDU/HTH, WAM
SB1327 Status and Testimony	RELATING TO HEALTH CARE. <u>Requires the State to pay costs assessed on low-income Compacts of Free Association residents and other lawfully present legal permanent residents who receive health care through the Hawaii Health Connector and would otherwise be eligible for Medicaid except for their citizenship status. Requires the Department of Human Services to engage in community outreach. Appropriates funds.</u>	HSH/HTH/TSI, WAM [Measure added on 2/10/2015]
SB1102 Status and Testimony	RELATING TO THE HOSPITAL SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM. <u>Amend Act 217, Session Laws of Hawaii 2012, as amended by Act 141, Session Laws of Hawaii 2013 and Act 123, Session Laws of Hawaii 2014, to continue the Hospital Sustainability Program by extending the sunset date of the Act, updating the referral dates in the statute, and to revise the funding amount for the hospital sustainability program for fiscal year 2015-2016. Effective June 29, 2015.</u>	HTH/HSH, WAM [Measure added on 2/10/2015]
SB1367 Status and Testimony	RELATING TO PROJECT KEALAHOU. <u>Appropriates funds for the continued funding of Project Kealahou within the Department of Health Child and Adolescent Mental Health Division.</u>	HTH/HSH, WAM [Measure added on 2/10/2015]



[SB1113](#)
[Status and Testimony](#)

RELATING TO BACKGROUND CHECKS.
Expand the authority of the Department of Health to conduct background checks to include criminal history record check, adult abuse perpetrator and child abuse record checks, and certified nurse aide registry record checks for persons seeking employment with the State or its contractors where the work involves direct client care, and applicants and operators of healthcare facilities.

HTH/HSH, JDL
[Measure added on 2/10/2015]

[SB1245](#)
[Status and Testimony](#)

RELATING TO HEALTH.
Appropriates funds to continue administration of the Hawaii home visiting program, a hospital-based early identification designed to enhance health and safety outcomes and prevent child abuse and neglect, and ensure continuation of home visiting services in certain priority high-risk neighborhoods.

HTH/HSH, WAM
[Measure added on 2/10/2015]

[SB961](#)
[Status and Testimony](#)

RELATING TO MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT.
Removes the ten day time limit for setting a hearing date on a petition for assisted community treatment. Allows for notice of continuation hearings to the subject to be served via the public defender. Requires the court to appoint a guardian ad litem when the subject of a petition for assisted community treatment fails to appear at a hearing. Removes provisions governing the appointment of a public defender. Removes provisions allowing the court to order a subject to be examined by a licensed physician.

HTH/HSH,
JDL/WAM
[Measure added on 2/10/2015]

No testimony will be accepted.

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

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