

Health and Human Services Legislation

2020 General Session of the Utah Legislature | Updated June 4, 2020

OVERVIEW

For the 2020 General Session of the Utah Legislature, legislators submitted requests for 1,331 bills. Ultimately, 834 bills drafted for the session were introduced for consideration. 249 of the introduced bills (30%) were related to health and human services (HHS). 130 HHS bills passed the Senate and the House; 119 did not. Two bills, H.B. 332, Special Needs Scholarship Amendments, and H.B. 356, Railroad Amendments, were vetoed by the governor.

PASSED	NOT PASSED	TOTAL	
130	119	249	Click below for bills introduced under each topic.
2	2	4	ABORTION
1	0	1	ADOLESCENT HEALTH
1	1	2	ADOPTION
1	0	1	AGING
15	14	29	ALCOHOL/SUBSTANCE MISUSE
0	1	1	BEHAVIORAL HEALTH
4	0	4	CANNABIS
1	1	2	CHILD CARE
7	3	10	CHILD WELFARE
2	1	3	DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES
3	1	4	DISEASES
2	4	6	DOMESTIC VIOLENCE
1	0	1	HEALTH CARE SPENDING
1	0	1	HEALTH DATA
7	12	19	HEALTH INSURANCE
4	2	6	HEALTHCARE FACILITIES
18	8	26	HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS
1	5	6	HEALTHCARE SERVICES
1	0	1	HUMAN SERVICES PROVIDERS
1	1	2	HUMAN TRAFFICKING
4	17	21	INJURIES -- FIREARMS
3	4	7	INJURIES -- PREVENTION
7	3	10	INTERGENERATIONAL POVERTY/HOMELESSNESS
1	0	1	LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENTS
2	1	3	MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH
1	2	3	MEDICAID/CHIP
7	6	13	MENTAL HEALTH
5	4	9	MISCELLANEOUS
1	0	1	ORGAN DONATION
8	8	16	PERSONS WITH A DISABILITY
7	8	15	PHARMACEUTICALS
5	0	5	PUBLIC HEALTH – COVID-19
2	2	4	PUBLIC HEALTH – OTHER
1	0	1	SCHOOL SAFETY
0	1	1	TANNING
3	6	9	TOBACCO/NICOTINE
0	1	1	VITAL RECORDS

BILL SUMMARIES

In the summaries below, **green headings denote bills that passed the House and the Senate; red headings denote bills that did not.** Each bill is listed under only one topic heading. Summaries are based on the latest version of the bill. Except for COVID-19, summaries exclude appropriations bills.

ABORTION

[S.B. 67](#)

Disposition of Fetal Remains

(Sen. C. Bramble)

This bill enacts provisions relating to the disposition of fetal remains.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ requires a health care facility having possession of an aborted fetus or miscarried fetus to provide for the final disposition of the fetal remains;
- ▶ requires a health care facility to provide certain information to a woman regarding the disposition of an aborted fetus or miscarried fetus;
- ▶ requires a health care provider to notify a woman regarding the right to determine the final disposition of the remains of the aborted fetus before performing an abortion;
- ▶ requires a health care facility to allow a woman who has a medication-induced abortion to return the aborted fetus to the health care facility for disposition;
- ▶ requires a health care facility to maintain records that demonstrate compliance with the provisions of this bill;
- ▶ amends the Funeral Services Licensing Act to allow for the disposition of certain fetal remains;
- ▶ amends the information that must be included in the abortion information module and website; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

[S.B. 174](#)

Abortion Prohibition Amendments

(Sen. D. McCay)

This bill prohibits a pregnant woman from receiving an abortion, with limited exceptions.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ prohibits an abortion at any stage of a pregnant woman's pregnancy, except under certain circumstances;
- ▶ provides penalties for a physician who performs an unlawful abortion; and

[H.B. 65](#)

Abortion Amendments

(Rep. J. Dailey-Provost)

This bill modifies provisions relating to abortion.

This bill:

- ▶ provides that, upon enactment, the provisions of this bill supercede any conflicting provisions.
- ▶ removes provisions requiring a physician to verify a report has been made to law enforcement before the physician performs an abortion on an adult woman who is pregnant as a result of rape or incest; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 364](#)

Abortion Revisions

(Rep. S. Christiansen)

This bill creates requirements relating to abortion procedures.

This bill:

- ▶ modifies provisions related to a pregnant woman's informed consent to an abortion;
- ▶ requires a medical professional to do the following before a pregnant woman may give informed consent to an abortion:
 - display live fetal images of the unborn child;
 - describe the fetal images;
 - make audible the fetal heartbeat, if possible; and
 - provide written confirmation to the pregnant woman stating that the medical professional complied with the requirements;
- ▶ provides that a pregnant woman may choose not to view the fetal images and not to listen to the fetal heartbeat;
- ▶ adds certain record keeping requirements for a physician performing an abortion;
- ▶ imposes a fine on a physician that performs an abortion on a pregnant woman who has not confirmed that the pregnant woman has provided informed consent;
- ▶ requires the Department of Health to:
 - create, and make available online, a form to be signed by a physician or qualified technician displaying the fetal images; and

- ▶ provide a list of organizations that offer a free or low cost ultrasound; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

ADOLESCENT HEALTH

[H.C.R. 3](#) **Concurrent Resolution Encouraging Consideration of a Later Start Time for High School**

(Rep. S. Harrison)

This concurrent resolution encourages school districts and charter schools to consider the possible benefits and consequences of a later start to the school day for high schools.

This resolution:

- ▶ encourages school districts, charter schools, and school community councils to consider the possible benefits and consequences of a later start to the school day for high schools.

ADOPTION

[H.B. 345](#) **Personal Records Amendments**

(Rep. S. Barlow)

This bill allows an adult adoptee to access the adoptee's original birth certificate in certain circumstances.

This bill:

- ▶ amends rulemaking authority;
- ▶ allows an adult adoptee to access an adoption document related to the adult adoptee in certain circumstances;
- ▶ allows a birth parent to allow:
 - an adult adoptee's access to an adoption document; and
 - the sharing of contact information with the adult adoptee; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

[H.B. 201](#) **Adoption Tax Credit**

(Rep. R.P. Shipp)

This bill enacts an individual income tax credit for adoption expenses.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ enacts a nonrefundable and a refundable individual income tax credit for adoption expenses for which eligibility depends on the individual's income;
- ▶ provides for apportionment of the tax credit for adoption expenses;

- ▶ requires the Department of Workforce Services to certify certain information about an individual's qualification for an adoption expense tax credit and to share that information with the State Tax Commission;
- ▶ repeals an individual income tax credit for adoption of a child with special needs; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

AGING

[S.J.R. 1](#) **Joint Resolution Supporting Coordination of Care for Older Adults Receiving Home Health Care Services**

(Sen. J. Iwamoto)

This joint resolution expresses support for programs that seek to coordinate transition of care for older adults and other patient populations receiving home health care services.

This joint resolution:

- ▶ includes statistics about the number of older adult fall-related injuries in Utah;
- ▶ describes the actions taken by the Utah Falls Prevention Alliance to reduce the number of older adult falls in Utah and improve the coordination of care for older adults;
- ▶ acknowledges the benefit of efforts to develop and implement technology to assist with coordination of care for older adults and other patient populations receiving home health care services; and
- ▶ expresses support for the submission of a grant to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services to develop and implement technology that will improve the coordination of care for older adults and potentially other patient populations receiving home health care services.

ALCOHOL/SUBSTANCE MISUSE

[H.B. 11](#) **Blood Alcohol Limit Amendments**

(Rep. J. Dunnigan)

This bill amends provisions of the Workers' Compensation Act regarding an employee's blood or breath alcohol concentration.

This bill:

- ▶ in relation to certain workers' compensation claims, reduces the blood or breath alcohol concentration threshold at which:

- an employer's permitting, encouraging, or having actual knowledge of an employee's intoxication from alcohol may affect compensation provided under the Workers' Compensation Act;
- it is presumed that the major contributing cause of an employee's injury is the employee's intoxication from alcohol; and
- the termination of an employee from reemployment for the employee's use of alcohol may affect the employee's disability compensation for a disability claim.

[H.B. 25](#)

Controlled Substances Revisions

(Rep. P. Ray)

This bill amends the list of controlled substances and the composition of the Controlled Substances Advisory Committee.

This bill:

- ▶ adds a substance to the listed controlled substances in the Utah Controlled Substances Act;
- ▶ amends the composition of the Controlled Substances Advisory Committee; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 38](#)

Substance Use and Health Care Amendments

(Rep. B. Daw)

This bill modifies and enacts provisions relating to substance use treatment and health care provided in a correctional facility.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ directs the Department of Health to apply for a waiver under the state Medicaid plan to offer a program to provide Medicaid coverage to certain inmates for up to 30 days before release from a correctional facility;
- ▶ requires a county to provide matching funds to the state for Medicaid coverage, and costs relating to the Medicaid coverage, that is provided to certain inmates for up to 30 days before release from a correctional facility; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 100](#)

Veterans Treatment Court Act

(Rep. V. L. Snow)

This bill enacts the Veterans Treatment Court Act.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ provides the requirements for establishing a veteran treatment court;
- ▶ provides the requirements for creating policies and procedures for a veteran treatment court;
- ▶ addresses eligibility for participation in a veterans treatment court;
- ▶ addresses admission, modification, termination, and completion in a veterans court;
- ▶ addresses domestic violence offenses;
- ▶ states that there is no right to participate in a veterans treatment court; and
- ▶ provides a severability clause.

[H.B. 139](#)

DUI Liability Amendments

(Rep. S. Eliason)

This bill amends various provisions related to driving under the influence.

This bill:

- ▶ criminalizes a person's refusal to submit to a chemical test for alcohol or drugs related to suspicion of driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs in certain circumstances;
- ▶ provides penalties for a person's refusal to submit to a chemical test for alcohol or drugs related to suspicion of driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs;
- ▶ clarifies that driving under the influence is a strict liability offense;
- ▶ clarifies provisions related to driving in the wrong direction while driving under the influence;
- ▶ clarifies that the determination whether an individual is in actual physical control of a vehicle includes consideration of the totality of the circumstances, and creates a safe harbor provision related to that determination; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 142](#)

Criminal Proceeding Amendments

(Rep. S. Pitcher)

This bill creates pleading requirements for certain crimes.

This bill:

- ▶ requires a prosecuting attorney to agree in writing before a defendant may enter a plea of guilty or no contest to:
 - a domestic violence offense; or
 - driving under the influence of drugs or alcohol.

[H.B. 159](#)**Insurance Coverage Revisions**

(Rep. M. McKell)

This bill amends provisions related to policy provisions limiting motor vehicle insurance coverage limits under certain circumstances.

This bill:

- ▶ amends provisions related to motor vehicle insurance policy limitations based on certain drivers operating while under the influence of drugs or alcohol; and
- ▶ prohibits the policy limitation's applicability to certain individuals under the age of 21.

[H.B. 208](#)**Alcohol Education Amendments**

(Rep. J. Stenquist)

This bill amends and enacts provisions regarding media and education campaigns about alcohol.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ creates a restricted account within the General Fund;
- ▶ outlines the duties of the Department of Health in creating and conducting a drinking while pregnant prevention campaign; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

[H.B. 238](#)**Crime Enhancement Amendments**

(Rep. S. Pitcher)

This bill changes the enhancements for possession of a controlled substance.

This bill:

- ▶ limits the enhancement for multiple possessions of a controlled substance to within seven years of the previous conviction or commission of the offense.

[H.B. 244](#)**Fetal Exposure Reporting and Treatment Amendments**

(Rep. M. Nelson)

This bill addresses fetal exposure to alcohol or drugs.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ requires certain health care providers to report a newborn child's exposure to alcohol or drugs, or the child's parent or caregiver's substance abuse, to the Division of Child and Family Services;
- ▶ clarifies the circumstances under which the Division of Child and Family Services is required to conduct an investigation after receiving a report relating to a newborn child's exposure to alcohol or drugs;

- ▶ allows the Division of Child and Family Services to share a report of a woman's substance abuse during pregnancy with the Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health, the Department of Health, or a local substance abuse authority for certain purposes;
- ▶ directs the Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health to coordinate with the Department of Health and other health care providers to develop a program designed to reduce substance abuse during pregnancy; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 295](#)**Fatality Review Amendments**

(Rep. S. Eliason)

This bill modifies and enacts provisions relating to review of fatalities and suicides in the state.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms and modifies definitions;
- ▶ modifies the circumstances under which a custodian of vital records may permit inspection or provide a copy of a vital record;
- ▶ modifies the circumstances under which, and to whom, the medical examiner may provide a copy of the medical examiner's final report;
- ▶ allows the Department of Health to make administrative rules regarding the ability for certain governmental entities to use or disclose a medical examiner record;
- ▶ allows the medical examiner to share a medical examiner record with a hospital system in the state for purposes of researching prevention of drug-related overdose or suicide fatalities;
- ▶ creates the position of overdose fatality examiner within the Office of the Medical Examiner;
- ▶ creates the Opioid and Overdose Fatality Review Committee within the Department of Health;
- ▶ requires the Opioid and Overdose Fatality Review Committee to close a meeting in accordance with the Open and Public Meetings Act when an individual fatality is discussed; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

This bill appropriates in fiscal year 2021:

- ▶ to Department of Health -- Disease Control and Prevention -- Disease Control and Prevention, as an ongoing appropriation:
 - from General Fund, \$60,000;

- ▶ to Department of Health -- Disease Control and Prevention -- Office of the Medical Examiner, as an ongoing appropriation:
 - from General Fund, \$115,000; and
- ▶ to Department of Health -- Disease Control and Prevention -- Office of the Medical Examiner, as a one-time appropriation:
 - from the General Fund, One-time, \$121,000.

[H.B. 311](#)

Controlled Substance Enhancement Amendments

(Rep. E. Hutchings)

This bill increases the penalty for a person convicted of engaging in a criminal enterprise.

This bill:

- ▶ increases the penalty for a person convicted of engaging in a criminal enterprise that uses minors in furtherance of the enterprise.

[H.B. 362](#)

Overdose Reporting Amendments

(Rep. C. Moss)

This bill extends who qualifies for an affirmative defense for an offense regarding a controlled substance.

This bill:

- ▶ extends the affirmative defense for a person who reports an overdose to bystanders who remain and assist the person; and
- ▶ provides that remaining to assist a person subject to an overdose is a mitigating factor when determining the penalty for a related controlled substances violation.

[H.B. 419](#)

Substance Use and Violence Prevention Reporting Amendments

(Rep. L. Perry)

This bill requires the Department of Health to report on violent incidents and fatalities in the state that involve substance abuse.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ requires the Department of Health to submit an annual report to the Health and Human Services Interim Committee regarding the number of violent incidents and fatalities that involved substance abuse in the state during the preceding year;
- ▶ authorizes the Department of Health to contract with a state agency, private entity, or research institution to assist with the report on violent incidents and fatalities; and

- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 423](#)

Controlled Substances Database Act Amendments

(Rep. B. Daw)

This bill adds pharmacy interns and technicians to persons with access to the Controlled Substance Database.

This bill:

- ▶ adds pharmacy interns and technicians under the supervision of a licensed pharmacist to those allowed to access the Controlled Substance Database; and
- ▶ makes technical corrections.

[H.B. 55](#)

Substance Use Treatment and Assessment Decisions Amendments

(Rep. L. Shurtliff)

This bill relates to court-ordered assessment and treatment of an individual's substance use disorder.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ provides that in justice court a private entity that conducts a court-ordered assessment of an individual to determine if the individual needs substance use disorder treatment may not also provide court-ordered substance use disorder treatment to the individual; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 104](#)

911 Responsibilities in an Emergency

(Rep. Brian S. King)

This bill creates a duty to contact emergency services in an emergency.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ makes it a class B misdemeanor to fail to contact emergency services in the event of a crime or another emergency subject to certain exceptions;
- ▶ prohibits a prosecutor from basing charges for commission of an offense other than the offense created in this bill on an individual's failure to contact emergency services;
- ▶ amends provisions of the Good Samaritan Act to provide immunity from liability to an individual who contacts emergency services in accordance with the requirements of this bill;

- ▶ addresses civil liability issues related to this bill; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 117](#)

Controlled Substance Database Amendments

(Rep. A. Robertson)

This bill modifies provisions of the Controlled Substance Database Act.

This bill:

- ▶ modifies access to information from the controlled substance database for certain law enforcement officers; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 150](#)

Transit Authority Amendments

(Rep. S. Handy)

This bill amends provisions related to background checks for an employee or applicant for employment with a public transit district.

This bill:

- ▶ removes provisions specifying certain types of employment at a public transit district for which an individual is required to have a background check;
- ▶ removes certain types of crimes from evaluation in a background check;
- ▶ changes the time limit from 10 years to 5 years in determining employment eligibility based on DUI convictions; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 178](#)

Limited Driver License Amendments

(Rep. A. Stoddard)

This bill amends provisions related to a driver license suspension for driving under the influence.

This bill:

- ▶ modifies definitions;
- ▶ allows a person with a suspended driver license due to a first offense of driving under the influence to elect to become an interlock restricted driver under certain circumstances; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 314](#)

Controlled Substance Database Access Amendments

(Rep. C. Hall)

This bill amends the Controlled Substance Database Act.

This bill:

- ▶ authorizes the Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing to provide information to a managed care organization under certain circumstances;
- ▶ creates an exception to certain restrictions on access to the controlled substances database; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 320](#)

Overdose Prevention Sites

(Rep. J. Dailey-Provost)

This bill enacts provisions relating to the establishment and operation of an overdose prevention program.

This bill:

- ▶ allows a county or municipality to approve an entity to operate an overdose prevention program;
- ▶ creates requirements for approval of an overdose prevention program;
- ▶ creates a reporting requirement for an overdose prevention program that is approved for operation; and
- ▶ limits liability for certain actions relating to an overdose prevention program.

[H.B. 325](#)

Voluntary Alcohol-restricted Individual Program

(Rep. S. Eliason)

This bill creates an Alcohol-Restricted Individual Program under the Alcoholic Beverage Control Act.

