

Weekly Action Recap
Monday, April 04, 2016 to Friday, April 08, 2016

[HB 97](#), Smith

Requires posting of the state child abuse hotline number in all public schools

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| April 6, 2016 | House | Finally passed by vote of 98 to 0 |
| April 6, 2016 | Senate | Received in the Senate |
| April 7, 2016 | Senate | Referred to committee on Education |

[HB 106](#), Morris, Jay

Requires legislative approval of certain changes in Medicaid eligibility standards

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| April 6, 2016 | House | Hearing Scheduled |
| April 7, 2016 | House | Hearing Scheduled |

[HB 147](#), Pierre

Requires high schools in certain parishes to keep automated external defibrillators on their premises

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| April 6, 2016 | House | Finally passed by vote of 95 to 0 |
| April 6, 2016 | Senate | Received in the Senate |
| April 7, 2016 | Senate | Referred to committee on Education |

[HB 150](#), Talbot

Provides relative to children conceived through gamete donation

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| April 5, 2016 | House | Hearing Scheduled |
| April 5, 2016 | House | Reported with amendments |
| April 6, 2016 | House | Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading |
| April 7, 2016 | House | Scheduled for Floor Debate on 4/12/2016 |

[HB 162](#), Edmonds

Prohibits communication among a quorum of the members of a public body unless such communication is contemporaneously visible or audible to the public unless the public body is in an executive session authorized by law

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| April 7, 2016 | House | Hearing Scheduled |
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[HB 166](#), Richard

Provides relative to records of the office of the governor

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| April 7, 2016 | House | Hearing Scheduled |
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[HB 170](#), Talbot

Requires the Dept. of Health and Hospitals to institute Medicaid cost containment measures to the extent allowed by federal regulations

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| April 7, 2016 | House | Hearing Scheduled |
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[HB 171](#), Hodges

Requires birthing facilities to offer information to parents of newborns on shaken baby syndrome and sudden infant death syndrome

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| April 6, 2016 | House | Finally passed by vote of 98 to 0 |
| April 6, 2016 | Senate | Received in the Senate |
| April 7, 2016 | Senate | Referred to committee on Health & Welfare |

[HB 173](#), Havard

Requires cost sharing for certain Medicaid-covered services and dedicates revenues derived thereof

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| April 7, 2016 | House | Hearing Scheduled |
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[HB 175](#), Hilferty

Provides for requirements for training early learning center employees on recognizing and preventing shaken baby syndrome

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| April 4, 2016 | Senate | Referred to committee on Education |
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[HB 195](#), Jenkins

Provides relative to transmittal of certain notices required pursuant to medical malpractice law

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| April 5, 2016 | House | Hearing Scheduled |
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[HB 197](#), Pylant

Creates crime of failure to properly operate a child day care center

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| April 6, 2016 | House | Returned to the calendar subject to call |
| April 6, 2016 | House | Called from the calendar |
| April 6, 2016 | House | Amended |
| April 6, 2016 | House | Returned to the calendar subject to call |
| April 6, 2016 | House | Called from the calendar |
| April 6, 2016 | House | Finally passed by vote of 98 to 0 |

April 7, 2016 Senate Received in the Senate

[HB 218](#), Hoffmann

Prohibits the use of tobacco products on elementary and secondary school property

April 4, 2016 Senate Referred to committee on Education

[HB 279](#), Broadwater

Provides for differential Taylor Opportunity Program for Students award amounts for certain students based on their classification level

April 6, 2016 House Hearing Scheduled

April 6, 2016 House Involuntarily deferred

[HB 309](#), Bacala

Provides for cost containment, cost sharing, and long term services and supports in the Medicaid managed care program

April 7, 2016 House Hearing Scheduled

[HB 312](#), Davis

Abolishes the Louisiana Mandated Health Benefits Commission and other provisions relative to mandated health insurance benefits

April 4, 2016 Senate Referred to committee on Insurance

[HB 324](#), Johnson, M

Requires a copayment in the Medicaid program for all nonemergency services provided by a hospital emergency department

April 7, 2016 House Hearing Scheduled

[HB 435](#), Hodges

Directs the Department of Health and Hospitals to institute cost sharing for certain Medicaid-covered services

April 7, 2016 House Hearing Scheduled

[HB 441](#), Jackson

Provides relative to conditions for physician participation with Medicaid managed care organizations

April 6, 2016 House Hearing Scheduled

April 6, 2016 House Reported with amendments

April 7, 2016 House Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading

April 7, 2016 House Scheduled for Floor Debate on 4/13/2016

[HB 446](#), LeBas

Establishes an application fee for a new marijuana pharmacy permit

April 4, 2016 Senate Referred to committee on Health & Welfare

[HB 449](#), Miller, G.

