# **THE SENATE** THE TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE **REGULAR SESSION OF 2012**

#### **COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES**

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## **COMMITTEE ON HEALTH**

Senator Josh Green, M.D., Chair Senator Clarence K. Nishihara, Vice Chair

#### NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE: Monday, February 06, 2012

TIME: 3:00 pm

PLACE: Conference Room 229

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

## AGENDA

RELATING TO LONG-TERM CARE. **SB 2306** HMS/HTH, WAM Establishes and directs a task force to coordinate and Status & consolidate state long-term care programs and services. **Testimony** Establishes the position of deputy healthcare transformation coordinator. Appropriates funds. RELATING TO HEALTH CARE. **SB 2322** HMS/HTH, WAM Establishes the residential care facility reform task force until

Status & 6/30/2013 to determine the feasibility of a single agency Testimony overseeing all aspects of residential care facilities in the State.

Report to the legislature.

**SB 2083** RELATING TO HEALTH. HMS/HTH, WAM

Appropriates funds to the department of human services to Status & match the federal medicaid disproportionate share hospital **Testimony** 

allowance allocated to the State.

RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES. **SB 2136** HMS/HTH, WAM

Establishes a pilot project for a communal home dialysis center Status & in the Federated States of Micronesia that will use medicaid **Testimony** funds with matching private funds to finance, construct, and

operate the facility. Effective July 1, 2012.

**SB 2227** RELATING TO HEALTH. HMS/HTH, WAM

Appropriates moneys to community health centers for the Status & provision of direct health care for the uninsured, including those Testimony who will be disenrolled from the medicaid QUEST program

pending eligibility changes in April 2012.

**SB 2248** 

RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.

HMS/HTH, PGM

Status & Testimony

Requires the Hawaii paroling authority to establish a medical release program for inmates who are permanently and totally disabled, terminally ill, or geriatric and pose no public safety risk. Request the department of public safety to assess and refer inmates to the Hawaii paroling authority. Sets conditions for medical release.

**SB 2251** 

RELATING TO PUBLIC SAFETY.

HMS/HTH,

Status & Testimony

Requires the Hawaii paroling authority to establish a program for the medical release from prison of ill, disabled, and geriatric inmates. PGM/WAM

**SB 2117** 

RELATING TO THE HOMELESS.

HMS/HTH, WAM

Status & Testimony

Appropriates funds to the homeless programs office of the department of human services and the rental housing trust fund. Appropriates funds to the department of health for substance abuse treatment, mental health support services, and clean and sober housing services.

SB 2118

RELATING TO THE HOMELESS.

HMS/HTH, WAM

Status & Testimony

Requires the department of health to establish a triage center pilot program that focuses on serving homeless individuals with substance abuse issues or mental illness. Appropriates funds for the establishment of the triage center and case management services. Appropriates funds for mental health services and substance abuse treatment efforts. Repeals 6/30/2015.

**SB 2319** 

RELATING TO THE HOMELESS.

HMS/HTH, WAM

Status & Testimony

Appropriates funds to the homeless programs office of the department of human services and the rental housing trust fund. Appropriates funds to the department of health for substance abuse treatment, mental health support services, and clean and sober housing services and the department of human services for a homeless prevention program, rental assistance program, and matching funds for shelter plus care grants.

**SB 2467** 

RELATING TO HOSPITALS.

HMS/HTH, WAM

Status & Testimony

Establishes the Hospital Sustainability Program into which hospital sustainability fees shall be deposited. Requires the Department of Human Services to charge and collect a provider fee on health care items or services provided by hospitals. Effective July 1, 2012, and repealed on June 30, 2013.

**SB 2472** 

RELATING TO PATIENT-CENTERED MEDICAL HOMES.

HTH/HMS, WAM

Status & Testimony Defines and establishes patient-centered medical homes and their duties. Appropriates funds to support qualified patientcentered medical homes as certified by the governor's healthcare transformation coordinator or leadership team.

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# **SB 2818**

Status & Testimony

RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF DEAD HUMAN BODIES.

Repeals the authority of the department of health to deliver or distribute an unclaimed dead human body to a university, hospital, or institution for medical educational and research purposes, and clarifies the responsibilities of the person who has possession, charge, or control of an unclaimed dead human body with respect to gathering and providing information to state agencies.

HTH/HMS

**SB 3052** 

Status & Testimony

RELATING TO ADULT RESIDENTIAL CARE HOMES.

Requires facilities that are applying for a license to be a type II adult residential care home in a residential area to: publish notice of their application in a newspaper that circulates in the county in which the facility is proposed to be located; hold an informational hearing in the relevant district; and if also applying for a county permit, notify the department of health of the county application so that the department will invite the county to attend the department's informational hearing.

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# Decision Making to follow, if time permits.

Click here to submit testimony to the Senate Committee on Human Services.

### Testimony may be submitted up to 24 hours prior to the start of the hearing.

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