This bill:

- ▶ requires the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control to establish an Alcohol-Restricted Individual Program (program);
- ▶ prohibits a state store from selling, offering for sale, or furnishing liquor to an individual enrolled in the program;
- ▶ establishes the parameters of the program;
- ▶ grants the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission rulemaking authority to administer the program; and
- ▶ permits a court to order enrollment in the program.

[H.B. 350](#)

Impaired Driving Amendments

(Rep. S. Waldrip)

This bill amends provisions and penalties related to a person's operation of a motor vehicle with a measurable controlled substance in the person's body.

This bill:

- ▶ provides that the offense of a person's operation of a vehicle with a measurable controlled substance in the person's body does not include the presence of only inactive cannabis metabolite in the person's body;
- ▶ amends provisions associated with a person's operation of a motor vehicle with a measurable controlled substance in the person's body by making the offense a third degree felony if the person has two or more related convictions within 10 years;
- ▶ amends penalties associated with the conviction of a person's operation of a motor vehicle with a measurable controlled substance in the person's body;
- ▶ amends provisions related to the operation of a vehicle with a measurable controlled substance in the person's body that results in the serious bodily injury or death of another; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 401](#)

Homeless Resource Center Drug Free Zone

(Rep. S. Eliason)

This bill modifies the penalty for certain crimes committed at a homeless resource center.

This bill:

- ▶ modifies the penalty for certain controlled substance offenses when the offense is committed in or on the grounds of a homeless resource center that meets certain qualifications; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

[H.B. 458](#)

Opioid Management Policy Amendments

(Rep. B. Daw)

This bill amends provisions relating to the prescribing of opioids.

This bill:

- ▶ amends provisions relating to an insurer's prescribing policy for opioids;
- ▶ requires an insurer to provide the insurer's prescription policy to a member of the public upon request; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 477](#)

Jail Drug Treatment Pilot Program

(Rep. C. Moss)

This bill creates a pilot program to provide treatment to incarcerated individuals who are addicted to certain substances.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ creates a pilot program to administer Naltrexone treatment to certain individuals who suffer from alcohol or opiate addiction;
- ▶ provides that the Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice shall administer the program; and
- ▶ provides minimum qualifications for a county or an individual seeking to participate in the program.

[H.B. 487](#)

24-7 Sobriety Program Amendments

(Rep. S. Pitcher)

This bill expands the 24-7 sobriety program and allows a participant in a drug court to avoid suspension of the individual's driver license.

This bill:

- ▶ removes language related to the 24-7 sobriety program limiting the program to a pilot program;
- ▶ allows expansion of the 24-7 sobriety program;
- ▶ allows an individual participating in a drug court to avoid suspension of the individual's driver license; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[S.B. 211](#)

DUI Modifications

(Sen. J. Stevenson)

This bill amends provisions related to the requirement of an ignition interlock device for a person convicted of driving under the influence or similar offense.

This bill:

- ▶ requires a court to order the installation of an ignition interlock system in certain circumstances, or state on the record that an ignition interlock system is not necessary;
- ▶ allows a person convicted of a first offense of driving under the influence to elect to become an ignition interlock restricted driver in lieu of a driver license suspension; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

[H.B. 488](#) **Court Commissioner Amendments**

(Rep. E. Hutchings)

This bill amends provisions relating to court commissioners.

This bill:

- ▶ allows for a court commissioner to serve in a problem-solving court; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

CANNABIS

[H.B. 18](#) **Industrial Hemp Program Amendments**

(Rep. B. Daw)

This bill makes amendments to the industrial hemp program.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ directs the Department of Agriculture and Food to develop a state industrial hemp production plan;
- ▶ makes changes to the industrial hemp producer license;
- ▶ establishes requirements for:
 - an industrial hemp retail permit; and
 - an industrial hemp laboratory permit;
- ▶ establishes a process for enforcement of legal provisions relating to industrial hemp; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 425](#) **Medical Cannabis Modifications**

(Rep. J. Dailey-Provost)

This bill amends provisions regarding medical cannabis.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ broadens the definition of a "research university" for purposes of academic medical cannabis research;
- ▶ amends a provision regarding disclosure of ownership interest for cannabis production establishments and medical cannabis pharmacies;
- ▶ amends provisions regarding licensing agencies giving consideration to existing license holders when granting additional licenses in certain circumstances;
- ▶ removes a provision limiting the size of signage for cannabis production

establishments and medical cannabis pharmacies;

- ▶ identifies the material cannabis cultivation facilities may acquire from industrial hemp cultivators and processors;
- ▶ amends agency reporting requirements to include information regarding testing of cannabis and cannabis products;
- ▶ provides certain immunity from liability for employees and agents of healthcare facilities in certain circumstances;
- ▶ lengthens the validity of an initial medical cannabis card;
- ▶ allows a patient to renew a medical cannabis card for a longer period in certain circumstances;
- ▶ allows an individual physically present with a medical cannabis patient cardholder in an emergency medical condition to handle medical cannabis to assist the patient in the administration of the medical cannabis;
- ▶ allows an individual with a certain letter from a medical professional to purchase medical cannabis from a medical cannabis pharmacy during the 2020 calendar year; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

[S.B. 121](#)

Medical Cannabis Amendments

(Sen. E. Vickers)

This bill amends provisions related to medical cannabis.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ amends certain dosage form requirements for cannabinoid products;
- ▶ allows for the use of cannabidiol from outside the state in certain circumstances;
- ▶ provides for cannabis cultivation facilities rather than cannabis processing facilities to acquire industrial hemp waste from industrial hemp cultivators and processors;
- ▶ requires licensing agencies to give preference to certain abilities among license applicants;
- ▶ allows certain medical providers to access the electronic verification system regarding a patient the provider treats;
- ▶ amends proximity requirements regarding community locations;
- ▶ amends provisions regarding access to an inventory control system by certain financial institutions that the Division of Finance validates;
- ▶ allows the Utah Department of Agriculture and Food (UDAF) to grant a partial-year

- ▶ limited license to operate as a cannabis processing facility in certain circumstances;
- ▶ increases the ability of UDAF to revoke a cannabis production establishment license;
- ▶ allows for UDAF to operate an independent cannabis testing laboratory;
- ▶ clarifies provisions regarding license renewal;
- ▶ allows a cannabis cultivation facility to operate using up to two locations;
- ▶ allows for the use of stacking plants within allotted square footage limitations;
- ▶ allows for a cannabis production establishment to hold educational events under certain circumstances and in accordance with UDAF rules;
- ▶ allows an individual without a state cannabis-related license to transport medical cannabis devices in certain circumstances;
- ▶ amends provisions regarding flavoring of cannabis products;
- ▶ allows the Cannabinoid Product Board to review a broader category of scientific research;
- ▶ clarifies legal dosage limits;
- ▶ amends the directions of use and dosing guidelines that may be associated with a medical cannabis recommendation;
- ▶ amends the medicinal dosage form for unprocessed cannabis flower;
- ▶ amends provisions regarding access to the electronic verification system by law enforcement and certain medical staff;
- ▶ amends provisions regarding the obtaining and renewing of medical cannabis cards;
- ▶ reduces the degree required for the professional who diagnoses or confirms post-traumatic stress disorder as a qualifying condition;
- ▶ requires the Compassionate Use Board to review recommendations for the use of medical cannabis devices by patients under a certain age to vaporize medical cannabis;
- ▶ provides for an expedited petition process from the Compassionate Use Board to the Department of Health (DoH);
- ▶ exempts the Compassionate Use Board from certain compensation restrictions;
- ▶ amends the patient limits on qualified medical providers and the specializations which allow qualified medical providers to recommend medical cannabis to a larger patient population;
- ▶ amends provisions regarding medical professionals advertising regarding medical cannabis;
- ▶ provides certain immunity from liability for employees and agents of healthcare facilities in certain circumstances;
- ▶ provides protections for state or political subdivisions employees using medical cannabis;
- ▶ provides that private employers are not required to accommodate the use of medical cannabis;
- ▶ amends provisions regarding designated caregivers for certain minors and patients in certain health care facilities;
- ▶ directs DoH to establish a registration process that would allow out-of-state patients visiting the state to purchase medical cannabis within the state under certain conditions;
- ▶ amends certain criminal penalties, including for certain nonresident patients, to be infractions on a first offense;
- ▶ increases the ability of DoH to revoke a medical cannabis pharmacy license;
- ▶ amends requirements for pharmacist counseling or consultation based on the directions of use and dosing guidelines that may accompany a medical cannabis recommendation;
- ▶ allows a medical cannabis pharmacy to purchase medical cannabis devices from a seller that does not have a state cannabis-related license;
- ▶ allow UDAF to conduct random sampling of medical cannabis in medical cannabis pharmacies;
- ▶ amends provisions regarding medical cannabis pharmacy advertising, including allowing a medical cannabis pharmacy to hold educational events under certain circumstances and in accordance with DoH rules;
- ▶ amends provisions regarding the transportation of medical cannabis and medical cannabis devices;
- ▶ prohibits a municipality or county that imposes certain restrictions on a medical cannabis pharmacy from restricting operations within certain hours;
- ▶ allows for the state central patient portal to facilitate electronic medical cannabis orders for an individual to obtain in person at a medical cannabis pharmacy;

- ▶ allows a pharmacy medical provider to transport medical cannabis in certain circumstances;
- ▶ provides that meetings of the Compassionate Use Board are closed meetings;
- ▶ amends the definition of marijuana;
- ▶ creates a rebuttable presumption for cannabidiol use in certain circumstances;
- ▶ exempts cannabis metabolite from a driving-related crime in certain circumstances;
- ▶ adds a cannabis-based drug to the Controlled Substances Act;
- ▶ amends the level of negligence required for certain marijuana-related vehicular injuries to constitute a felony;
- ▶ distinguishes medical cannabis devices from electronic cigarettes;
- ▶ exempts a lawful medical cannabis user from a weapons restriction;
- ▶ provides for expungement of cannabis-related convictions in certain circumstances; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

[S.C.R. 11](#)

Concurrent Resolution Urging the Issuance of Federal Guidelines to Protect Consumers of Cannabidiol Products

(Sen. C. Bramble)

This concurrent resolution urges the issuance of product quality and safe consumption guidelines for cannabidiol products.

This resolution:

- ▶ highlights the absence of federal guidelines addressing product quality and safe consumption for cannabidiol products; and
- ▶ urges Congress and the President of the United States to require the United States Food and Drug Administration to issue product quality and safe consumption guidelines for cannabidiol products.

CHILD CARE

[H.B. 119](#)

Child Care Amendments

(Rep. K. Kwan)

This bill modifies provisions relating to a background check of an individual associated with a child care facility, program, or provider.

This bill:

- ▶ modifies provisions relating to the Department of Health's ability to access the

- Licensing Information System, maintained by the Department of Human Services, for purposes of a background check of an individual associated with a child care facility, program, or provider; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 187](#)

Employer Tax Credit for Child Care

(Rep. S. Harrison)

This bill creates nonrefundable corporate and individual income tax credits for employers that pay for or provide child care for employees.

This bill:

- ▶ creates nonrefundable corporate and individual income tax credits for employers that make payments to third parties for providing child care or that provide child care for one or more employees;
- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ creates an application process for an employer that pays for or provides child care for employees to receive a tax credit certificate;
- ▶ requires the Department of Workforce Services to report certain information related to the tax credit to the Legislature in the department's annual report;
- ▶ sets a termination date for the tax credit but requires legislative review before the termination date to determine whether the Legislature should extend the tax credit; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

CHILD WELFARE

[H.B. 33](#)

Abuse, Neglect, and Dependency Proceedings Amendments

(Rep. K. Lisonbee)

This bill addresses proceedings in regards to the abuse, neglect, or dependency of a child and termination of parental rights.

This bill:

- ▶ allows a party to request a hearing on reunification services if a petition for termination of parental rights is filed before a dispositional hearing;
- ▶ provides that the court find termination of parental rights is strictly necessary from the child's point of view;
- ▶ requires the court to take into account reunification and kinship preferences in determining whether to terminate parental rights; and

- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

[H.B. 97](#)

Newborn Safe Haven Amendments

(Rep. P. Arent)

This bill modifies provisions relating to the safe relinquishment of a newborn child.

This bill:

- ▶ modifies the definition of "newborn child";
- ▶ subject to certain requirements, allows a parent or the parent's designee to safely relinquish a newborn child within 30 days after the day on which the child is born;
- ▶ clarifies the type of information that must be provided to the Division of Child and Family Services upon safe relinquishment of a newborn child;
- ▶ clarifies provisions relating to searches for a potential father of a newborn child who is safely relinquished and notice that must be provided to the potential father;
- ▶ requires the Department of Health to make rules relating to the resolution of conflicting birth and foundling certificates; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

This bill appropriates in fiscal year 2021:

- ▶ to Department of Health -- Family Health and Preparedness, as an ongoing appropriation:
 - from General Fund, \$50,000.

[H.B. 365](#)

Child Abuse and Endangerment Amendments

(Rep. C. Watkins)

This bill modifies provisions relating to child abuse and neglect and endangerment of a child or vulnerable adult.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ for the offense of endangerment of a child or vulnerable adult:
 - modifies the circumstances under which an individual may be found guilty of the offense; and
 - clarifies the circumstances under which an affirmative defense is applicable;
- ▶ modifies provisions relating to a finding of abuse or neglect and determining the best interests of a child in a child welfare case based on the parent's or guardian's use of cannabis; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[S.B. 65](#)

Child Welfare Amendments

(Sen. W. Harper)

This bill modifies provisions relating to child welfare.

This bill:

- ▶ modifies definitions;
- ▶ modifies provisions relating to a background check of an individual working in a congregate care program that serves children;
- ▶ deletes provisions requiring the Division of Child and Family Services to conduct certain assessments for in-home family services;
- ▶ modifies provisions relating to the circumstances under which the attorney general is required to represent the Division of Child and Family Services;
- ▶ deletes provisions requiring the Division of Child and Family Services to provide certain services to a delinquent, ungovernable, or runaway child;
- ▶ requires the Division of Juvenile Justice Services to, upon court order, conduct an assessment to determine whether provision of certain youth services to an ungovernable or runaway child is appropriate;
- ▶ modifies provisions relating to the juvenile court's jurisdiction over an ungovernable or runaway child;
- ▶ modifies the circumstances under which a child may be temporarily detained;
- ▶ requires the Division of Child and Family Services to report to the Social Services Appropriations Subcommittee regarding reimbursement rates for foster parents;
- ▶ modifies the circumstances under which the Department of Human Services is required to investigate reports of abuse or neglect;
- ▶ modifies provisions relating to the order of priority, qualifications, and considerations that apply to individuals with whom a child may be placed in an emergency placement, foster placement, or adoptive placement;
- ▶ clarifies provisions relating to who may file a legal action to prevent a person from engaging in child placing without a license;
- ▶ modifies notice requirements relating to certain information electronically filed with the court in an abuse, neglect, or dependency proceeding;
- ▶ clarifies the circumstances under which the court is required to review a placement decision for a child in a qualified residential treatment program; and

- ▶ makes technical changes.

[S.B. 94](#)

Reporting Requirements Amendments

(Sen. L. Fillmore)

This bill addresses the circumstances under which the Division of Child and Family Services may share reports related to child abuse and neglect. This bill:

- ▶ provides that the Division of Child and Family Services may share reports related to child abuse and neglect with a local education agency for certain purposes; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[S.B. 175](#)

Defense Contracts Amendments

(Sen. W. Harper)

This bill modifies and enacts provisions related to indigent and parental defense.

This bill:

- ▶ creates and modifies definitions;
- ▶ amends the powers, duties, and membership of the Utah Indigent Defense Commission;
- ▶ creates the Office of Indigent Defense Services;
- ▶ creates the powers and duties of the Office of Indigent Defense Services;
- ▶ requires the Office of Indigent Defense Services to administer the Child Welfare Parental Defense Program;
- ▶ modifies provisions relating to administration of the Child Welfare Parental Defense Program;
- ▶ creates a reporting requirement for indigent defense services; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

[S.B. 232](#)

Exploitation of a Minor Amendments

(Sen. T. Weiler)

This bill addresses the offense of sexual exploitation of a minor.

This bill:

- ▶ modifies the circumstances under which an affirmative defense is available to the offense of sexual exploitation of a minor; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 90](#)

Child Abuse Reporting Amendments

(Rep. A. Romero)

This bill modifies provisions relating to reporting requirements for child abuse and neglect.

This bill:

- ▶ deletes provisions that exempt, under certain circumstances, a member of the clergy from being required to report child abuse and neglect; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.C.R. 29](#)

Concurrent Resolution Encouraging Discussions on the Effects of Child Sexual Abuse

(Rep. A. Stoddard)

This concurrent resolution encourages open, frank discussion about the effects and prevalence of child sexual abuse.

This resolution:

- ▶ acknowledges the widespread nature of child sexual abuse globally, nationally, and at the state level;
- ▶ explains the impact of child sexual abuse on victims and communities;
- ▶ encourages discussion about the effects and prevalence of child sexual abuse; and
- ▶ encourages greater study and discussion of ways in which our government, communities, and citizens can prevent this form of abuse, as well as how best to support those affected.

[S.B. 160](#)

Termination of Parental Rights Modifications

(Sen. T. Weiler)

This bill addresses termination of parental rights.

This bill:

- ▶ modifies the circumstances under which a court may terminate a parent's rights.

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

[H.B. 30](#)

Workforce Services Amendments

(Rep. C. Pierucci)

This bill modifies provisions of the Utah Workforce Services Code and the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Act.

This bill:

- ▶ modifies civil penalty provisions related to obtaining overpayments for certain public assistance;
- ▶ moves the Safety Net Initiative from the Department of Workforce Services to the Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 137](#)

Child Placement Background Check Limits

(Rep. C. Watkins)

This bill modifies provisions relating to background checks performed and licenses issued by the Office of Licensing within the Department of Human Services.

This bill:

- ▶ under certain circumstances, prohibits the Office of Licensing from denying a license based on certain criminal convictions that are older than 10 years;
- ▶ modifies the time frame within which the Office of Licensing is required to notify the Bureau of Criminal Identification of the status of a license;
- ▶ modifies the circumstances under which the Office of Licensing is required to conduct a comprehensive review of an applicant's background check; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 448](#)

Department of Human Services Budgetary Procedures Amendments

(Rep. N. Thurston)

This bill modifies provisions relating to the funding of Department of Human Services programs.

