

Steve Eliason proposes the following substitute bill:

Health and Human Services Sunset Amendments

2026 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Steve Eliason

Senate Sponsor: Keith Grover

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill extends repeal dates for programs and committees under the Department of Health and Human Services, and related provisions.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- extends the repeal date for the:
 - Rare Disease Advisory Council Grant Program;
 - Newborn Hearing Screening Committee;
 - Mobile Crisis Outreach Team Grant Program;
 - Behavioral Health Receiving Center Grant Program;
 - Behavioral Health Crisis Response Committee; and
 - Rural Physician Loan Repayment Program Advisory Committee; and
- extends the repeal date for provisions regarding the:
 - Behavioral Health Crisis Response Committee; and
 - Rural Physician Loan Repayment Program Advisory Committee.

Money Appropriated in this Bill:

This bill appropriates \$19,000 in operating and capital budgets for fiscal year 2027, all of which is from the General Fund.

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

AMENDS:

63I-1-226, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2025, Chapters 47, 277 and 366

63I-1-263, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2025, Chapters 391, 512

63I-2-226, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2025, Chapters 277, 414

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section **63I-1-226** is amended to read:

63I-1-226 . Repeal dates: Titles 26 through 26B.

- (1) Subsection 26B-1-204(2)(g), regarding the Youth Electronic Cigarette, Marijuana, and Other Drug Prevention Committee, is repealed July 1, 2030.
- (2) Subsection 26B-1-204(2)(h), regarding the Primary Care Grant Committee, is repealed July 1, 2035.
- (3) Section 26B-1-315, Medicaid ACA Fund, is repealed July 1, 2034.
- (4) Section 26B-1-318, Brain and Spinal Cord Injury Fund, is repealed July 1, 2029.
- (5) Section 26B-1-402, Rare Disease Advisory Council Grant Program -- Creation -- Reporting, is repealed July 1, ~~2026~~ 2036.
- (6) Section 26B-1-409, Utah Digital Health Service Commission -- Creation -- Membership -- Duties, is repealed July 1, 2025.
- (7) Section 26B-1-410, Primary Care Grant Committee, is repealed July 1, 2035.
- (8) Section 26B-1-417, Brain and Spinal Cord Injury Advisory Committee -- Membership -- Duties, is repealed July 1, 2029.
- (9) Section 26B-1-422, Early Childhood Utah Advisory Council -- Creation -- Compensation -- Duties, is repealed July 1, 2029.
- (10) Section 26B-1-425, Utah Health Workforce Advisory Council -- Creation and membership, is repealed July 1, 2027.
- (11) Section 26B-1-428, Youth Electronic Cigarette, Marijuana, and Other Drug Prevention Committee and Program -- Creation -- Membership -- Duties, is repealed July 1, 2030.
- (12) Section 26B-1-430, Coordinating Council for Persons with Disabilities -- Policy regarding services to individuals with disabilities -- Creation -- Membership -- Expenses, is repealed July 1, 2027.
- (13) Section 26B-1-432, Newborn Hearing Screening Committee, is repealed July 1, ~~2026~~ 2036.
- (14) Section 26B-2-407, Drinking water quality in child care centers, is repealed July 1, 2027.
- (15) Subsection 26B-3-107(9), regarding reimbursement for dental hygienists, is repealed July 1, 2028.
- (16) Section 26B-3-136, Children's Health Care Coverage Program, is repealed July 1, 2025.
- (17) Section 26B-3-137, Reimbursement for diabetes prevention program, is repealed June 30, 2027.