Provides for the completion of a birth certificate

April 5, 2016 House Hearing Scheduled

April 5, 2016 House Reported favorably

April 6, 2016 House Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading

April 7, 2016 House Scheduled for Floor Debate on 4/12/2016

[HB 474](#), Hoffmann

Provides for Medicaid expansion through a demonstration waiver program

April 6, 2016 House Hearing Scheduled

[HB 480](#), Jackson

Provides relative to the practice of telemedicine in licensed healthcare facilities

April 6, 2016 House Finally passed by vote of 90 to 0

April 6, 2016 Senate Received in the Senate

April 7, 2016 Senate Referred to committee on Health & Welfare

[HB 492](#), McFarland

Authorizes the collection of certain copayments in the medical assistance program

April 7, 2016 House Hearing Scheduled

[HB 498](#), Pope

Institutes a moratorium on new pediatric day health facility licenses

April 6, 2016 House Finally passed by vote of 83 to 0

April 6, 2016 Senate Received in the Senate

April 7, 2016 Senate Referred to committee on Health & Welfare

[HB 517](#), Bacala

Establishes certain provider fees within the Louisiana Medicaid program

April 7, 2016 House Hearing Scheduled

[HB 566](#), Richard

Requires the Department of Health and Hospitals to institute certain Medicaid cost containment measures

April 7, 2016 House Hearing Scheduled

[HB 594](#), Morris, Jay

Requires legislative authorization for any waiver of SNAP work requirements for able-bodied adults without dependents

April 7, 2016 House Returned to the calendar subject to call

April 7, 2016 House Notice given to call from calendar on Wednesday, April 13, 2016

[HB 596](#), Huval

Provides for notification and effectiveness of a material change in a contract between a health insurance issuer and a producer

April 7, 2016 House Finally passed by vote of 96 to 0

[HB 662](#), Barras

Provides for a fee on emergency ground ambulance service providers

April 6, 2016 House Hearing Scheduled

April 6, 2016 House Reported with amendments

April 7, 2016 House Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading

April 7, 2016 House Scheduled for Floor Debate on 4/14/2016

[HB 671](#), Moreno

Provides relative to redispensing of drugs in correctional facility pharmacies

April 6, 2016 House Hearing Scheduled

April 6, 2016 House Reported with amendments

April 7, 2016 House Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading

April 7, 2016 House Scheduled for Floor Debate on 4/14/2016

[HB 700](#), Stokes

Provides relative to fees assessed for certain functions performed by the office of public health

April 6, 2016 House Hearing Scheduled

April 6, 2016 House Reported with amendments

April 7, 2016 House Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading

April 7, 2016 House Scheduled for Floor Debate on 4/14/2016

[HB 719](#), Hodges

Provides relative to transportation of children to be admitted to a treatment facility under a physician's emergency commitment certificate

April 7, 2016 House Finally passed by vote of 94 to 0

[HB 782](#), Davis

Provides relative to certain definitions in the Insurance Code used in regulation of health insurance

April 4, 2016 Senate Received in the Senate

April 5, 2016 Senate Referred to committee on Insurance

[HB 868](#), Hunter

Requires at least two coaches for each sport offered by a public school, including a charter school, to be certified in cardiopulmonary resuscitation

April 7, 2016 House Amended

April 7, 2016 House Finally passed by vote of 90 to 0

[HB 913](#), Carpenter

Adds to the membership of the Child Protection Representation Commission

April 6, 2016 House Hearing Scheduled

April 6, 2016 House Reported favorably

April 7, 2016 House Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading

April 7, 2016 House Scheduled for Floor Debate on 4/14/2016

[HB 964](#), Smith

Provides relative to the treatment and care of students with diabetes

April 4, 2016 House Introduced in the House

April 5, 2016 House Referred to committee on Education

[HB 983](#), Garofalo

Provides with respect to Medicaid fraud

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| April 4, 2016 | House | Introduced in the House |
| April 5, 2016 | House | Referred to committee on Administration of Criminal Justice |

[HB 992](#), Connick

Amends certain definitions for purposes of sex offender registration and notification requirements

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| April 4, 2016 | House | Introduced in the House |
| April 5, 2016 | House | Referred to committee on Administration of Criminal Justice |

[HCR 1](#), Bacala

Increases monthly premiums charged to families receiving services through the LaCHIP Phase V program

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| April 7, 2016 | House | Hearing Scheduled |
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[HCR 4](#), Ivey