This bill:

- ▶ allows the executive director of the Department of Human Services to:
 - designate up to three priority programs to receive funds from other programs that the department determines have unexpended funds from the fiscal year in which the funds were appropriated starting fiscal year 2021;
 - reallocate unexpended funds from the other programs to one or more of the designated priority programs before the end of the fiscal year in which the funds were appropriated; and

- provides exceptions for which the unexpended funds may not be reallocated; and
- ▶ requires the Department of Human Services to report annually to the Social Services Appropriations Subcommittee on the department's designation of priority programs for the next fiscal year and the department's use of unexpended funds for priority programs from the prior fiscal year.

DISEASES

[H.B. 86](#)

Adult Autism Treatment Program

(Rep. C. Hall)

This bill creates the Adult Autism Treatment Program.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ creates the Adult Autism Treatment Program within the Department of Health;
- ▶ describes the operation of the program; and
- ▶ creates the Adult Autism Treatment Account.

[H.B. 106](#)

Rare Disease Advisory Council

(Rep. L. Perry)

This bill creates the Rare Disease Advisory Council within the Department of Health.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ creates a grant to convene a Rare Disease Advisory Council;
- ▶ describes the composition and duties of the council;
- ▶ establishes a review and sunset date for the grant; and
- ▶ provides an appropriation.

This bill appropriates in fiscal year 2021:

- ▶ to the Department of Health - Disease Control and Prevention, as an ongoing appropriation:
 - from the General Fund, \$9,500.

[H.B. 220](#)

Hepatitis C Outreach Pilot Program

(Rep. S. Eliason)

This bill creates the Hepatitis C Outreach Pilot Program within the Department of Health.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ creates the Hepatitis C Outreach Pilot Program;
- ▶ requires the department to make grants to Hepatitis C outreach organizations; and
- ▶ specifies how grant funds may be used.

This bill appropriates in fiscal year 2021:

- ▶ to the Department of Health – Disease Control and Prevention, as a one-time appropriation:
 - from the General Fund, One-time, \$300,000.

[H.B. 321](#)

Applied Behavioral Licensing Amendments

(Rep. L. Wilde)

This bill modifies provisions of the Utah Human Services Code.

This bill:

- ▶ defines "applied behavior analysis treatment";
- ▶ includes applied behavior analysis treatment in the definition of "human services program," which has the effect of requiring certain health care providers and practice groups to be licensed under Title 62A, Chapter 2, Licensure of Programs and Facilities; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

[H.B. 403](#)

Protective Order and Stalking Injunction Amendments

(Rep. V. L. Snow)

This bill addresses protective orders and stalking injunctions.

This bill:

- ▶ creates and modifies definitions;
- ▶ modifies provisions relating to an individual's right to bail after violation of a jail release agreement or jail release court order;
- ▶ modifies and enacts provisions relating to the Administrative Office of the Court's duty to provide forms to an individual seeking a civil or criminal protective order or civil or criminal stalking injunction;
- ▶ extends the length of time the following are effective:
 - a child protective order issued against a respondent who is not the child's parent, guardian, or custodian;
 - a dating violence protective order;
 - a sexual violence protective order; and
 - a cohabitant abuse protective order;
- ▶ modifies the circumstances under which a child protective order may be sought, issued, modified, and vacated;

[S.B. 238](#)

Battered Person Mitigation Amendments

(Sen. D. Thatcher)

This bill provides for mitigation of certain criminal charges related to cohabitant abuse.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ provides for an offense reduction for an individual convicted of an offense if the individual committed the offense as a result of cohabitant abuse; and
- ▶ provides procedures for proving and finding an individual is entitled to the offense reduction in court.

[H.B. 447](#)

Stalking Revisions

(Rep. C. Pierucci)

This bill amends provisions related to stalking.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms; and
- ▶ modifies the acts that constitute stalking in relation to sending electronic communications.

- ▶ modifies the orders the court may include as part of a child protective order;
- ▶ after issuance or denial of an ex parte protective order, modifies the time period within which the petitioner is required to request a hearing for the protective order and the time period within which the court is required to set a hearing date for the petition for the protective order;
- ▶ modifies and deletes provisions relating to expiration and modification of a cohabitant abuse protective order;
- ▶ modifies the circumstances under which a sexual violence protective order may be extended;
- ▶ modifies the penalty for a violation of a sentencing protective order and a continuous protective order;
- ▶ under certain circumstances, allows the court to issue a continuous protective order against a perpetrator of an offense that is not domestic violence;
- ▶ renumbers and amends provisions relating to criminal protective orders, civil protective orders, and stalking injunctions; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

[H.B. 482](#)

Office on Domestic and Sexual Violence

(Rep. V. L. Snow)

This bill creates the Office on Domestic and Sexual Violence within the Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice.

This bill:

- ▶ creates the Office on Domestic and Sexual Violence;
- ▶ requires the Executive Director of the Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice to appoint the director of the office; and
- ▶ provides responsibilities to the office for the statewide coordination of resources and policies for reducing instances of domestic and sexual violence.

[H.B. 493](#)

Stalking Amendments

(Rep. P. Ray)

This bill provides criminal penalties for certain actions related to stalking.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms; and
- ▶ provides criminal penalties for stalking a specific group of individuals.

[S.B. 46](#)

Domestic Violence Amendments

(Sen. J. Iwamoto)

This bill relates to the offense of commission of domestic violence in the presence of a child.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ increases the penalty for the offense of commission of domestic violence in the presence of a child;
- ▶ modifies the circumstances under which the offense of commission of domestic violence in the presence of a child is subject to a penalty enhancement; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

HEALTH CARE SPENDING

[H.B. 195](#)

Identifying Wasteful Health Care Spending

(Rep. S. Harrison)

This bill requires the Department of Health to identify potential overuse of non-evidence-based health care.

This bill:

- ▶ requires the Department of Health to contract with an organization for an analysis

to identify potential overuse of non-evidence-based health care;

- ▶ requires the Health Data Committee to:
 - review the results from the analysis;
 - review scientific literature and solicit input on duplication in health care; and
 - solicit input on instances of non-alignment in health care metrics; and
- ▶ requires the Department of Health to annually report on the findings of the Health Data Committee.

HEALTH DATA

[H.B. 209](#)

Health Data Authority Amendments

(Rep. R. Ward)

This bill amends provisions relating to the disclosure of identifiable health data collected by the Department of Health.

This bill:

- ▶ allows the Health Data Committee to disclose identifiable health data to the Department of Health or a public health authority under certain circumstances; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

HEALTH INSURANCE

[H.B. 37](#)

Insurance Amendments

(Rep. J. Dunnigan)

This bill amends and enacts provisions under the Insurance Code and related to certain health benefit plans and the Health Reform Task Force.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ amends provisions related to certain contractors and subcontractors and health benefit plans;
- ▶ amends the scope and applicability of the Insurance Code;
- ▶ removes the requirement that the Insurance Department employ a chief examiner;
- ▶ permits a signature of the insurance commissioner to be in a format that affixes an exact copy of the signature;
- ▶ prohibits more than two members of the Title and Escrow Commission to be employees of an entity operating under an affiliated business arrangement;

- ▶ amends requirements for doing business in relation to service contract providers and warrantors;
- ▶ amends provisions regarding required disclosures for a service contract or a vehicle protection product warranty;
- ▶ permits the insurance commissioner to exempt a health maintenance organization from certain deposit requirements without a hearing;
- ▶ amends the date before which a health insurer shall submit a written report regarding coverage for opioids;
- ▶ amends provisions regarding credit allowed a domestic ceding insurer against reserves for reinsurance, including:
 - establishing eligibility for credit;
 - requiring the insurance commissioner to create and publish a list of reciprocal jurisdictions;
 - requiring the insurance commissioner to create and publish a list of qualified assuming insurers;
 - requiring rulemaking;
 - establishing conditions for suspension of an assuming insurer's eligibility; and
 - addressing the reduction or elimination of credit;
- ▶ amends requirements for the loss and loss adjustment expense factors included in rates filed in relation to workers' compensation;
- ▶ amends certain filing requirements to reflect current practice;
- ▶ amends the forms that the insurance commissioner may prohibit;
- ▶ amends limitations of actions for an accident and health insurance policy;
- ▶ enacts provisions regarding the Restatement of the Law of Liability Insurance;
- ▶ outlines requirements for a notice of assignment related to a debt;
- ▶ amends requirements related to the shared common purposes of association groups;
- ▶ amends provisions regarding dependent coverage for accident and health insurance;
- ▶ enacts the Limited Long-Term Care Insurance Act, which:
 - defines terms;
 - establishes disclosure and performance standards for limited long-term care insurance;
 - establishes parameters of a limited long-term care insurance policy offering a nonforfeiture benefit; and

[H.B. 207](#)

- requires the insurance commissioner to make rules;
- ▶ amends provisions regarding the licensing of administrators;
- ▶ amends jurisdictional provisions under the Insurance Receivership Act;
- ▶ amends provisions related to health care claims practices;
- ▶ enacts provisions related to the designation of a third party to receive notification of lapse or cancellation of a policyholder's policy for nonpayment of premium;
- ▶ permits a captive insurance company to provide reinsurance by another insurer with prior approval of the commissioner;
- ▶ amends the issues regarding which the Health Reform Task Force is required to review and make recommendations; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

Insulin Access Amendments

(Rep. N. Thurston)

This bill creates mechanisms to increase Utahns' access to affordable insulin.

This bill:

- ▶ creates an incentive for health benefit plans to reduce the required copayments for insulin;
- ▶ directs the Insurance Department to conduct a study on insulin pricing;
- ▶ directs the Public Employees' Benefit and Insurance Program to purchase insulin at discounted prices and to create a program that allows Utahns to purchase the discounted insulin;
- ▶ increases the number of days for which an insulin prescription can be refilled; and
- ▶ authorizes a pharmacist to refill an expired insulin prescription.

[H.B. 214](#)

Insurance Coverage Modifications

(Rep. R. Ward)

This bill enacts provisions relating to certain health care benefits.

This bill:

- ▶ requires the Department of Health to apply for a Medicaid waiver or state plan amendment to allow the program to provide coverage for in vitro fertilization and genetic testing for certain individuals;
- ▶ requires the Public Employees' Health Benefit Program to provide coverage for in vitro fertilization and genetic testing for certain individuals;

- ▶ requires certain insurers to study whether coverage of in vitro fertilization would result in cost savings to the insurer; and
- ▶ creates reporting requirements.

[H.B. 313](#)

Telehealth Parity Amendments

(Rep. M.G. Ballard)

This bill amends provisions related to insurance coverage for telehealth services and telemedicine services.

This bill:

- ▶ amends the definition of telemedicine services;
- ▶ clarifies the scope of telehealth practice; and
- ▶ requires certain health benefit plans to provide coverage parity and commercially reasonable reimbursement for telehealth services and telemedicine services.

[H.B. 349](#)

Insurance Modifications

(Rep. M. Wheatley)

This bill enacts provisions related to life insurance, accident and health insurance, and long-term care insurance.

This bill:

- ▶ prohibits an insurer from discriminating in the offering, issuance, cancellation, amount of coverage, price, or any other condition of a life insurance, accident and health insurance, or long-term care insurance policy or contract due to the status of an individual as a living organ donor; and
- ▶ defines terms.

[H.B. 402](#)

Regulatory Waiver Process

(Rep. A. Robertson)

This bill modifies provisions related to the Department of Insurance.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ creates an insurance regulatory sandbox program in the Department of Insurance, which allows a participant to temporarily test innovative insurance products or services on a limited basis without otherwise being licensed or authorized to act under the laws of the state;
- ▶ describes the application process and the conditions of participating in the program;
- ▶ describes the responsibilities of the Department of Insurance in administering the program; and

- ▶ describes reporting requirements for participants in the program and for the Department of Insurance.

[S.C.R. 10](#)

Concurrent Resolution on State Employee Benefits and Providing a Refund from the State Health Insurance Pool

(Sen. L. Fillmore)

This concurrent resolution directs the Public Employees' Benefit and Insurance Program to offer certain benefits with respect to employee health benefit packages and to reimburse the excess funds held in the state health insurance pool.

This resolution:

- ▶ describes the state's philosophy on compensation and benefit design for state employees;
- ▶ acknowledges the excess money held in reserve in the state health insurance pool; and
- ▶ directs the Public Employees' Benefit and Insurance Program to:
 - increase the salaries of employees that choose not to receive benefits under the Public Employees' Benefit and Insurance Program;
 - allow employees who receive coverage under the Consumer Plus plan to elect to receive 100% of employer HSA contributions as cash;
 - increase the premium share percentage for the STAR HSA plan for the 2020-2021 plan year;
 - offer HSA dental plans; and
 - reimburse the state and state employees the excess funds held in the state health insurance pool.

[H.B. 204](#)

Insurance Coverage for in Vitro Fertilization

(Rep. A. Stoddard)

This bill requires certain health benefit plans to cover in vitro fertilization.

This bill:

- ▶ requires a health benefit plan to cover in vitro fertilization if it provides a maternity benefit;
- ▶ specifies eligibility, cost sharing, and other coverage requirements; and
- ▶ creates an exemption.

[H.B. 231](#)

Genetic Information Amendments

(Rep. C. Hall)

This bill modifies provisions and provides limitations regarding the use of genetic information.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ removes provisions regulating an employer's and a health insurer's use of personal genetic information;
- ▶ provides limitations on law enforcement's ability to obtain and use personal genetic information;
- ▶ provides limitations on law enforcement's ability to obtain a DNA sample from certain sources; and
- ▶ makes conforming changes.

[H.B. 249](#)

Insulin Copay Amendments

(Rep. M.G. Ballard)

This bill enacts provisions related to the price of insulin.

This bill:

- ▶ places a cap on the copayment an insurance company can require for an insulin prescription.

[H.B. 252](#)

Health Insurance Athletic Trainer Services Modifications

(Rep. B. Last)

This bill repeals exclusions of a licensed athletic trainer from certain provisions of the insurance code.

This bill:

- ▶ repeals exclusions of a licensed athletic trainer from:
 - the definition of "health care provider" in the Health Discount Program Consumer Protection Act; and
 - preferred provider nondiscrimination provisions for a managed care organization; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 342](#)

Mental Health Insurance Requirements

(Rep. Brian S. King)

This bill enacts provisions relating to certain health benefits.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ creates reporting requirements for an insurer that provides a health benefit plan regarding

certain treatment limitations on mental health benefits and substance use disorder benefits; and

- ▶ requires the Insurance Department to report certain information to the Legislature.

[H.B. 363](#)

Public Employees' Health Plan Amendments

(Rep. S. Harrison)

This bill amends the Public Employees' Health Program.

This bill:

- ▶ authorizes the Public Employees' Health Program to establish an out-of-state provider network through requests for proposals;
- ▶ authorizes the Public Employees' Health Program to partner with public entities in other states in certain circumstances; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 380](#)

Health Care Consumer Protection Amendments

(Rep. N. Thurston)

This bill amends the Insurance Code.

This bill:

- ▶ creates a definition;
- ▶ prohibits a health care provider from misrepresenting that the provider is a contracted provider under a health benefit plan when that is not the case; and
- ▶ specifies that a violation is a violation of the Utah Consumer Sales Practices Act.

[H.B. 457](#)

Health Insurance Amendments

(Rep. J. Dunnigan)

This bill enacts requirements related to billing and provider networks for certain health insurance plans.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ requires a managed care organization to provide adequate coverage of certain health care services in the managed care organization's network;
- ▶ requires a managed care organization to publish and maintain a provider directory of health care providers that are in the managed care organization's network; and
- ▶ enacts procedures that a managed care organization and a non-network health care professional must follow if there is a dispute regarding payment for certain emergency services.

[H.B. 486](#)

Insurance Network Study

(Rep. S. Harrison)

This bill amends the Insurance Code regarding the duties of the insurance commissioner.

This bill:

- requires the insurance commissioner to conduct an evaluation regarding the health benefit plan market and report findings to the Business and Labor Interim Committee; and
- makes technical and conforming changes.

[S.B. 98](#)

Treatment Medication Amendments

(Sen. K. Mayne)

This bill amends provisions relating to health insurance coverage for cancer treatment.

This bill:

- prohibits a health benefit plan from requiring step therapy for certain drugs used to treat stage-IV advanced metastatic cancer or associated conditions.

[S.B. 184](#)

Treatment Medication Revisions

(Sen. D. Hemmert)

This bill amends provisions relating to health insurance coverage for certain cancer treatments.

This bill:

- defines terms; and
- prohibits a health benefit plan from requiring step therapy for certain drugs used to treat cancer or associated conditions.

[S.B. 187](#)

Cobra Amendments

(Sen. T. Weiler)

This bill amends provisions relating to the requirement that an employer provide notice regarding mini-COBRA coverage.

This bill:

- creates penalties for an employer who fails to provide certain information regarding mini-COBRA coverage; and
- requires an employer or an entity that contracts with an employer to provide health insurance coverage to include information regarding mini-COBRA coverage in the notice of cancellation of coverage under certain circumstances.

HEALTHCARE FACILITIES

[H.B. 174](#)

Rural County Health Care Facilities Tax Amendments

(Rep. P. Lyman)

This bill modifies provisions relating to the county sales and use tax for rural county health care facilities.

This bill:

- modifies the purposes for which a county of the third or fourth class may use money collected from the rural county health care facilities tax; and
- makes technical and conforming changes.

[H.B. 428](#)

Birthing Facility Licensure Amendments

(Rep. F. Gibson)

This bill amends provisions relating to the licensure of a birthing facility.

This bill:

- amends provisions relating to the licensure of a birthing facility;
- allows a birthing facility that is not freestanding to be licensed as an alongside midwifery unit under certain circumstances; and
- describes the requirements for licensure as an alongside midwifery unit.

[H.C.R. 17](#)

Concurrent Resolution to Create Awareness Regarding the Value of Birth Tissues

(Rep. B. Daw)

This concurrent resolution of the Legislature and the Governor encourages Utah's medical community to raise public awareness regarding the life-saving value of birth tissues.

This resolution:

- encourages Utah's medical community to raise public awareness regarding the life-saving value of birth tissues for the purposes of treatment and research; and
- encourages hospitals and birthing centers to educate a pregnant woman about her choice to store or donate her newborn child's birth tissues.