- (18) Subsection 26B-3-213(2)(b), regarding consultation with the Behavioral Health Crisis Response Committee, is repealed December 31, 2026.
- (19) Section 26B-3-302, DUR Board -- Creation and membership -- Expenses, is repealed July 1, 2027.
- (20) Section 26B-3-303, DUR Board -- Responsibilities, is repealed July 1, 2027.
- (21) Section 26B-3-304, Confidentiality of records, is repealed July 1, 2027.
- (22) Section 26B-3-305, Drug prior approval program, is repealed July 1, 2027.
- (23) Section 26B-3-306, Advisory committees, is repealed July 1, 2027.
- (24) Section 26B-3-307, Retrospective and prospective DUR, is repealed July 1, 2027.
- (25) Section 26B-3-308, Penalties, is repealed July 1, 2027.
- (26) Section 26B-3-309, Immunity, is repealed July 1, 2027.
- (27) Title 26B, Chapter 3, Part 5, Inpatient Hospital Assessment, is repealed July 1, 2034.
- (28) Title 26B, Chapter 3, Part 6, Medicaid Expansion Hospital Assessment, is repealed July 1, 2034.
- (29) Title 26B, Chapter 3, Part 7, Hospital Provider Assessment, is repealed July 1, 2028.
- (30) Section 26B-3-910, Alternative eligibility -- Report -- Alternative Eligibility Expendable Revenue Fund, is repealed July 1, 2028.
- (31) Section 26B-4-710, Rural residency training program, is repealed July 1, 2025.
- (32) Subsection 26B-5-112(1)(b), regarding consultation with the Behavioral Health Crisis Response Committee, is repealed December 31, 2026.
- (33) Subsection 26B-5-112(5)(b), regarding consultation with the Behavioral Health Crisis Response Committee, is repealed [~~December 31, 2026~~] July 1, 2029.
- (34) Section 26B-5-112.5, Mobile Crisis Outreach Team Grant Program, is repealed [~~December 31, 2026~~] July 1, 2029.
- (35) Section 26B-5-114, Behavioral Health Receiving Center Grant Program, is repealed [~~December 31, 2026~~] July 1, 2029.
- (36) Section 26B-5-118, Collaborative care grant program, is repealed December 31, 2024.
- (37) Section 26B-5-120, Virtual crisis outreach team grant program, is repealed December 31, 2026.
- (38) Subsection 26B-5-609(1)(a), regarding the Behavioral Health Crisis Response Committee, is repealed [~~December 31, 2026~~] July 1, 2029.
- (39) Subsection 26B-5-609(3)(b), regarding the Behavioral Health Crisis Response Committee, is repealed [~~December 31, 2026~~] July 1, 2029.
- (40) Subsection 26B-5-610(1)(b), regarding the Behavioral Health Crisis Response

Committee, is repealed [~~December 31, 2026~~] July 1, 2029.

(41) Subsection 26B-5-610(2)(b)(ii), regarding the Behavioral Health Crisis Response

Committee, is repealed [~~December 31, 2026~~] July 1, 2029.

(42) Section 26B-5-612, Integrated behavioral health care grant programs, is repealed

December 31, 2025.

(43) Title 26B, Chapter 5, Part 7, Utah Behavioral Health Commission, is repealed July 1,

2029.

(44) Subsection 26B-5-704(2)(a), regarding the Behavioral Health Crisis Response

Committee, is repealed [~~December 31, 2026~~] July 1, 2029.

(45) Title 26B, Chapter 5, Part 8, Utah Substance Use and Mental Health Advisory

Committee, is repealed January 1, 2033.

(46) Section 26B-7-119, Hepatitis C Outreach Pilot Program, is repealed July 1, 2028.

(47) Section 26B-7-122, Communication Habits to reduce Adolescent Threats Pilot

Program, is repealed July 1, 2029.

(48) Section 26B-7-123, Report on CHAT campaign, is repealed July 1, 2029.

(49) Title 26B, Chapter 8, Part 5, Utah Health Data Authority, is repealed July 1, 2026.

Section 2. Section **63I-1-263** is amended to read:

63I-1-263 . Repeal dates: Titles 63A to 63O.

(1) Title 63C, Chapter 4a, Constitutional and Federalism Defense Act, is repealed July 1,

2028.

(2) Title 63C, Chapter 18, Behavioral Health Crisis Response Committee, is repealed [

~~December 31, 2026~~] July 1, 2029.

(3) Title 63C, Chapter 25, State Finance Review Commission, is repealed July 1, 2027.

(4) Title 63C, Chapter 27, Cybersecurity Commission, is repealed July 1, 2032.

(5) Title 63C, Chapter 28, Ethnic Studies Commission, is repealed July 1, 2026.

(6) Title 63C, Chapter 31, State Employee Benefits Advisory Commission, is repealed July

1, 2028.

(7) Section 63G-6a-805, Purchase from community rehabilitation programs, is repealed

July 1, 2026.

(8) Title 63G, Chapter 21, Agreements to Provide State Services, is repealed July 1, 2028.

(9) Title 63H, Chapter 4, Heber Valley Historic Railroad Authority, is repealed July 1, 2029.

(10) Subsection 63J-1-602.2(16), related to the Communication Habits to reduce

Adolescent Threats (CHAT) Pilot Program, is repealed July 1, 2029.

(11) Subsection 63J-1-602.2(26), regarding the Utah Seismic Safety Commission, is

repealed January 1, 2025.

(12) Section 63L-11-204, Canyon resource management plan, is repealed July 1, 2027.

(13) Title 63L, Chapter 11, Part 4, Resource Development Coordinating Committee, is repealed July 1, 2027.