Amends administrative rules to provide for a Medicaid expansion cost containment program

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| April 6, 2016 | House | Hearing Scheduled |
| April 7, 2016 | House | Hearing Scheduled |

[SB 21](#), Boudreaux

Extends legislative authority for the Louisiana Obesity Prevention and Management Commission

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| April 6, 2016 | Senate | Hearing Scheduled |
| April 6, 2016 | Senate | Reported favorably |
| April 7, 2016 | Senate | Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading |

[SB 106](#), Boudreaux

Provides for the elimination of the short-form birth certification card

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| April 4, 2016 | House | Referred to committee on Health & Welfare |
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[SB 117](#), Mills

Provides for the Medicaid Pharmaceutical and Therapeutics Committee

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| April 6, 2016 | Senate | Hearing Scheduled |
| April 6, 2016 | Senate | Reported with amendments |
| April 7, 2016 | Senate | Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading |

[SB 187](#), Barrow

Provides relative to advanced practice registered nursing

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| April 4, 2016 | Senate | Returned to the calendar subject to call |
| April 6, 2016 | Senate | Amended |
| April 6, 2016 | Senate | Failed to pass by vote of 19 to 17; to be reconsidered |
| April 7, 2016 | Senate | Returned to the calendar subject to call |

[SB 189](#), Johns

Provides for pharmacist dispensing exceptions

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| April 6, 2016 | Senate | Hearing Scheduled |
| April 6, 2016 | Senate | Reported favorably |
| April 7, 2016 | Senate | Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading |

[SB 210](#), Barrow

Provides relative to behavioral health services

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| April 6, 2016 | Senate | Hearing Scheduled |
| April 6, 2016 | Senate | Reported with amendments |
| April 7, 2016 | Senate | Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading |

[SB 258](#), Luneau

Provides for coverage for refills for prescription eye drops

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| April 7, 2016 | Senate | Finally passed by vote of 32 to 0 |
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[SB 291](#), Mills

Provides for patient access to physical therapy services without a prescription or referral from a physician

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| April 4, 2016 | Senate | Returned to the calendar subject to call |
| April 5, 2016 | Senate | Amended |
| April 5, 2016 | Senate | Finally passed by vote of 31 to 7 |
| April 6, 2016 | House | Received in the House |
| April 7, 2016 | House | Referred to committee on Health & Welfare |

SB 301, Morrell

Creates the Juvenile Justice Accountability and Cost Effectiveness Act of 2016 as a system to monitor and implement systems for better accountability and cost-effectiveness in the juvenile justice system

April 5, 2016 Senate Hearing Scheduled

SB 302, Morrell

Creates the Safe and Fair Return Act of 2016

April 5, 2016 Senate Hearing Scheduled

April 5, 2016 Senate Reported with amendments

April 6, 2016 Senate Engrossed, recommitted to committee on Finance

SB 303, Morrell

Enacts the Educational Accountability and Rehabilitation Act of 2016

April 5, 2016 Senate Hearing Scheduled

April 5, 2016 Senate Reported with amendments

April 6, 2016 Senate Engrossed, recommitted to committee on Finance

SB 324, Morrell

Creates the Raise the Age Louisiana Act of 2016 and the La. Juvenile Jurisdiction Planning and Implementation Council

April 5, 2016 Senate Hearing Scheduled

SB 326, Claitor

Provides relative to reporting of child abuse and neglect

April 4, 2016 Senate Amended

April 4, 2016 Senate Finally passed by vote of 33 to 0

April 5, 2016 House Received in the House

April 6, 2016 House Referred to committee on Health & Welfare

SB 350, Luneau

Provides for issuance of long-form birth records and death certificates

April 6, 2016 Senate Hearing Scheduled

April 6, 2016 Senate Reported with amendments

April 7, 2016 Senate Engrossed, recommitted to committee on Revenue & Fiscal Affairs

SB 360, Mills

Provides for the Louisiana Physician Orders for Scope of Treatment (LaPOST) form

April 6, 2016 Senate Hearing Scheduled

April 6, 2016 Senate Reported with amendments

April 7, 2016 Senate Engrossed, passed to 3rd reading

SCR 3, Mills

Directs the Department of Health and Hospitals to submit a report by May 1, 2016, and to add Adrenoleukodystrophy (ALD) to the newborn screening panel no later than January 1, 2017.

April 4, 2016 Senate Amended

April 4, 2016 Senate Finally passed by vote of 34 to 0

April 5, 2016 House Received in the House

April 6, 2016 House Referred to committee on Health & Welfare