[S.B. 213](#)

Sepsis Protocol Requirements

(Sen. K. Mayne)

This bill authorizes hospitals to develop sepsis protocol requirements.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ authorizes hospitals to develop sepsis protocols; and
- ▶ provides guidance on factors the protocols should include.

[H.B. 456](#)

Health Care Facility Balance Billing Amendments

(Rep. J. Dunnigan)

This bill enacts provisions relating to balance billing for emergency services by a health care facility.

This bill:

- ▶ defined terms; and
- ▶ enacts procedures that managed care organizations and a health care facility must follow if there is a dispute regarding payment for certain emergency services.

[S.B. 105](#)

Surgical Smoke Evacuation System Requirements

(Sen. K. Riebe)

This bill establishes requirements for surgical facilities to develop policies to evacuate surgical smoke.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ directs facilities that conduct surgeries to develop policies to eliminate exposure to surgical smoke; and
- ▶ implements a deadline for the facilities to report their new policies to the Department of Health.

HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS

[H.B. 24](#)

Health Care Professional Licensing Amendments

(Rep. B. Daw)

This bill amends the definition of unprofessional conduct for prescribing health care professionals and pharmacists.

This bill:

- ▶ adds a provision to each health care profession's definition of unprofessional conduct to include:
 - knowingly entering false or misleading information on a medical record; or
 - knowingly altering a medical record for the purpose of concealing any

circumstance related to the health care provided to a patient.

[H.B. 41](#)

State Water Policy Amendments

(Rep. K. Stratton)

This bill addresses water policies.

This bill:

- ▶ outlines the water policies of the state;
- ▶ encourages state agencies to follow the state policy;
- ▶ addresses suits referencing the state policy; and
- ▶ requires an annual review of the policy.

[H.B. 87](#)

Health Care Workforce Financial Assistance Program Amendments

(Rep. R. Ward)

This bill amends provisions relating to the Health Care Workforce Financial Assistance Program.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ permits the department to provide education loan repayment assistance to geriatric or health care professionals under certain circumstances; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 108](#)

Medical Specialists in Public Schools

(Rep. C. Moss)

This bill permits an LEA to adopt separate schedules for employees who provide certain education-related medical services in a school-based setting.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms; and
- ▶ permits an LEA to adopt a separate salary schedule or separate salary schedules for employees who provide certain education-related medical services in a school-based setting.

[H.B. 161](#)

Audiology and Speech-language Pathology Interstate Compact

(Rep. D. Owens)

This bill enacts the Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology Interstate Compact.

This bill:

- ▶ enacts the Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology Interstate Compact with amendments;

- ▶ authorizes the Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing to make rules to implement the Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology Interstate Compact; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

[H.B. 274](#)

Delegation of Health Care Services Amendments

(Rep. R. Ward)

This bill addresses delegation of the performance of health care services.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms and modifies definitions;
- ▶ requires the Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing, in consultation with the Department of Health, to identify by administrative rule health care services that a health care provider is not required to delegate before an unlicensed individual may perform the services;
- ▶ subject to certain requirements, allows an individual's caregiver to delegate the performance of routine nursing care for the individual to an unlicensed individual; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 285](#)

Utah Professionals Health Program

(Rep. B. Daw)

This bill enacts a health program for health care professionals to provide an alternative to public disciplinary action for licensees who have substance use disorders.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ establishes the Utah Professionals Health Program;
- ▶ establishes advisory committees to advise the division;
- ▶ establishes requirements for a program contract;
- ▶ explains the effect that entering into a program contract has on other disciplinary proceedings;
- ▶ sets a procedure to follow if a licensee violates a program contract;
- ▶ enables the Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing to set fines and fees to run the program;
- ▶ establishes a reporting requirement; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 341](#)

Associate Physician License Amendments

(Rep. S. Barlow)

This bill amends the licensing requirements for associate physicians.

This bill:

- ▶ changes the areas where associate physicians can practice; and
- ▶ changes the time period for which associate physicians can be licensed.

[H.B. 389](#)

Emergency Medical Services Amendments

(Rep. D. Owens)

This bill amends provisions relating to emergency medical services.

This bill:

- ▶ establishes the Emergency Medical Services System Account to be administered by the Department of Health (department) for certain purposes related to emergency medical services;
- ▶ modifies the expenditure requirements for certain funds transferred to the department;
- ▶ requires the department to hire five regional emergency medical services liaisons to serve the needs of certain rural counties;
- ▶ requires the department to submit a report to the Health and Human Services Interim Committee; and
- ▶ establishes a repeal date for the reporting requirement.

This bill appropriates in Fiscal Year 2021:

- ▶ to the Department of Health -- Family Health and Preparedness -- Emergency Medical Services and Preparedness, as an ongoing appropriation:
 - From the Emergency Medical Services System Account, \$3,000,000;
- ▶ to the Emergency Medical Services System Account -- Emergency Medical Services System Account, as an ongoing appropriation:
 - From the General Fund, \$3,000,000.

[H.C.R. 20](#)

Concurrent Resolution Honoring the Utah Hospital Association for 100 Years of Service

(Rep. F. Gibson)

This concurrent resolution recognizes the contributions of the Utah Hospital Association over the past 100 years.

This resolution:

- ▶ describes the history of the Utah Hospital Association;
- ▶ notes the critical role of the Utah Hospital Association and its member hospitals in providing health care to all Utahns;
- ▶ describes the Utah Hospital Association's contributions to the community through health care advocacy and various programs; and
- ▶ recognizes and honors the Utah Hospital Association and its members for 100 years of service to the state.

[S.B. 11](#)

Offset for Occupational Health and Safety Related Donations Sunset Extension

(Sen. C. Bramble)

This bill modifies provisions of the Legislative Oversight and Sunset Act.

This bill:

- ▶ extends the sunset date of the offset for occupational health and safety related donations.

[S.B. 16](#)

Rural Residency Training Program Reauthorization

(Sen. A. Christensen)

This bill amends and reauthorizes the rural residency training program.

This bill:

- ▶ adds dental education programs to the list of training programs in the rural residency training program;
- ▶ reauthorizes the rural residency training program for five years; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[S.B. 23](#)

Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing Amendments

(Sen. C. Bramble)

This bill modifies provisions related to the Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing (the division).

This bill:

- ▶ modifies the division's administrative fine authority;
- ▶ modifies the division's authority to grant a license by endorsement;
- ▶ modifies the responsibilities of the Uniform Building Code Commission;

- ▶ modifies the division's licensing fees for active duty personnel;
- ▶ modifies licensing regulations during disasters;
- ▶ removes good moral character provisions for many licensed professions;
- ▶ modifies provisions concerning the licensing requirements for certain cosmetology related professions;
- ▶ modifies the division's required uses of surcharges for certain professions;
- ▶ modifies background check provisions for certain medical professions and for licensed security guards;
- ▶ modifies the membership of the Plumbers Licensing Board and the Electricians Licensing Board;
- ▶ modifies provisions related to the health facility administrator license;
- ▶ modifies the citation authority of the division;
- ▶ modifies pharmacy notification requirements;
- ▶ modifies provisions related to prelitigation panels under the Utah Health Care Malpractice Act;
- ▶ modifies provisions related to disclosing information from the controlled substance database in criminal proceedings;
- ▶ modifies provisions related to unprofessional and unlawful conduct for professions regulated by the division; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

[S.B. 70](#)

Determination of Death Amendments

(Sen. K. Grover)

This bill allows for a registered nurse to make a determination of death in certain circumstances.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ allows a nurse to make a determination of death in certain circumstances; and
- ▶ makes conforming changes.

[S.B. 127](#)

Nursing Licensing Amendments

(Sen. D. G. Buxton)

This bill amends the Nurse Practice Act.

This bill:

- ▶ amends provisions relating to the limited approval of certain nursing education programs.

[S.B. 135](#)**Dental Practice Act Amendments**

(Sen. A. Christensen)

This bill addresses the use of teledentistry to provide dental care.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ provides for the use of teledentistry within the state by dental professionals licensed within the state;
- ▶ provides that the standard of dental care for teledentistry is the same for in-person dental care;
- ▶ establishes the dental services a dental professional may provide using teledentistry;
- ▶ directs the Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing to make rules regarding teledentistry; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

[S.B. 155](#)**Medical Billing Amendments**

(Sen. K. Mayne)

This bill enacts provisions related to balance billing for certain health care services.

This bill:

- ▶ requires health care facilities and health care providers who engage in balance billing for certain health care services to submit a report to the Insurance Department;
- ▶ requires an insurer to provide certain information regarding reimbursement for emergency services to the Insurance Department;
- ▶ specifies the information that must be reported by a health care provider, a health care facility, or a health insurer;
- ▶ creates a reporting requirement; and
- ▶ creates a sunset date.

[S.B. 201](#)**Professional Licensing Amendments**

(Sen. J. Anderegg)

This bill modifies provisions of Title 58, Occupations and Professions.

This bill:

- ▶ modifies provisions related to the authority of the Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing (DOPL) to refuse to issue or renew a license based on an applicant's criminal history;
- ▶ modifies provisions related to an applicant requesting an agency review from DOPL for the refusal to issue or renew a license;

- ▶ modifies the definition of "unlawful conduct" related to the criminal record of an applicant or licensee; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 172](#)**Pharmacist Amendments**

(Rep. B. Daw)

This bill permits a pharmacist, or a pharmacy intern or pharmacy technician who is directly supervised by a pharmacist, to administer Tamiflu.

This bill:

- ▶ authorizes the use of a standing order issued by a physician to serve as authority for a pharmacist, or a pharmacy intern or pharmacy technician who is directly supervised by a pharmacist, to administer Tamiflu;
- ▶ creates standards and procedures that a pharmacist, pharmacy intern, or pharmacy technician must follow when administering Tamiflu; and
- ▶ limits liability for practitioners who issue a standing order for Tamiflu.

[H.B. 351](#)**Tax Credit for Medical Instructors**

(Rep. J. Dailey-Provost)

This bill creates a nonrefundable individual income tax credit for medical instructors.

This bill:

- ▶ creates a nonrefundable income tax credit for medical instructors;
- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ creates an application process for a medical instructor to apply to the Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing for a tax credit certificate; and
- ▶ requires the Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing to issue tax credit certificates.

[H.B. 354](#)**Associate Physician and Physician Assistant Amendments**

(Rep. R. Ward)

This bill amends the licensing requirements for associate physicians and physician assistants.

This bill:

- ▶ authorizes a physician assistant to work as a mental health therapist;
- ▶ changes the areas where associate physicians can practice; and
- ▶ changes the time period for which associate physicians can be licensed.

[H.B. 379](#)

Emergency Services Balance Billing Amendments

(Rep. B. Brammer)

This bill enacts requirements related to billing and provider networks for certain health insurance plans.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ requires a managed care organization to provide adequate coverage of certain health care services in the managed care organization's network;
- ▶ requires a managed care organization to publish and maintain a provider directory of health care providers that are in the managed care organization's network; and
- ▶ enacts procedures that a managed care organization and a non-network physician must follow if there is a dispute regarding payment for certain emergency services.

[H.B. 443](#)

Prohibition on Age Based Testing for Physicians

(Rep. K. Stratton)

This bill prohibits age-based testing of physicians for licensure, reimbursement, employment, or admitting privileges.

This bill:

- ▶ prohibits age-based testing of physicians by the Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing, a health care facility, and a managed care organization.

[H.B. 490](#)

Healthcare Collections Amendments

(Rep. P. Ray)

This bill amends provisions related to health care debt collection.

This bill:

- ▶ excludes a health care provider's third party collection agency from providing certain notices before engaging in a collection action if the health care provider's third party collection agency does not engage in extraordinary collection actions; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.C.R. 4](#)

Concurrent Resolution Encouraging Cultural Intelligence and Linguistic Competence

(Rep. V. Potter)

This concurrent resolution encourages Utah's health and social services providers to deliver culturally intelligent and linguistically competent services.

This resolution:

- ▶ defines "cultural intelligence and linguistic competence" and other terms;
- ▶ highlights the importance of cultural intelligence and linguistic competence in the effective delivery of health and social services; and
- ▶ encourages Utah's health and social services providers to deliver culturally intelligent and linguistically competent services by:
 - increasing the cultural intelligence and linguistic competency of staff;
 - evaluating current capacity to meet the needs of Utahns from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds; and
 - implementing best practices in cultural intelligence and linguistic competence.

[H.J.R. 17](#)

Joint Resolution Encouraging Medical Training Programs to Include Appropriate Care for LGBTQIA+ Patients

(Rep. J. Dailey-Provost)

This joint resolution encourages health care training programs to provide training on the delivery of culturally appropriate health care services to LGBTQIA+ individuals.

This resolution:

- ▶ describes the unique experiences and challenges of LGBTQIA+ individuals seeking health care; and
- ▶ encourages health care training programs in the state of Utah to provide training on the delivery of culturally competent health care services to meet the unique health care needs of LGBTQIA+ individuals.

HEALTHCARE SERVICES

[H.B. 377](#) **Health Care Funding Amendments**

(Rep. M.A. Strong)

This bill requires the Department of Health to request a waiver and apply for grants related to certain health care services.

This bill:

- ▶ requires the Department of Health (department) to apply for Title X grants from the United States Department of Health and Human Services;
- ▶ requires the department to request a waiver from federal restrictions on funding based partly on certain services being offered to a minor without consent from a parent or guardian; and
- ▶ if the department receives a grant, requires the department to disburse grant funds according to certain prioritization criteria.

[H.B. 254](#) **Health Care Amendments**

(Rep. R. Ward)

This bill amends provisions relating to the use of public funds for contraceptives.

This bill:

- ▶ requires the Department of Health to apply for certain grants under Title X of the Public Health Service Act; and
- ▶ allows a health care provider to accept Title X funding under certain circumstances.

[H.B. 429](#) **Contraception for Inmates**

(Rep. J. Dailey-Provost)

This bill modifies provisions related to the care of prisoners.

This bill:

- ▶ requires a jail to provide a prisoner with the option of continuing certain medically prescribed methods of contraception; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 449](#) **Study of the Diagnosis, Treatment, and Care of Transgender Minors**

(Rep. B. Daw)

This bill creates a study of the diagnosis, treatment, and care of a minor who is transgender.

This bill:

- ▶ directs the Department of health to conduct a study on the diagnosis, treatment, and care of minors who are transgender;

- ▶ allows the department to contract to perform the study in this bill;
- ▶ creates a reporting requirement; and
- ▶ creates a sunset date.

[S.B. 74](#)

Family Planning Services Amendments

(Sen. D. Kitchen)

This bill amends provisions for family planning services within the state Medicaid program.

This bill:

- ▶ requires the Division of Health Care Financing to apply for a Medicaid waiver or a state plan amendment to extend family planning services to certain low-income individuals; and
- ▶ extends the sunset date for the current reporting requirement.

[S.B. 251](#)

Seizure-related Student Accommodations Amendments

(Sen. T. Weiler)

This bill amends provisions related to the administration of services and accommodations for students with epilepsy or other seizure disorders.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ creates requirements for a seizure action plan that may be submitted to a school by the parent of a student with epilepsy or other seizure disorder;
- ▶ allows a school employee to volunteer to be trained to administer seizure-related services for a student with a seizure action plan; and
- ▶ requires the Department of Health to develop a program to train school employees who volunteer to be trained to deliver the seizure-related services specified in a student's seizure action plan.

HUMAN SERVICES PROVIDERS

[H.B. 141](#)

Educator Salary Incentive Program Amendments

(Rep. V. Potter)

This bill amends provisions regarding educator salaries and incentives.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ provides for the inclusion of social workers licensed by the Division of Occupational and

- Professional Licensing in certain education funding formulas and programs;
- ▶ makes discretionary a requirement that the State Board of Education distribute funds under the Teacher Salary Supplement Program on a pro rata basis under certain circumstances; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

HUMAN TRAFFICKING

[H.B. 291](#) **Human Trafficking Amendments**

(Rep. A. Romero)

This bill amends provisions related to human trafficking.

This bill:

- ▶ amends provisions and definitions related to human trafficking;
- ▶ makes human trafficking an offense subject to registration as a sex offender;
- ▶ provides for human trafficking training for law enforcement officers;
- ▶ amends and enacts provisions related to a safe harbor for children engaged in commercial sex or sexual solicitation;
- ▶ provides certain procedures for law enforcement when there is suspicion that a child may be involved in human trafficking;
- ▶ amends provisions related to vacatur of adjudication as related to a juvenile's court records; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 144](#) **Modifications to Human Trafficking Provisions**

(Rep. K. Andersen)

This bill creates a human trafficking education program and requires certain individuals to participate in the program.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ creates the Human Trafficking Education Program;
- ▶ provides development and content requirements for the program;
- ▶ requires employees of sexually oriented businesses to complete the program;
- ▶ directs government agencies overseeing the licensure of sexually oriented businesses to require applicants to complete the program; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

INJURIES – FIREARMS

[H.B. 171](#) **School Threat Amendments**

(Rep. A. Stoddard)

This bill creates the crime of threats against schools.

This bill:

- ▶ creates the crime of threats against schools;
- ▶ defines schools as a preschool, elementary or secondary school;
- ▶ reduces the level if the perpetrator is a minor;
- ▶ provides that a threat against a school can be real or a hoax; and
- ▶ provides penalties and requires restitution.

[H.B. 340](#) **Rampage Violence Prevention Study**

(Rep. L. Perry)

This bill requires the State Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice to conduct a study on rampage violence.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ requires the State Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice to conduct a study on rampage violence;
- ▶ authorizes the State Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice to contract with a state agency, private entity, or research institution to assist in the study on rampage violence;
- ▶ requires the State Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice to report to the Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice Interim Committee regarding the study on rampage violence;
- ▶ creates the Rampage Violence Prevention Study Fund; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 384](#) **Juvenile Justice Amendments**

(Rep. V. L. Snow)

This bill addresses provisions related to juvenile justice.