(14) Title 63M, Chapter 7, Part 7, Domestic Violence Offender Treatment Board, is repealed July 1, 2027.

(15) Section 63M-7-902, Creation -- Membership -- Terms -- Vacancies -- Expenses, is repealed July 1, 2029.

(16) Title 63M, Chapter 11, Utah Commission on Aging, is repealed July 1, 2026.

(17) Title 63N, Chapter 2, Part 2, Enterprise Zone Act, is repealed July 1, 2028.

(18) Subsection 63N-2-511(1)(b), regarding the Board of Tourism Development, is repealed July 1, 2030.

(19) Section 63N-2-512, Hotel Impact Mitigation Fund, is repealed July 1, 2028.

(20) Title 63N, Chapter 3, Part 9, Strategic Innovation Grant Pilot Program, is repealed July 1, 2027.

(21) Title 63N, Chapter 3, Part 11, Manufacturing Modernization Grant Program, is repealed July 1, 2028.

(22) Title 63N, Chapter 4, Part 4, Rural Employment Expansion Program, is repealed July 1, 2028.

(23) Section 63N-4-804, Rural Opportunity Advisory Committee, is repealed July 1, 2027.

(24) Subsection 63N-4-805(5)(b), regarding the Rural Employment Expansion Program, is repealed July 1, 2028.

(25) Subsection 63N-7-101(1), regarding the Board of Tourism Development, is repealed July 1, 2030.

(26) Subsection 63N-7-102(3)(c), regarding a requirement for the Utah Office of Tourism to receive approval from the Board of Tourism Development, is repealed July 1, 2030.

(27) Title 63N, Chapter 7, Part 2, Board of Tourism Development, is repealed July 1, 2030.

Section 3. Section **63I-2-226** is amended to read:

63I-2-226 . Repeal dates: Titles 26 through 26B.

(1) Section 26B-1-420, Cannabis Research Review Board, is repealed July 1, 2025.

(2) Subsection 26B-1-421(9)(a), regarding a report to the Cannabis Research Review Board, is repealed July 1, 2025.

(3) Section 26B-1-423, Rural Physician Loan Repayment Program Advisory Committee -- Membership -- Compensation -- Duties, is repealed July 1, [2026] 2036.

- (4) Section 26B-2-243, Data collection and reporting requirements concerning incidents of abuse, neglect, or exploitation, is repealed July 1, 2027.
- (5) Subsection 26B-3-215(5), regarding reporting on coverage for in vitro fertilization and genetic testing, is repealed July 1, 2030.
- (6) Subsection 26B-4-201(5), regarding the Cannabis Research Review Board, is repealed July 1, 2025.
- (7) Subsection 26B-4-212(1)(b), regarding the Cannabis Research Review Board, is repealed July 1, 2025.
- (8) Section 26B-4-702, Creation of Utah Health Care Workforce Financial Assistance Program, is repealed July 1, 2027.
- (9) Subsection 26B-4-703(3)(b), regarding per diem and expenses for the Rural Physician Loan Repayment Program Advisory Committee, is repealed July 1, [2026] 2036.
- (10) Subsection 26B-4-703(3)(c), regarding expenses for the Rural Physician Loan Repayment Program, is repealed July 1, [2026] 2036.
- (11) Subsection 26B-4-703(6)(b), regarding recommendations from the Rural Physician Loan Repayment Program Advisory Committee, is repealed July 1, [2026] 2036.
- (12) Section 26B-5-117, Early childhood mental health support grant program, is repealed January 2, 2025.
- (13) Section 26B-5-302.5, Study concerning civil commitment and the Utah State Hospital, is repealed July 1, 2025.
- (14) Section 26B-6-414, Respite care services, is repealed July 1, 2025.
- (15) Section 26B-7-120, Invisible condition alert program education and outreach, is repealed July 1, 2025.

Section 4. **FY 2027 Appropriations.**

The following sums of money are appropriated for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2026, and ending June 30, 2027. These are additions to amounts previously appropriated for fiscal year 2027.

Subsection 4(a). **Operating and Capital Budgets**

Under the terms and conditions of Title 63J, Chapter 1, Budgetary Procedures Act, the Legislature appropriates the following sums of money from the funds or accounts indicated for the use and support of the government of the state of Utah.

ITEM 1 To Department of Health and Human Services - Clinical Services

From General Fund

19,000

Schedule of Programs:

200	State Laboratory	19,000
201	The Legislature intends that the appropriations	
202	provided under this item be used to fund the Rare	
203	Disease Advisory Council convened under Section	
204	26B-1-402.	
205	Section 5. Effective Date.	
206	<u>This bill takes effect on May 6, 2026.</u>	