This bill:

- ▶ adds and modifies definitions;
- ▶ amends provisions regarding offenses committed by minors on school property, including requiring a referral to the Division of Juvenile Justice Services if a minor refuses to participate in an evidence-based intervention;

- ▶ amends a sunset date related to offenses committed by minors on school property;
- ▶ clarifies a reporting requirement for the Division of Juvenile Justice Services;
- ▶ defines the term "defendant" in Title 77, Chapter 38a, Crime Victims Restitution Act, to exclude a minor who is adjudicated, or enters into a nonjudicial adjustment, for any offense under Title 78A, Chapter 6, Juvenile Court Act;
- ▶ amends and clarifies the jurisdiction of the juvenile court, district court, and justice court regarding offenses committed by minors;
- ▶ requires a peace officer to have probable cause in order to take a minor into custody;
- ▶ requires a probable cause determination and detention hearing within 24 hours of a minor being held for detention;
- ▶ allows a court to order secure confinement for a minor if a minor's conduct resulted in death;
- ▶ requires a prosecutor or the court's probation department to notify a victim of the restitution process;
- ▶ requires a victim to provide the prosecutor with certain information for restitution;
- ▶ amends the amount of time that restitution may be requested;
- ▶ exempts certain offenses committed by a minor from the presumptive timeframes for custody and supervision;
- ▶ modifies the continuing jurisdiction of the juvenile court;
- ▶ amends the exclusive jurisdiction of the district court over minors who committed certain offenses;
- ▶ amends requirements for minors who are charged in the district court for certain offenses;
- ▶ repeals the certification and transfer of minors who committed certain offenses to the district court;
- ▶ allows that a criminal information may be filed for minors who are 14 years old or older and are alleged to have committed certain offenses;
- ▶ requires a preliminary hearing before a juvenile court to determine whether a minor, for which a criminal information or indictment has been filed, will be bound over to the district court to be held for trial;
- ▶ provides the requirements for binding a minor over to the district court;

- ▶ provides the detention requirements for a minor who has been bound over to the district court;
- ▶ allows a juvenile court to extend continuing jurisdiction over a minor to the age of 25 years old if a minor is not bound over to the district court; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

[S.B. 178](#)

Administrative Security Amendments

(Sen. C. Bramble)

This bill amends security provisions for the tax commission.

This bill:

- ▶ requires that a motor vehicle enforcement administrator provide security for the State Tax Commission in an area that restricts certain persons from transporting any firearm, ammunition, dangerous weapon, or explosive; and
- ▶ adds the State Tax Commission to the list of entities that may establish secure areas.

[H.B. 109](#)

Universal Background Checks for Firearm Purchasers

(Rep. Brian S. King)

This bill requires a background check for all firearm sales.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ requires background checks for the transfer of a firearm between persons who are not federal firearms licensees;
- ▶ creates exceptions for family members, law enforcement agencies and officers, and others;
- ▶ allows for temporary transfers under specific circumstances; and
- ▶ sets penalties.

[H.B. 111](#)

Notification to School of Criminal Proceedings

(Rep. C. Hall)

This bill amends the notification requirements to schools of criminal proceedings.

This bill:

- ▶ requires notification by an officer or law enforcement agency to a school district that a minor is under investigation for a violent felony or weapons offense; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

[H.B. 115](#)

Dangerous Weapon Custodian Liability

(Rep. A. Stoddard)

This bill provides a cause of action for negligent entrustment of a firearm.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ provides for circumstances under which a firearm custodian can be liable for damage caused by another individual's use of the firearm custodian's firearm; and
- ▶ provides for a defense to an action brought under the statute.

[H.B. 136](#)

Safe Storage of Firearms Amendments

(Rep. E. Weight)

This bill relates to firearm storage.

This bill:

- ▶ modifies definitions;
- ▶ makes it a criminal offense if a firearm is stored in a place that the firearm owner knows or has reason to believe a minor or person legally restricted from possessing a firearm has access to and a person is injured by a minor or restricted person using the firearm;
- ▶ requires a firearm dealer to post written notice of possible prosecution for negligent storage of a firearm and provides a penalty for failure to post the notice; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 149](#)

Prohibition on Certain Restrictions on Firearms

(Rep. A.C. Maloy)

This bill enacts provisions prohibiting certain restrictions of firearms related to real estate.

This bill:

- ▶ renames Title 57, Chapter 24, Display of Flag, to Residential Property Management Authority Restrictions; and
- ▶ prohibits a residential property management authority from restricting a resident's lawful carry or possession of a firearm for personal defense.

[H.B. 229](#)

Extreme Risk Protection Order

(Rep. S. Handy)

This bill creates the Extreme Risk Protective Order Act.

This bill:

- ▶ enacts the Extreme Risk Protective Order Act;
- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ enables a family member or law enforcement to ask a court to restrain a person from possessing any firearms or ammunition for a specified length of time;
- ▶ requires the courts to develop and adopt uniform forms for all courts;
- ▶ requires that the court consider whether the respondent:
 - has made recent threats or acted violently;
 - violated a recent protective order;
 - has demonstrated a pattern of violent acts or threats within the past 12 months;
 - is dangerous; or
 - has attempted or threatened self-harm;
- ▶ allows a court to issue a search warrant if a respondent refuses to surrender firearms and ammunition upon service of an order;
- ▶ requires the courts to report the respondent's information to the Bureau of Criminal Identification upon issuance, and to remove the information upon expiration;
- ▶ allows the respondent to surrender firearms and ammunition to a law enforcement agency or a federal firearms licensee;
- ▶ provides for disposal if the firearms and ammunition are not reclaimed upon expiration;
- ▶ requires the director of POST to create and implement training and materials; and
- ▶ requires the courts to create and distribute an annual report on extreme risk protective orders.

[H.B. 267](#)

Prohibited Persons Amendments

(Rep. A. Stoddard)

This bill provides a process for surrendering a firearm after an individual becomes a restricted person.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms; and
- ▶ requires a restricted person to comply with certain procedures upon becoming a restricted person.

[H.B. 271](#)

Firearm Preemption Amendments

(Rep. A.C. Maloy)

This bill clarifies that the Legislature has preempted the field of firearm regulation for the state.

This bill:

- ▶ creates the Firearms Preemption Enforcement Act;
- ▶ clarifies preemption of the field of firearms regulation;
- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ outlines violations of legislative preemption;
- ▶ provides for civil action for a violation of legislative preemption;
- ▶ outlines remedies for violating legislative preemption;
- ▶ addresses governmental immunity; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 282](#)

Voluntary Firearms Restrictions Amendments

(Rep. A.C. Maloy)

This bill creates a voluntary process for a person to restrict their ability to purchase a firearm.

This bill:

- ▶ requires the Bureau of Criminal Identification to create a process and forms to allow a non-restricted person to voluntarily become a restricted person for a limited period of time;
- ▶ requires the person to acknowledge the consequences of the restrictions;
- ▶ allows the person to request removal after 30 days; and
- ▶ requires the law enforcement agency and bureau to destroy all records after a person is removed from the voluntary restricted list.

[H.B. 316](#)

Restricted Status Amendments

(Rep. Brian S. King)

This bill provides notification requirements for an individual who may not possess a firearm as a result of a criminal conviction.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms; and
- ▶ provides notification requirements to an individual accused or convicted of a criminal charge that would prevent the individual from lawfully owning or possessing a firearm.

[H.B. 460](#)

Firearms Removal Amendments

(Rep. J. Briscoe)

This bill creates the Firearms Restraining Order Act.

This bill:

- ▶ enacts the Firearms Restraining Order Act;
- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ enables a family member, medical professional, or law enforcement officer to ask a court to restrain a person from

possessing any firearms or ammunition for a specified length of time;

- ▶ requires the courts to develop and adopt uniform forms for all courts;
- ▶ requires that the court consider whether the respondent:
 - has made recent threats or acted violently;
 - violated a recent protective order;
 - has demonstrated a pattern of violent acts or threats within the past 12 months;
 - is dangerous; or
 - has attempted or threatened self-harm;
- ▶ allows a court to issue a search warrant if a respondent refuses to surrender firearms and ammunition upon service of an order;
- ▶ requires the courts to report the respondent's information to the Bureau of Criminal Identification upon issuance, and to remove the information upon expiration;
- ▶ requires the respondent to surrender firearms and ammunition to a law enforcement agency;
- ▶ provides for disposal if the firearms and ammunition are not reclaimed upon expiration;
- ▶ requires the director of POST to create and implement training and materials; and
- ▶ requires the courts to create and distribute an annual report on firearms restraining orders.

[H.B. 471](#)

Firearm Safe Harbor Amendments

(Rep. A.C. Maloy)

This bill amends the safe harbor provisions for firearms.

This bill:

- ▶ clarifies that a cohabitant may surrender a firearm to law enforcement;
- ▶ allows law enforcement officers to receive firearms; and
- ▶ makes technical corrections.

[H.B. 472](#)

Conceal Carry Firearms Amendments

(Rep. W. Brooks)

This bill modifies provisions related to concealed carrying a firearm.

This bill:

- ▶ provides that an individual who is 21 years or older, and may lawfully possess a firearm, may carry a concealed firearm in a public area without a permit.

[H.B. 476](#)

Data Collection and Reporting Requirements

(Rep. K. Lisonbee)

This bill requires the Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice to produce a report on violent crimes and self defense tactics in the state.

This bill:

- ▶ requires the Bureau of Criminal Identification to report certain information regarding violent crimes in the state to the Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice;
- ▶ requires the Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice to produce a report every three years on violent crimes and self defense tactics in the state; and
- ▶ requires the Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice to submit the report to the Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice Interim Committee and the Judiciary Interim Committee.

[S.B. 33](#)

Firearm Identification Amendments

(Sen. K. Mayne)

This bill makes possession of a firearm with identifying marks removed a crime.

This bill:

- ▶ makes it a third degree felony to alter or remove identifying marks on a firearm; and
- ▶ makes it a third degree felony to be in possession of a firearm on which the identifying marks have been removed or altered.

[S.B. 87](#)

Firearm Commitment Amendments

(Sen. D. Thatcher)

This bill modifies provisions regarding the commitment of firearms.

This bill:

- ▶ provides for circumstances where a cohabitant may commit the firearm of a firearm owner cohabitant without the permission of the owner cohabitant;
- ▶ sets procedures for law enforcement to follow when accepting a firearm committed by a cohabitant without the owner cohabitant's permission; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[S.B. 246](#)

Extreme Risk Protection Order Requirements

(Sen. T. Weiler)

This bill creates the Extreme Risk Protective Order Act.

This bill:

- ▶ enacts the Extreme Risk Protective Order Act;
- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ enables a law enforcement officer to ask a court to restrain a person from possessing any firearms or ammunition for a specified length of time;
- ▶ requires the courts to develop and adopt uniform forms for all courts;
- ▶ requires the courts to provide expedited hearings for petitions for extreme risk protective orders;
- ▶ requires that the court consider whether the respondent:
 - has made recent threats or acted violently;
 - violated a recent protective order;
 - has demonstrated a pattern of violent acts or threats within the past 12 months;
 - is dangerous; or
 - has attempted or threatened self-harm;
- ▶ allows a court to issue a search warrant if a respondent refuses to surrender firearms and ammunition upon service of an order;
- ▶ requires the courts to report the respondent's information to the Bureau of Criminal Identification upon issuance, and to remove the information upon expiration;
- ▶ allows the respondent to surrender firearms and ammunition to a law enforcement agency or a federal firearms licensee;
- ▶ provides for disposal if the firearms and ammunition are not reclaimed upon expiration;
- ▶ requires the director of POST to create and implement training and materials; and
- ▶ requires the courts to create and distribute an annual report on extreme risk protective orders.

INJURIES – PREVENTION

[H.B. 154](#)

Amusement Ride Safety

(Rep. T. Hawkes)

This bill revises provisions in the Amusement Ride Safety Act.

This bill:

- ▶ amends the definitions;
- ▶ amends provisions of the Utah Amusement Ride Safety Committee's rulemaking authority;
- ▶ provides clarification regarding the Utah Amusement Ride Safety Committee's membership;
- ▶ modifies provisions regarding the hiring of the committee's director;
- ▶ modifies the continuing education requirements for the renewal of a qualified safety inspector certification;
- ▶ allows the director to deny, suspend, or revoke an owner-operator's approval to operate an amusement ride under a multi-ride permit, upon a violation involving the amusement ride; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 277](#)

Personal Delivery Devices Amendments

(Rep. S. Barlow)

This bill amends provisions related to personal delivery devices.

This bill:

- ▶ amends definitions;
- ▶ provides for operation parameters for a personal delivery device both in a pedestrian area and on a highway;
- ▶ allows certain local regulation of personal delivery devices; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 356](#)

Railroad Amendments (VETOED)

(Rep. J. Ferry)

This bill modifies provisions related to railroads.

This bill:

- ▶ repeals the state sales and use tax exemption for sales of fuel to a rail carrier for use in a locomotive engine;
- ▶ requires an approximate value of the resulting revenue be deposited into the General Fund;
- ▶ creates the Rail Transportation Restricted Account;
- ▶ provides that upon appropriation, the Department of Transportation shall use the money in the Rail Transportation Restricted Account for construction projects related to railroad crossings on class A, class B, and class C roads; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

This bill appropriates in fiscal year 2021:

- ▶ to the Transit Transportation Investment Fund -- Rail Transportation Restricted Account, as an ongoing appropriation:
 - from the General Fund, \$3,660,000.
- ▶ to the Transit Transportation Investment Fund -- Rail Transportation Restricted Account, as a one-time appropriation:
 - from the General Fund, (\$2,135,000).

[H.B. 72](#)

Railroad Worker Safety Amendments

(Rep. E. Weight)

This bill establishes safety standards for walkways adjacent to railroad tracks.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ requires a railroad to:
 - provide a walkway adjacent to tracks in all areas where railroad or industrial employees are required to perform trackside duties;
 - keep each walkway clean and free of vegetation, debris, and other materials, equipment, and other hazards, that might tend to interfere with the footing of railroad or industrial employees performing trackside duties; and
 - construct and maintain each walkway to insure proper drainage and prevent pooling of water, oil, or other liquids;
- ▶ exempts from the chapter an entity that provides public transit in this state;
- ▶ specifies standards for the construction and maintenance of railroad walkways;
- ▶ specifies exceptions to the railroad walkway construction and maintenance standards;
- ▶ grants the Department of Transportation rulemaking authority to establish additional construction and maintenance standards;
- ▶ requires a railroad to furnish the Department of Transportation with any necessary information and allow inspections by the department for the enforcement of the railroad walkway standards; and
- ▶ specifies procedures and penalties for the enforcement of the railroad walkway construction and maintenance standards.

[H.B. 101](#)

Distracted Driver Amendments

(Rep. C. Moss)

This bill amends provisions related to the use of a handheld wireless communication device while operating a motor vehicle.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms related to the operation of handheld wireless communication devices;
- ▶ prohibits certain uses of a handheld wireless communication device while operating a motor vehicle on a roadway;
- ▶ provides limited exceptions to the prohibition on the use of a handheld wireless communication device while operating a motor vehicle on a roadway;
- ▶ amends penalties for a violation; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 236](#)

Safe School Route Evaluations

(Rep. M.G. Ballard)

This bill requires a school traffic safety committee to include recommendations for infrastructure improvements in a child access routing plan.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ requires a school traffic safety committee to:
 - submit a child access routing plan to the Department of Transportation and municipal and county highway authorities; and
 - include recommendations for infrastructure improvements in a child access routing plan;
- ▶ requires a highway authority to provide feedback on:
 - the estimated time and cost to complete infrastructure improvements recommended by a school traffic safety committee; and
 - infrastructure improvements the highway authority has prioritized for the following year; and
- ▶ requires school traffic safety committees to report to the State Board of Education and the Transportation Advisory Committee on recommended infrastructure improvements included in a child access routing plan, and deliver recommendations for new approved bus routes.

[H.B. 414](#)

Autonomous Vehicle Amendments

(Rep. K. Kwan)

This bill enacts provisions regarding the transportation of unaccompanied minors by a vehicle for hire operating in driverless operation.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ prohibits a vehicle for hire in driverless operation from transporting an

- unaccompanied minor under eight years old or required to use a child restraint system;
- ▶ requires a parent or guardian sign a waiver and provide emergency contact information;
- ▶ requires proper use of safety belts;
- ▶ requires certain monitoring and emergency notification technology; and
- ▶ requires the vehicle be in safe operating condition.

INTERGENERATIONAL POVERTY/HOMELESSNESS

[H.B. 21](#)

Intergenerational Poverty Plan Implementation Program Extension

(Rep. D. Owens)

This bill modifies the Legislative Oversight and Sunset Act.

This bill:

- ▶ extends the sunset date for the Intergenerational Poverty Plan Implementation Pilot Program created in Section 35A-9-501.

[H.B. 107](#)

Effective Teachers in High Poverty Schools Incentive Program Amendments

(Rep. M. Winder)

This bill amends the Effective Teachers in High Poverty Schools Incentive Program.

This bill:

- ▶ amends the definition of eligible teacher to allow teachers of grade 1 through grade 3 to become eligible for the Effective Teachers in High Poverty Schools Incentive Program;
- ▶ increases the amount of the annual salary bonus; and
- ▶ guarantees the portion of the annual salary bonus paid to an eligible teacher by the state board.

[H.B. 258](#)

Intergenerational Poverty Interventions Grant Program Amendments

(Rep. M. Winder)

This bill allows for the use of certain funds for administration of the Intergenerational Poverty Interventions Grant Program.

This bill:

- ▶ allows for the use of certain funds for administration of the Intergenerational Poverty Interventions Grant Program.

[H.B. 440](#)

Homeless Services Funding Amendments

(Rep. S. Eliason)

This bill modifies provisions related to the Homeless Coordinating Committee and the Homeless to Housing Reform Restricted Account. This bill:

- ▶ modifies how the Homeless Coordinating Committee, with the concurrence of the Housing and Community Development Division, may use money from the Homeless to Housing Reform Restricted Account;
- ▶ modifies the funding and authorized uses of the Homeless Reform Restricted Account, including the use of proceeds from the state sale of land at 210 South Rio Grande Street, Salt Lake City, which was the location of a former homeless shelter; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

This bill appropriates in fiscal year 2020:

- ▶ to the Department of Workforce Services -- Housing and Community Development, as a one-time appropriation:
 - from the Homeless to Housing Reform Restricted Account, \$6,000,000.

This bill appropriates in fiscal year 2021:

- ▶ to the University of Utah -- Education and General, as a one-time appropriation:
 - from the General Fund, \$75,000.

[S.B. 39](#)

Affordable Housing Amendments

(Sen. J. Anderegg)

This bill modifies provisions related to affordable housing.

This bill:

- ▶ modifies the allowable uses for a community reinvestment agency's housing allocation;
- ▶ modifies the requirements for distributing money from the Olene Walker Housing Loan Fund;
- ▶ allows low-income housing tax credits to be assigned to another taxpayer; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

This bill appropriates in fiscal year 2021:

- ▶ to the Department of Workforce Services -- Olene Walker Housing Loan Fund as a one-time appropriation:
 - from the General Fund, \$10,000,000.

[S.B. 165](#)

Emergency Response Plans for Homelessness

(Sen. L. Escamilla)

This bill relates to emergency response plans for homelessness.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ requires certain local oversight bodies to develop an emergency response plan to respond to conditions that pose a risk to the health or safety of homeless individuals and families; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[S.B. 244](#)

Homeless Shelter and Services Sharing Amendments

(Sen. J. Anderegg)

This bill modifies provisions of Title 35A, Chapter 8, Housing and Community Development Division.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ describes duties of the director of the Housing and Community Development Division, including the oversight of a Homeless Management Information System; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

This bill appropriates in fiscal year 2021:

- ▶ to the Department of Workforce Services -- Housing and Community Development -- Homeless Committee, as a one-time appropriation:
 - from the General Fund, One-time, \$1,500,000.

[H.B. 52](#)

Intergenerational Poverty Solution

(Rep. N. Thurston)

This bill creates the Education Savings Incentive Program.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ creates the Education Savings Incentive Program (the program), including:
 - providing a process for an individual identified by the Department of Workforce Services as experiencing intergenerational poverty to receive a state match of deposits into certain 529 savings accounts;
 - providing for the sharing of information between the Department of Workforce Services, the Utah Educational Savings Plan, and the State Tax Commission; and

- requiring the Department of Workforce Services and the Utah Educational Savings Plan to provide information about the program to the Legislature through the department's annual report; and
- ▶ sets a termination date for the program but requires legislative review before the termination date to determine whether the Legislature should extend the program.

This bill appropriates in fiscal year 2021:

- ▶ to Education Fund Restricted -- Education Savings Incentive Restricted Account, as an ongoing appropriation:
 - from Education Fund, \$870,800.
- ▶ to Education Fund Restricted -- Education Savings Incentive Restricted Account, as a one-time appropriation:
 - from Education Fund, \$6,900.
- ▶ to Department of Workforce Services -- Administration, as an ongoing appropriation:
 - from Education Fund Restricted -- Education Savings Incentive Restricted Account, \$870,800.
- ▶ to Department of Workforce Services -- Operations and Policy, as a one-time appropriation:
 - from Education Fund Restricted -- Education Savings Incentive Restricted Account, \$6,900.

[H.B. 394](#)

Homeless and Transitional Housing Program Amendments

(Rep. K. Coleman)

This bill modifies provisions related to the Housing and Community Development Division and the Governor's Office of Management and Budget.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ describes duties of the director of the Housing and Community Development Division, including the oversight of a Homeless Management Information System;
- ▶ creates the position and describes the duties of a chief data officer within the Governor's Office of Management and Budget; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[S.B. 164](#)

Social Impact Services

(Sen. L. Escamilla)

This bill provides for county social impact services.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;

- ▶ provides that a county may levy a property tax for the purpose of providing social impact services;
- ▶ addresses the requirements of the property tax; and
- ▶ imposes certain reporting requirements.

LOCAL HEALTH DEPARTMENTS

[H.B. 232](#)

Food Revisions

(Rep. M. Roberts)

This bill creates permitting guidelines for agritourism food establishments and amends provisions relating to food handler and food safety permits.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ clarifies provisions related to the certification requirements for an individual who is a certified educator and who teaches a food program;
- ▶ clarifies provisions related to local health departments' documentation process for certified food safety managers;
- ▶ grants administrative authority to the Department of Health to make rules regarding sanitation, equipment, and maintenance requirements for microenterprise home kitchens; and
- ▶ grants administrative authority to local health departments to:
 - create and issue agritourism food establishment permits;
 - charge fees for issuing permits and inspecting premises; and
 - inspect agritourism food establishments, including inspecting the locations where food is prepared.

MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH

[H.B. 264](#)

Infant At Work Pilot Program

(Rep. S. Pitcher)

This bill establishes the Infant at Work Pilot Program for eligible employees of the Department of Health.

This bill:

- ▶ establishes definitions for the Infant at Work Pilot Program;
- ▶ creates the Infant at Work Pilot Program for eligible employees to bring their infants to work;

- ▶ establishes an application process through the Department of Human Resource Management (department) for eligible employees of the Department of Health to apply;
- ▶ creates an evaluation process for the department to determine if an eligible employee may participate in the program;
- ▶ grants rulemaking authority to the department;
- ▶ requires the department to submit a report to the Business and Labor Interim Committee; and
- ▶ establishes a repeal date for the program.

[S.B. 207](#)**Paid Leave Amendments**

(Sen. T. Weiler)

This bill requires certain state employers to offer paid postpartum recovery leave.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ requires certain state employers to provide certain employees paid postpartum recovery leave to recover from childbirth;
- ▶ requires the Department of Human Resource Management to adopt rules to administer postpartum recovery leave; and
- ▶ allows the Department of Administrative Services to transfer certain money for the costs of postpartum recovery leave.

This bill appropriates in fiscal year 2021:

- ▶ to the Department of Administrative Services -- Finance Mandated Paid Postpartum Recovery Leave -- Paid Postpartum Recovery Leave, as on ongoing appropriation:
 - from the General Fund, \$507,000.

[H.B. 153](#)**Parental Leave Amendments**

(Rep. E. Weight)

This bill requires certain executive branch employers to offer and administer parental leave.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ requires executive branch agencies and departments to provide an eligible employee paid parental leave upon the birth or adoption of the employee's child; and
- ▶ requires the Department of Human Resource Management to adopt rules to administer parental leave.

MEDICAID/CHIP[H.B. 219](#)**Mental Health Amendments**

(Rep. J. Dunnigan)

This bill addresses reimbursement for certain inpatient mental health services under Medicaid.

This bill:

- ▶ directs the Department of Health to apply for a waiver or a state plan amendment with Medicaid to offer a program to provide reimbursement for certain inpatient mental health services.

[H.B. 210](#)**Insurance Coverage for Children Amendments**

(Rep. R. Ward)

This bill enacts provisions relating to the Medicaid program and the Utah Children's Health Insurance Program.

This bill:

- ▶ requires the Medicaid program and the Utah Children's Health Insurance Program to:
 - allow automatic payments for premiums;
 - share information about Medicaid or Utah Children's Health Insurance Program enrollee renewal dates with accountable care organizations under certain circumstances; and
 - study ways to improve notification and renewal processes for families with children;
- ▶ creates a reporting requirement; and
- ▶ requires the Department of Health to seek a federal waiver to provide continuous eligibility for children in the Medicaid program under certain circumstances.

[S.B. 140](#)**Caregiver Compensation Amendments**

(Sen. W. Harper)

This bill addresses reimbursement for certain personal care services under Medicaid.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms; and
- ▶ directs the Department of Health to apply for an amendment to an existing waiver to the state Medicaid plan to implement a program to reimburse a spouse who provides extraordinary personal care services to a waiver enrollee.

MENTAL HEALTH

[H.B. 32](#)

Crisis Services Amendments

(Rep. S. Eliason)

This bill relates to crisis response treatment and resources.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ changes the name of the "Mental Health Crisis Line Commission" to the "Behavioral Health Crisis Response Commission";
- ▶ modifies the membership of the Behavioral Health Crisis Response Commission;
- ▶ expands the mobile crisis outreach team grant program to fund additional mobile crisis outreach teams in certain counties;
- ▶ requires the Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health to administer a grant program for the development of a behavioral health receiving center;
- ▶ directs the Department of Health to:
 - apply for a waiver or a state plan amendment with Medicaid to offer a program to provide reimbursement for certain services that are provided in a behavioral health receiving center at a bundled daily rate;
 - if the waiver or state plan amendment is approved, require a managed care organization that contracts with Medicaid to provide reimbursement for certain services that are provided in a behavioral health receiving center; and
 - consult with accountable care organizations and counties when determining whether to integrate payment for certain services that are provided in a behavioral health receiving center;
- ▶ requires the Department of Human Services to establish a statewide stabilization services plan and standards for providing stabilization services to a child;
- ▶ requires the Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health to implement a statewide warm line;
- ▶ requires the Behavioral Health Crisis Response Commission to study and make recommendations regarding implementation of the statewide warm line; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

This bill appropriates in fiscal year 2021:

- ▶ to Department of Human Services -- Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health --

Community Mental Health Services, as an ongoing appropriation:

- From General Fund, \$10,460,000;
- ▶ to Department of Human Services -- Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health -- Community Mental Health Services, as a one-time appropriation:
 - From General Fund, One-time, \$5,652,000;
- ▶ to Governor's Office -- Suicide Prevention -- Suicide Prevention, as an ongoing appropriation:
 - from General Fund, \$100,000; and
- ▶ to University of Utah -- SafeUT Crisis Text and Tip Line -- SafeUT Operations, as an ongoing appropriation:
 - from General Fund, \$250,000.

[H.B. 246](#)

Mental Health Workforce Amendments

(Rep. S. Duckworth)

This bill amends provisions relating to the selection of psychiatry medical residents, creates a grant program and provides an appropriation.

This bill:

- ▶ subject to legislative appropriations, requires the University of Utah Health Sciences to select two additional psychiatry residents in the 2021-22 academic year;
- ▶ creates a grant program for a training module for certain professionals who work with children and adolescents; and
- ▶ provides an appropriation.

This bill appropriates in fiscal year 2021:

- ▶ to the University of Utah - School of Medicine, as an ongoing appropriation:
 - from the Education Fund, \$807,700;
- ▶ to the University of Utah - School of Medicine, as a one-time appropriation:
 - from the Education Fund, (\$807,700); and
- ▶ to the University of Utah - School of Medicine, as a one-time appropriation:
 - from the Education Fund, \$600,000.

[H.B. 323](#)

School Mental Health Funding Amendments

(Rep. S. Eliason)

This bill addresses provisions relating to school-based mental health support.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;

- ▶ prohibits mental health screening without parental consent;
- ▶ provides that data collected from a mental health screening may not be included in a student's Student Achievement Backpack;
- ▶ sets standards for participating local education agencies (LEAs) to implement approved mental health screening programs for participating students;
- ▶ requires the State Board of Education (state board) to:
 - in consultation with the Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health, approve an evidence-based mental health screening program to be administered annually to students in a participating LEA; and
 - annually report on the screening programs to the State Suicide Prevention Coalition and the Education Interim Committee;
- ▶ permits an LEA to use Teacher and Student Support Program money to match money distributed to an LEA for school-based student support;
- ▶ removes the fund matching requirement for an LEA that has a school-based student support plan that is approved by the state board after a certain date; and
- ▶ permits the state board to use funds appropriated for school-based student support to pay an employee to administer the program and oversee mental health personnel in LEAs.

H.B. 372

Digital Wellness, Citizenship, and Safe Technology Commission

(Rep. K. Stratton)

This bill creates the Digital Wellness, Citizenship, and Safe Technology Commission to advance the goal of training every student in healthy behavior related to technology use.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ creates the Digital Wellness, Citizenship, and Safe Technology Commission (commission); and
- ▶ requires the commission to:
 - identify best practices and compile resources for training students in healthy behavior related to technology use; and
 - report to the Education Interim Committee and the State Board of Education on efforts related to delivering

training in healthy behavior related to technology use.

S.B. 68

Mental Health Counselor Licensing Amendments

(Sen. T. Weiler)

This bill amends provisions relating to the licensure of a clinical mental health counselor.

This bill:

- ▶ amends provisions relating to licensure as a clinical mental health counselor;
- ▶ creates a reporting requirement;
- ▶ creates a sunset date; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

S.B. 89

Mental Health Services Amendments

(Sen. D. Thatcher)

This bill creates the Mental Health Services Donation Fund.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ creates the Mental Health Services Donation Fund;
- ▶ requires the Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health to administer the Mental Health Services Donation Fund;
- ▶ describes the purposes for which the Mental Health Services Donation Fund may be used;
- ▶ requires the Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health to report to the Mental Health Crisis Line Commission regarding the administration of the Mental Health Services Donation Fund; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

S.C.R. 13

Concurrent Resolution Encouraging More Study into Emotional Support Animals

(Sen. D. Hemmert)

This concurrent resolution urges the U.S. Department of Transportation and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development to amend federal regulations related to emotional support animals.

This resolution:

- ▶ defines "service animal" and "emotional support animal";
- ▶ highlights the detrimental impact that abuse of emotional support animal and service animal laws have on individuals with a disability;

- ▶ supports the change to federal regulations recently proposed by the U.S. Department of Transportation regarding emotional support animals;
- ▶ supports guidelines recently developed by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development that clarify federal regulations related to emotional support animals; and
- ▶ urges the President of the United States, Congress, and Utah's congressional delegation to work with the U.S. Department of Transportation and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development to further amend federal regulations relating to emotional support animals.

[H.B. 35](#)

Mental Health Treatment Access Amendments

(Rep. S. Eliason)

This bill modifies and enacts provisions relating to mental health treatment access.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ requires the Forensic Mental Health Coordinating Council, in consultation with the Utah Substance Use and Mental Health Advisory Council, to study and provide recommendations regarding the long-term need for adult beds at the Utah State Hospital;
- ▶ modifies the membership of the Utah Substance Use and Mental Health Advisory Council;
- ▶ requires the Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health to:
 - set standards for certification of assertive community treatment teams (ACT teams);
 - make rules outlining the responsibilities of ACT teams;
 - award a grant for the development of one ACT team; and
 - implement and manage a housing assistance program for certain individuals released from the Utah State Hospital; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

This bill appropriates:

- ▶ to the Department of Human Services -- Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health -- Utah State Hospital, as an ongoing appropriation:
 - from the General Fund, \$4,885,500;

- ▶ to the Department of Human Services -- Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health -- Utah State Hospital, as a one-time appropriation:
 - from the General Fund, One-time, (\$1,076,900); and
- ▶ to the Department of Human Services -- Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health -- Community Mental Health Services, as an ongoing appropriation:
 - from the General Fund, \$350,000.

[H.B. 167](#)

Insanity Defense Amendments

(Rep. C. Moss)

This bill modifies provisions relating to the criminal defense of not guilty by reason of insanity.

This bill:

- ▶ modifies the circumstances under which a defendant may plead not guilty to a first degree or capital felony by reason of insanity;
- ▶ places the burden of proof on a defendant asserting a defense of not guilty by reason of insanity to a first degree or capital felony charge;
- ▶ modifies provisions relating to supervision, assessment, and release of a defendant committed to the Department of Human Services after being found not guilty of a criminal offense by reason of insanity;
- ▶ provides that a judge presiding over the prosecution of an individual asserting the defense of not guilty by reason of insanity may exercise discretion in ordering the Department of Health to conduct a mental examination of the defendant; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 479](#)

Mental Health Wellbeing in Schools Pilot Program

(Rep. C. Watkins)

This bill creates a one-year pilot program to address mental health in schools.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ creates a one-year pilot program to provide training and education on mental health in selected local education agencies (LEAs); and
- ▶ requires the State Board of Education to:
 - contract with a provider to deliver the mental health program in selected LEAs;
 - select up to six LEAs to participate in the pilot program; and

- report to the Education Interim Committee on the pilot program.

[H.B. 481](#)

Civil Commitment and Competency Amendments

(Rep. P. Ray)

This bill modifies provisions relating to involuntary commitment, commitment to assisted outpatient treatment, and competency to stand trial.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms and modifies definitions;
- ▶ adds members to the Forensic Mental Health Coordinating Council;
- ▶ modifies procedures and requirements for involuntary commitment of an individual, including provisions relating to:
 - notice of expiration of a court order for commitment;
 - the qualifications of an individual who may evaluate an individual for civil commitment;
 - access to medical and mental health records in commitment proceedings;
 - periodic review of an individual's commitment;
 - the circumstances under which certain individuals who are committed after or during a criminal proceeding may be discharged from commitment; and
 - the risk assessment that must be completed before certain individuals are released from civil commitment;
- ▶ clarifies that a court may order assisted outpatient treatment of an individual who does not meet the conditions for civil commitment;
- ▶ modifies provisions relating to the mental health services a local mental health authority is required to provide to an individual who is under an assisted outpatient treatment order or a civil commitment order;
- ▶ modifies the circumstances under which records and reports relating to an order for civil commitment or assisted outpatient treatment may be disclosed;
- ▶ modifies procedures and requirements for finding a defendant incompetent to stand trial in a criminal proceeding, including provisions relating to:
 - the court in which a petition to determine competency may be filed;
 - the information and circumstances on which the forensic evaluation of a defendant may be based;

- the number of forensic evaluators required to evaluate a defendant;
 - the court's findings regarding a defendant's competency; and
 - commitment of an incompetent defendant for restoration treatment; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 484](#)

Criminal Justice Revisions

(Rep. E. Hutchings)

This bill makes changes in the handling of criminal judgment accounts receivable and probation and parole violations.

This bill:

- ▶ requires a court to determine reasonable monthly payments for criminal judgment accounts receivables;
- ▶ with the exception of restitution, allows a court or the Board of Pardons and Parole to reduce or waive the remainder of an account receivable after the defendant has made at least 12 monthly payments;
- ▶ provides that the Office of State Debt Collection shall pause collection of and interest accrual on a criminal judgment account receivable while a defendant is incarcerated;
- ▶ allows a defendant under certain circumstances to petition the court, Board of Pardons and Parole, or the Office of State Debt Collection to defer, reduce, or waive all or part of an amount due;
- ▶ requires quarterly reports to the Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice from jails regarding the number of inmates who are incarcerated for technical violations of probation and parole;
- ▶ requires the Department of Corrections to report to the Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice quarterly the number of probation and parole violations resulting in revocations;
- ▶ requires the Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health to collect data regarding behavioral health providers for criminal justice involved individuals; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

[H.J.R. 6](#)

Joint Resolution on the Benefits of Therapy Animals

(Rep. M. Judkins)

This joint resolution recognizes the benefits of therapy animals and encourages organizations in

Utah to welcome and engage with therapy animals.

This resolution:

- ▶ recognizes the benefits that therapy animals have on the lives of many Utahns; and
- ▶ encourages organizations in Utah to welcome and engage with therapy animals.

MISCELLANEOUS

H.B. 10

Boards and Commissions Amendments

(Rep. M. Roberts)

This bill repeals, places sunset provisions on, and amends and enacts provisions related to certain boards and commissions.

This bill:

- ▶ repeals the following entities and amends provisions related to the following entities:
 - the Arts and Culture Business Alliance;
 - the Deception Detection Examiners Board;
 - the Global Positioning Systems Advisory Committee;
 - the Hearing Instrument Specialist Licensing Board;
 - the Livestock Market Committee;
 - the Motorcycle Rider Education Advisory Committee;
 - the Pesticide Committee;
 - the Private Aquaculture Advisory Council;
 - the Residence Lien Recovery Fund Advisory Board;
 - the Serious Habitual Offender Comprehensive Action Program Oversight Committees;
 - the State Advisory Council on Science and Technology;
 - the State Law Library Board of Control;
 - the Survey and Excavation Permit Advisory Committee; and
 - the Veterans Memorial Park Board;
- ▶ adds sunset provisions to the following and provisions related to the following:
 - the advisory council for the Utah Schools for the Deaf and Blind;
 - the advisory council for the Division of Services for the Blind and Visually Impaired;
 - the Agricultural Advisory Board;
 - the Agricultural and Wildlife Damage Prevention Board;
 - the Agricultural Water Optimization Task Force;
 - the Alarm System Security Licensing Board;
 - the Architects Licensing Board;
 - the Board of Bank Advisors;
 - the Board of Credit Union Advisors;
 - the Board of Financial Institutions;
 - the Board of Tourism Development;
 - the Boating Advisory Council;
 - the Charter School Revolving Account Committee;
 - the Child Care Advisory Committee;
 - the Child Support Guidelines Advisory Committee;
 - the Coal Miner Certification Panel;
 - the Committee of Consumer Services;
 - the Concealed Firearms Review Board;
 - the Coordinating Council for Persons with Disabilities;
 - coordinating councils for youth in custody;
 - the Data Security Management Council;
 - the Decision and Action Committee;
 - the Domesticated Elk Act advisory council;
 - the Drug Utilization Review Board;
 - the Early Childhood Utah Advisory Council;
 - the Emergency Management Administration Council;
 - the Employment Advisory Council;
 - the Executive Residence Commission;
 - the Federal Land Application Advisory Committee;
 - the Forensic Mental Health Coordinating Council;
 - the Governor's Committee on Employment of People with Disabilities;
 - the Governor's Economic Development Coordinating Council;
 - the Great Salt Lake Advisory Council;
 - the Heritage Trees Advisory Committee;
 - the Interpreter Certification Board;
 - the Kurt Oscarson Children's Organ Transplant Coordinating Committee;
 - the Land Use and Eminent Domain Advisory Board;
 - the Livestock Brand Board;
 - local advisory boards for the Children's Justice Center Program;
 - market boards of control in the Department of Agriculture;
 - the Medical Education Council;

- the Motor Vehicle Business Advisory Board;
 - the Motor Vehicle Review Committee;
 - the Museum Services Advisory Board;
 - the Native American Remains Review Committee;
 - the Newborn Hearing Screening Committee;
 - the Off-highway Vehicle Advisory Council;
 - the Pawnshop and Secondhand Merchandise Advisory Board;
 - the Powersport Motor Vehicle Franchise Advisory Board;
 - the Primary Care Grant Committee;
 - the Purchasing from Persons with Disabilities Advisory Board;
 - the Recreational Trails Advisory Council;
 - regional advisory councils for the Wildlife Board;
 - the Residential Child Care Licensing Advisory Committee;
 - the Residential Mortgage Regulatory Commission;
 - the Search and Rescue Advisory Board;
 - the Snake Valley Aquifer Advisory Council;
 - the State Grazing Advisory Board;
 - the State Instructional Materials Commission;
 - the State Rehabilitation Advisory Council;
 - the State of Utah Alice Merrill Horne Art Collection Board;
 - the State Weed Committee;
 - the Technology Initiative Advisory Board;
 - transportation advisory committees;
 - the Traumatic Brain Injury Advisory Committee;
 - the Utah Children's Health Insurance Program Advisory Council;
 - the Utah Commission on Service and Volunteerism;
 - the Utah Council on Victims of Crime;
 - the Utah Electronic Recording Commission;
 - the Utah Health Advisory Council;
 - the Utah Professional Practices Advisory Commission;
 - the Utah Prosecution Council;
 - the Wildlife Board Nominating Committee; and
 - the Workers' Compensation Advisory Council;
- ▶ reinstates the Judicial Rules Review Committee, which was previously repealed, and enacts provisions related to the Judicial Rules Review Committee;
 - ▶ provides for the Governor's Office of Economic Development to develop an incentives review process;
 - ▶ repeals sunset provisions related to the Utah State Fair Corporation Board of Directors;
 - ▶ repeals sunset provisions related to the Pete Suazo Utah Athletic Commission;
 - ▶ modifies appointments related to:
 - the Committee of Consumer Services;
 - the Health Facility Committee;
 - the Sentencing Commission; and
 - the Utah Seismic Safety Commission;
 - ▶ amends provisions related to contributions to the Martha Hughes Cannon Capitol Statue Oversight Committee;
 - ▶ adds provisions to an existing repealer for the Air Ambulance Committee;
 - ▶ modifies reporting requirements related to boards and commissions;
 - ▶ requires the Utah Public Notice Website and the governor's boards and commissions database to share certain information;
 - ▶ requires the Division of Archives and Records Service to identify and report certain information;
 - ▶ allows an individual to receive notifications regarding vacancies on certain boards and commissions;
 - ▶ provides a portal through which a member of the public may provide feedback on an appointee or sitting member of certain boards and commissions; and
 - ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 116](#)

Murdered and Missing Indigenous Women and Girls Task Force

(Rep. A. Romero)

This bill creates the Murdered and Missing Indigenous Women and Girls Task Force.

This bill:

- ▶ creates the task force; and
- ▶ specifies duties of the task force.

This bill appropriates in fiscal year 2021:

- ▶ to the Legislature - Senate as a one-time appropriation:
 - from the General Fund, \$3,200;
- ▶ to the Legislature - House of Representatives as a one-time appropriation:
 - from the General Fund, \$3,200;

- ▶ to the Legislature - Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel as a one-time appropriation:
 - from the General Fund, \$2,800.

[H.B. 436](#)

Health and Human Services Amendments

(Rep. J. Dunnigan)

This bill amends provisions related to health and human services.

This bill:

- ▶ amends provisions relating to Medicaid;
- ▶ amends provisions for the financing of the Utah Premium Partnership for Health Insurance program;
- ▶ updates the Drug Utilization Review reporting requirements;
- ▶ updates certain background check requirements for individuals who have direct access to children or vulnerable adults;
- ▶ allows for transportation during a temporary commitment to occur via a nonemergency secured behavioral transport in certain circumstances; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[S.B. 59](#)

Daylight Saving Time Amendments

(Sen. W. Harper)

This bill, subject to congressional authorization, places Utah on year-round mountain daylight time.

This bill:

- ▶ subject to congressional authorization, places Utah and all political subdivisions in Utah on year-round mountain daylight time.

[S.B. 146](#)

Boards and Commissions Modifications

(Sen. W. Harper)

This bill creates conflicts of interest and vacancy procedures for certain types of boards, commissions, and committees.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ enacts procedures to follow for vacancies on certain types of boards, commissions, and committees;
- ▶ enacts procedures for a member of certain types of boards, commissions, and committees to follow when the member has a conflict of interest;

- ▶ modifies deadlines, and the information provided by the governor, with respect to certain non-judicial gubernatorial nominees;
- ▶ requires a Senate confirmation hearing, and provides an exception to a deadline waiver provision, for certain nominees;
- ▶ requires notice of anticipated vacancies in certain offices that require Senate consent; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 69](#)

Sick Leave Amendments

(Rep. P. Arent)

This bill enacts provisions related to certain employment benefits.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ requires certain employers to allow an employee to use at least 10 days accrued sick leave to care for an immediate family member under certain conditions;
- ▶ prohibits an employer from taking adverse action against an employee for using sick leave in accordance with this bill;
- ▶ allows an employee to file a written complaint with the Division of Antidiscrimination and Labor for an alleged violation of this bill;
- ▶ grants the division enforcement and rulemaking authority to implement the provisions of this bill; and
- ▶ provides that this bill does not extend the maximum period of leave available to an employee under specified federal law.

[H.J.R. 22](#)

Joint Resolution Opposing Forced Organ Harvesting

(Rep. S. Christiansen)

This joint resolution expresses strong opposition to the People's Republic of China's organ harvesting practices.

This resolution:

- ▶ calls upon the People's Republic of China to end its practice of forced organ harvesting from prisoners;
- ▶ calls upon the United States government to enact laws related to the People's Republic of China's organ harvesting practices; and
- ▶ encourages Utah's medical community to raise awareness regarding the People's Republic of China's unethical organ harvesting practices.

[S.B. 186](#)

Family Medical Unpaid Leave Provisions

(Sen. D. Hemmert)

This bill enacts provisions related to unpaid family and medical leave.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ provides that a state-eligible employer is subject to certain provisions of the Family and Medical Leave Act; and
- ▶ addresses enforcement of the provisions of this bill.

[S.B. 189](#)

Guardianship, Conservatorship, and Other Protective Order Amendments

(Sen. L. Hillyard)

This bill amends provisions related to guardianships, conservatorships, and other protective orders.

This bill:

- ▶ creates definitions;
- ▶ provides notice requirements for guardianship proceedings, conservatorship proceedings, and other protective proceedings under Title 75, Chapter 5, Protection of Persons Under Disability and Their Property;
- ▶ requires the disclosure of certain financial and criminal history for a guardian or conservator;
- ▶ provides requirements for the compensation or reimbursement of a conservator or guardian;
- ▶ amends the persons who can examine an individual for whom a guardianship or conservatorship is sought;
- ▶ amends language regarding the types of individuals that a court visitor may investigate;
- ▶ provides notice requirements for guardianship and conservatorship proceedings for adults and minors, including the contents of the notice and the persons that shall receive the notice;
- ▶ allows the court to modify the powers of a guardian to meet the specific needs of a person subject to the guardianship;
- ▶ provides the persons that can be appointed a guardian or conservator for certain persons and the order of priority for an appointment of a guardian and conservator;

- ▶ amends requirements that allow the mailing of conservatorship reports to the court and require the reports be filed with the court;
- ▶ repeals certain notice requirements for guardianship and conservatorship proceedings; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

ORGAN DONATION

[H.B. 216](#)

Organ Donation Preference

(Rep. M. Wheatley)

This bill modifies provisions of the Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing (DOPL) Act.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms; and
- ▶ requires DOPL to inform new licensees and licensees who are renewing licenses about the option of registering as organ donors.

PERSONS WITH A DISABILITY

[H.B. 13](#)

Children's Hearing Aid Program Amendments

(Rep. S. Barlow)

This bill addresses the Children's Hearing Aid Program.

This bill:

- ▶ extends the repeal date for the Children's Hearing Aid Program.

[H.B. 60](#)

Corporate Income Tax Credit Amendments

(Rep. S. Barlow)

This bill provides for the repeal of the corporate Achieving a Better Life Experience Program income tax credit.

This bill:

- ▶ provides that a corporate contributor to an Achieving a Better Life Experience Program account may claim the income tax credit for the 2020 taxable year only; and
- ▶ schedules the repeal of the corporate Achieving a Better Life Experience Program income tax credit.

[H.B. 332](#)

Special Needs Scholarship Amendments (VETOED)

(Rep. M. Schultz)

This bill creates the Special Needs Opportunity Scholarship Program and related income tax credits.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ creates the Special Needs Opportunity Scholarship Program (program);
- ▶ establishes requirements for a scholarship recipient and a private school that accepts scholarship money;
- ▶ requires the State Board of Education to oversee the program, including selection of a scholarship granting organization;
- ▶ establishes the duties of a scholarship granting organization, including:
 - accepting program donations;
 - awarding scholarships; and
 - issuing tax credit certificates;
- ▶ creates a nonrefundable corporate income tax credit and a nonrefundable individual income tax credit for certain program donations;
- ▶ prohibits a taxpayer from claiming more than one state income tax benefit from making the donation; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 366](#)

Utah Alternative Dispute Process for Ada Complaints Act

(Rep. N. Thurston)

This bill enacts an alternative process for alleged violations of the Americans with Disabilities Act.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ creates a process to notify persons of alleged violations of the public accommodation protections of the Americans with Disabilities Act;
- ▶ addresses civil actions brought under the Americans with Disabilities Act; and
- ▶ provides a severability clause.

[H.B. 378](#)

Disability Act Compliance Amendments

(Rep. J. Dailey-Provost)

This bill requires the Department of Human Services to identify barriers an individual with a disability experiences in obtaining services and provide a report to the Legislature.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms; and
- ▶ requires the Department of Human Services to:
 - identify barriers an individual with a disability experiences in obtaining access to services; and
 - provide a report to the Health and Human Services Interim Committee regarding a proposal for a disability ombudsman program to address the barriers.

[H.R. 3](#)

House Resolution Urging the Activation of Closed Captioning in Public Venues

(Rep. D.N. Johnson)

This House resolution urges the activation of closed captioning on television monitors located in public venues.

This resolution:

- ▶ acknowledges the many individuals in the United States who are deaf or hard of hearing;
- ▶ recognizes the value of closed captioning in providing important news and information to individuals who are deaf or hard of hearing; and
- ▶ urges the activation of closed captioning on television monitors located in public venues.

[S.C.R. 9](#)

Concurrent Resolution Addressing Olympics

(Sen. D. Hemmert)

This concurrent resolution of the Legislature and the Governor expresses comfort with the concepts and principles in the latest winter host agreement documents provided by the International Olympic Committee and would support the state of Utah signing similar host agreement documents for a future Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games.

This resolution:

- ▶ expresses comfort with the concepts and principles in the latest winter host agreement documents provided by the International Olympic Committee; and
- ▶ supports the state of Utah signing similar host agreement documents for a future Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games.

[S.J.R. 9](#)

Proposal to Amend Utah Constitution - Use of Tax Revenue

(Sen. D. McCay)

This joint resolution of the Legislature proposes to amend the Utah Constitution to modify a provision relating to the use of revenue from taxes on intangible property or from a tax on income.

This resolution proposes to amend the Utah Constitution to:

- ▶ expand the uses for revenue from taxes on intangible property or from a tax on income to include supporting children and individuals with a disability.

[H.B. 76](#)

ABLE Account Alliance Office

(Rep. J. Dailey-Provost)

This bill modifies the Achieving a Better Life Experience (ABLE) Program.

This bill:

- ▶ modifies provisions of the ABLE program, which has the effect of requiring the Department of Workforce Services to administer a state ABLE program or partner with another state to provide access to that state's ABLE program; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 205](#)

Students with Disabilities Amendments

(Rep. M. Judkins)

This bill amends a formula related to add-on weighted pupil units for students with disabilities.

This bill:

- ▶ amends a formula related to add-on weighted pupil units for students with disabilities;
- ▶ removes a limit on a certain growth factor; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 240](#)

Driver License Revisions

(Rep. S. Eliason)

This bill revises provisions in the Uniform Driver License Act.

This bill:

- ▶ requires the Driver License Division of the Department of Public Safety, upon request from an individual and subject to certain written verification, to include an identifying sticker on the individual's driver license or identification card to indicate that the

individual is an individual with a disability; and

- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 279](#)

Disability Benefit Amendments

(Rep. Brian S. King)

This bill amends the Public Employees' Long-Term Disability Act.

This bill:

- ▶ allows an eligible employee to receive certain disability benefits for an objective medical impairment regardless of whether the impairment is physical or mental;
- ▶ creates certain review and compliance requirements for an individual receiving a disability benefit; and
- ▶ makes technical and corresponding changes.

[H.B. 287](#)

Disabled License Plates Amendments

(Rep. M. Wheatley)

This bill allows a vehicle carrying a disabled veteran and equipped with a disabled veteran honor special group license plate to park in an accessible parking space.

This bill:

- ▶ allows a vehicle carrying a disabled veteran and equipped with a disabled veteran honor special group license plate to park in an accessible parking space.

[H.B. 369](#)

Medicaid Amendments

(Rep. S. Eliason)

This bill places a moratorium on Medicaid certification of beds in certain intermediate care facilities.

This bill:

- ▶ places a moratorium on Medicaid certification of new or additional beds in intermediate care facilities for people with an intellectual disability; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 442](#)

Children's Hearing Aid Program Modifications

(Rep. N. Thurston)

This bill addresses the Children's Hearing Aid Program.

This bill:

- ▶ extends the repeal date for the Children's Hearing Aid Program;
- ▶ requires the department to establish a sliding scale based on the income of the child's

- ▶ family to determine the amount of assistance a child can receive under the program; and
- ▶ requires some of the assistance the department gives to be in the form of a loan.

[S.B. 208](#)

Liability for Providing Services to Disabled Adults

(Sen. T. Weiler)

This bill addresses liability of entities that provide certain services to an adult with a disability.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms; and
- ▶ enacts provisions that limit the liability of an entity that provides habilitative support services to an adult with a disability.

PHARMACEUTICALS

[H.B. 177](#)

Prescription Revisions

(Rep. S. Harrison)

This bill amends provisions relating to prescriptions for controlled substances.

This bill:

- ▶ requires, with some exceptions, that prescriptions for controlled substances be issued electronically;
- ▶ authorizes the division to create rules for certain aspects of prescribing controlled substances;
- ▶ amends the protocol for the dispensing of drugs by practitioners in the emergency room; and
- ▶ repeals Title 58, Chapter 82, Electronic Prescribing Act.

[H.B. 272](#)

Pharmacy Benefit Amendments

(Rep. P. Ray)

This bill amends the Insurance Code.

This bill:

- ▶ renames the Pharmacy Benefit Manager Licensing Act as the Pharmacy Benefits Act;
- ▶ creates and amends definitions;
- ▶ amends pharmacy benefit manager reporting provisions;
- ▶ prohibits a pharmacy benefit manager from:
 - prohibiting or penalizing a pharmacist's disclosure of certain information regarding a prescription device;
 - requiring an insured customer from paying more than a specified amount for a prescription device;

- reducing a pharmacy's total compensation for the sale of a drug, device, or other product or service unless the pharmacy benefit manager provides the pharmacy with at least 30 days notice;
- ▶ amends provisions related to a pharmacy benefit manager denying or reducing a reimbursement to a pharmacy or a pharmacist after the adjudication of a claim;
- ▶ prohibits a pharmacy benefit manager from:
 - reimbursing a network pharmacy in the aggregate less than a pharmacy benefit manager affiliate in the aggregate in the same network;
 - engaging in certain actions related to a pharmacy that mails or delivers a prescription drug to an enrollee as an ancillary service; and
 - contracting with a health insurer in certain instances unless the pharmacy benefit manager agrees to regularly report to the insurer detailed, claim-level information regarding pharmaceutical manufacturer rebates received by the pharmacy benefit manager in connection with the contract;
- ▶ amends provisions related to out-of-state mail service pharmacies;
- ▶ amends provisions related to a prescription drug or device that is not readily available in all pharmacies;
- ▶ requires manufacturers and insurers to report certain information on the cost of prescription drugs to the Insurance Department;
- ▶ requires the Insurance Department to publish prescription drug information reported to the department;
- ▶ requires the Insurance Department to make rules, as necessary, to promote comparability of information reported to the department; and
- ▶ makes certain records a protected record under the Government Records Access and Management Act.

[H.C.R. 7](#)

Concurrent Resolution Encouraging Congressional Action on Prescription Drug Prices

(Rep. S. Harrison)

This concurrent resolution urges the United States Congress to address escalating prescription drug prices.

This resolution:

- ▶ highlights the impacts of prescription drug prices on medication adherence and health outcomes;
- ▶ highlights the growth in prescription drug spending;
- ▶ highlights the difference between the prices paid for single-source brand name prescription drugs in the United States and the prices paid for single-source brand name prescription drugs in other countries;
- ▶ highlights potential Medicare savings;
- ▶ highlights the inability of the secretary of the United States Department of Health and Human Services to influence Medicare prescription drug prices; and
- ▶ urges the United States Congress to promote innovative, market-based solutions and take specific steps to address escalating prescription drug prices.

[S.B. 29](#)

Drug Disposal Program

(Sen. D. Thatcher)

This bill authorizes the attorney general, in coordination with the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ), to implement and administer a program for the secure, environmentally friendly disposal of a lawfully possessed controlled substance.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ authorizes the attorney general, in coordination with the department, to implement and administer a program for the secure, environmentally friendly disposal of a lawfully possessed controlled substance;
- ▶ provides that, in implementing and administering the program, the attorney general:
 - may work with law enforcement, pharmacies, and other entities to establish a network of controlled substance disposal repositories or to distribute home controlled substance disposal receptacles;
 - may establish certain requirements for a controlled substance disposal repository and a home controlled substance disposal receptacle;
 - shall ensure that the program complies with Drug Enforcement Administration requirements; and
 - may publish a list of controlled substance disposal repositories or information on

obtaining a home controlled substance disposal receptacle;

- ▶ amends provisions relating to the General Crime and Violence Prevention Fund for the administration of funds granted or donated for the program described in this bill; and
- ▶ preempts certain action by other state and local government entities in relation to the program.

[S.B. 138](#)

Pharmacy Benefit Manager Revisions

(Sen. E. Vickers)

This bill amends provisions relating to pharmacy benefit managers.

This bill:

- ▶ creates and amends definitions;
- ▶ requires pharmacy benefit managers and insurers to use unique identifiers for plans managed by a Medicaid managed care organization;
- ▶ prohibits a pharmacy benefit manager from prohibiting certain actions by an in-network pharmacy;
- ▶ prohibits a pharmacy benefit manager from charging an insured customer more for use of a pharmacy that offers to mail or deliver a prescription drug to an enrollee;
- ▶ prohibits certain actions by a pharmacy benefit manager, with respect to a 340B entity; and
- ▶ makes technical and corresponding changes.

[S.B. 145](#)

Pharmacy Practice Act Amendments

(Sen. E. Vickers)

This bill amends provisions relating to the practice of pharmacy.

This bill:

- ▶ amends definitions;
- ▶ authorizes the dispensing of epinephrine auto-injectors and stock albuterol under certain circumstances;
- ▶ amends provisions related to out-of-state mail service pharmacies;
- ▶ amends provisions related to a prescription drug or device that is not readily available in all pharmacies;
- ▶ authorizes the dispensing of a quantity or dosage form different from a prescription in certain instances;
- ▶ amends provisions related to the dispensing of a substitute for albuterol;

- ▶ amends provisions relating to emergency refills;
- ▶ authorizes the dispensing of certain prescription medical devices under certain circumstances;
- ▶ authorizes certain physicians to issue a standing prescription drug order for an epinephrine auto-injector or stock albuterol in accordance with a protocol that meets certain requirements;
- ▶ exempts a physician from liability for civil damages for acts or omissions resulting from the dispensing of an epinephrine auto-injector or stock albuterol under the physician's standing prescription drug order;
- ▶ exempts controlled substances dispensed for administration or use in a health care facility outpatient setting from reporting to the state's controlled substance database; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

[S.B. 157](#)

Charitable Prescription Drug Recycling Program

(Sen. E. Vickers)

This bill amends the Charitable Prescription Drug Recycling Act.

This bill:

- ▶ expands eligibility for the Charitable Prescription Drug Recycling Program;
- ▶ authorizes an individual to transfer certain unused prescription drugs to a physician's office for donation to the program; and
- ▶ amends rulemaking requirements for the program.

[H.B. 93](#)

End of Life Prescription Provisions

(Rep. J. Dailey-Provost)

This bill amends the Utah Uniform Probate Code to enact the End of Life Options Act.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ establishes a procedure for an individual with a terminal disease to obtain a prescription to end the individual's life;
- ▶ designates when an individual may make a request for aid-in-dying medication;
- ▶ establishes attending physician responsibilities;
- ▶ requires:
 - a consulting physician confirmation;
 - an informed decision;
 - written and oral requests and the ability to rescind the request at any time;
 - waiting periods; and

- that the patient be a resident of the state;
- ▶ provides for a counseling referral when needed;
- ▶ encourages family notification;
- ▶ includes documentation and reporting requirements;
- ▶ establishes the effect of the decision to utilize aid-in-dying medication on an individual's wills, contracts, and insurance and annuity contracts;
- ▶ provides limited immunities and procedures for permissible sanctions;
- ▶ prohibits euthanasia or mercy killing;
- ▶ establishes criminal penalties for certain actions;
- ▶ provides a uniform form for a patient's written request; and
- ▶ includes a severability clause.

[H.B. 239](#)

Prescription Copayment Cap Amendments

(Rep. M. Poulson)

This bill enacts provisions related to the price of insulin.

This bill:

- ▶ places a cap on the copayment an insurance company can require for an insulin prescription.

[H.B. 263](#)

Notice of Drug Price Increase

(Rep. M. Winder)

This bill requires a prescription drug manufacturer to provide notice of certain drug cost increases and requires the Insurance Department to publish related information.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ requires a drug manufacturer to notify and provide information to a purchaser if an increase in the wholesale acquisition cost of a drug meets certain criteria;
- ▶ requires a drug manufacturer that is required to provide notice to submit certain information to the Insurance Department;
- ▶ requires a drug manufacturer that introduces a new drug to market to report certain information to the Insurance Department;
- ▶ requires the Insurance Department to publish information it receives from drug manufacturers;
- ▶ requires rulemaking; and
- ▶ creates a penalty.

[H.B. 307](#)**Pharmacy Amendments**

(Rep. S. Hollins)

This bill authorizes a pharmacist to dispense HIV post-exposure prophylaxis pursuant to a standing prescription drug order issued by a physician.

This bill:

- ▶ provides definitions;
- ▶ specifies that this bill does not create a duty or standard of care for a person to prescribe or dispense HIV post-exposure prophylaxis;
- ▶ authorizes a pharmacist to dispense HIV post-exposure prophylaxis pursuant to a standing prescription drug order issued by a physician;
- ▶ specifies the conditions under which certain physicians may issue a standing prescription drug order authorizing the dispensing of HIV post-exposure prophylaxis;
- ▶ specifies requirements for dispensing HIV post-exposure prophylaxis;
- ▶ requires rulemaking; and
- ▶ creates an exemption from civil liability.

[S.B. 82](#)**Drug Disposal Amendments**

(Sen. D. Thatcher)

This bill, subject to an exception, makes it unlawful to dispose of drugs in certain locations.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ makes it an infraction to dispose of a drug in a drain, sewage system, the waters of this state, or a landfill;
- ▶ provides a civil penalty for violating the preceding paragraph; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[S.B. 190](#)**Prescription Drug Importation Amendments**

(Sen. D. Hemmert)

This bill creates a program and reporting requirements relating to the importation of prescription drugs.

This bill:

- ▶ requires the Department of Health to submit a request to the United States Department of Health and Human Services for a prescription drug importation program;
- ▶ if the request for a prescription drug importation program is approved, requires the Public Employees' Benefit and Insurance Program to operate a two-year pilot prescription drug importation program for the state's health insurance risk pool;
- ▶ creates various reporting requirements; and

- ▶ creates a sunset date for the provisions in this bill.

[S.B. 230](#)**Pharmaceutical Supply Chain**

(Sen. T. Weiler)

This bill creates the Prescription Drug Price Transparency Act and the Pharmaceutical Development and Marketing Act and amends the Insurance Code.

This bill:

- ▶ addresses the information a health insurer must provide to a potential enrollee with respect to the insurer's medical exceptions process and the potential enrollee's cost sharing for certain drugs and devices;
- ▶ requires a health insurer to annually report to the Insurance Department certain information related to prior authorization requests;
- ▶ creates definitions;
- ▶ amends provisions related to pharmacy benefit manager information reported to and published by the Insurance Department;
- ▶ requires insurers, pharmacy benefit managers, pharmacy services administration organizations, pharmaceutical wholesalers or distributors, and pharmacies to annually report information about certain drugs to the Insurance Department;
- ▶ requires the Insurance Department to annually publish information reported to the department about certain drugs;
- ▶ requires rulemaking;
- ▶ requires a pharmacy benefit manager or pharmacy services administration organization to report to a health insurer, upon request, the amount of rebates received by the pharmacy benefit manager or pharmacy services administration organization and the amount of rebates passed on to the insurer ;
- ▶ requires a patient assistance program to publish contributions the program receives from health insurers, drug manufacturers, pharmacy benefit managers, and related trade or advocacy organizations;
- ▶ prohibits a health care provider or pharmaceutical manufacturer from waiving or taking other actions to reduce an enrollee's deductible, copayment, or coinsurance;
- ▶ requires the Insurance Department to report to the Legislature on the effectiveness of the Prescription Drug Price Transparency Act;

- ▶ requires substitution of a drug with a drug product equivalent under certain circumstances;
- ▶ requires substitution of a biological product with an interchangeable biological product under certain circumstances;
- ▶ requires a drug manufacturer to make a drug available to a developer seeking to submit an application for approval or licensing of a drug;
- ▶ limits the price that may be charged by the manufacturer for the supplied drug;
- ▶ limits the price that may be charged by the developer for the approved drug;
- ▶ provides an exemption from liability;
- ▶ provides for injunctive relief;
- ▶ requires periodic reporting and publication of the names of a pharmaceutical manufacturer's sales representatives;
- ▶ requires periodic reporting and analysis of the activities of a pharmaceutical manufacturer's sales representatives;
- ▶ requires a person that engages in prescription drug marketing to provide a health care provider with certain written materials; and
- ▶ makes technical amendments.

[S.B. 235](#)

Distribution of Prescription Drug Rebates

(Sen. K. A. Cullimore)

This bill addresses pharmaceutical manufacturer rebates.

This bill:

- ▶ creates definitions;
- ▶ requires a pharmacy benefit manager to distribute to a health benefit plan enrollee the enrollee's rebate share attributable to a prescription drug purchased by the enrollee;
- ▶ prohibits the disclosure of certain rebate information by an insurer, a pharmacy benefit manager, or a person that contracts with an insurer or a pharmacy benefit manager;
- ▶ makes certain rebate information a protected record under the Government Records Access and Management Act and a trade secret; and
- ▶ requires the Department of Insurance to make rules.

of state government for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2019 and ending June 30, 2020 and for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2020 and ending June 30, 2021.

This bill:

- ▶ provides budget increases and decreases for the use and support of certain state agencies;
- ▶ provides budget increases and decreases for the use and support of certain public education programs;
- ▶ provides budget increases and decreases for the use and support of certain institutions of higher education;
- ▶ provides funds for the bills with fiscal impact passed in the 2020 General Session;
- ▶ provides budget increases and decreases for other purposes as described;
- ▶ provides a mathematical formula for the annual appropriations limit; and,
- ▶ provides intent language.

This bill appropriates \$24,663,100 in operating and capital budgets for fiscal year 2020, including:

- ▶ \$5,324,000 from the General Fund;
- ▶ (\$3,000,000) from the Uniform School Fund;
- ▶ \$3,310,000 from the Education Fund; and
- ▶ \$19,029,100 from various sources as detailed in this bill. This bill appropriates \$9,756,300 in expendable funds and accounts for fiscal year 2020. This bill appropriates (\$4,403,300) in business-like activities for fiscal year 2020. This bill appropriates \$11,353,100 in restricted fund and account transfers for fiscal year 2020, including:
 - ▶ \$723,100 from the General Fund; and
 - ▶ \$10,630,000 from various sources as detailed in this bill. This bill appropriates \$12,943,600 in transfers to unrestricted funds for fiscal year 2020. This bill appropriates \$213,180,700 in operating and capital budgets for fiscal year 2021, including:
 - ▶ (\$13,403,600) from the General Fund;
 - ▶ (\$7,000,000) from the Uniform School Fund;
 - ▶ \$100,549,000 from the Education Fund; and
 - ▶ \$133,035,300 from various sources as detailed in this bill. This bill appropriates \$10,744,200 in expendable funds and accounts for fiscal year 2021. This bill appropriates (\$458,800) in business-like activities for fiscal year 2021, including:
 - ▶ (\$1,209,800) from the General Fund; and
 - ▶ \$751,000 from various sources as detailed in this bill. This bill appropriates \$47,116,500 in restricted fund and account transfers for fiscal year 2021, including:

PUBLIC HEALTH – COVID-19

[H.B. 3](#)

Appropriations Adjustments

(Rep. B. Last)

This bill supplements or reduces appropriations otherwise provided for the support and operation

- ▶ \$19,088,200 from the General Fund;
- ▶ \$14,462,000 from the Education Fund; and
- ▶ \$13,566,300 from various sources as detailed in this bill. This bill appropriates \$88,000 in fiduciary funds for fiscal year 2021. This bill appropriates \$11,000,000 in capital project funds for fiscal year 2021, including:
 - ▶ \$34,500,000 from the General Fund; and
 - ▶ (\$23,500,000) from the Education Fund.

[H.B. 494](#)

Emergency Disease Response Funding Amendments

(Rep. P. Ray)

This bill modifies the Budgetary Procedures Act by amending provisions relating to funding for a state response to the coronavirus.

This bill:

- ▶ authorizes the Department of Administrative Services to transfer or divert money to another department, agency, institution, or division only for the purposes of providing a state response to the coronavirus;
- ▶ makes technical and corresponding changes; and
- ▶ creates a sunset date for the authorization in this bill.

[H.J.R. 24](#)

Joint Resolution Extending the State of Emergency Due to Infectious Disease Covid-19 Novel Coronavirus

(Rep. P. Ray)

This joint resolution extends the state of emergency due to infectious disease COVID-19 Novel Coronavirus.

This resolution:

- ▶ recognizes the Governor's executive order, issued on March 6, 2020, declaring a state of emergency due to infectious disease COVID-19 Novel Coronavirus;
- ▶ recognizes that the Governor has requested that the Legislature extend the state of emergency to June 30, 2020;
- ▶ finds that the extension is necessary to protect the health and welfare of the citizens of the state of Utah; and
- ▶ extends the state of emergency, due to infectious disease COVID-19 Novel Coronavirus, to June 30, 2020.

[S.B. 3](#)

Current Fiscal Year Supplemental Appropriations

(Sen. J. Stevenson)

This bill supplements or reduces appropriations otherwise provided for the support and operation of state government for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2019 and ending June 30, 2020.

This bill:

- ▶ provides appropriations for the use and support of higher education and certain state agencies;
- ▶ provides appropriations for other purposes as described; and
- ▶ provides intent language.

This bill appropriates \$657,616,300 in operating and capital budgets for fiscal year 2020, including:

- ▶ (\$36,967,000) from the General Fund;
- ▶ \$155,892,300 from the Education Fund; and
- ▶ \$538,691,000 from various sources as detailed in this bill. This bill appropriates \$2,600 in expendable funds and accounts for fiscal year 2020, including:
 - ▶ \$212,300 from the General Fund; and
 - ▶ (\$209,700) from various sources as detailed in this bill. This bill appropriates \$15,472,900 in business-like activities for fiscal year 2020. This bill appropriates (\$37,900) in restricted fund and account transfers for fiscal year 2020. This bill appropriates \$5,338,700 in transfers to unrestricted funds for fiscal year 2020. This bill appropriates \$4,800 in fiduciary funds for fiscal year 2020. This bill appropriates \$1,475,000 in capital project funds for fiscal year 2020.

[S.C.R. 8](#)

Concurrent Resolution in Support of the Chinese People Regarding the Coronavirus Outbreak

(Sen. J. Anderegg)

This concurrent resolution expresses support for the Chinese people regarding the coronavirus outbreak.

This resolution:

- ▶ acknowledges the serious public health risk of COVID-19 acute respiratory disease (coronavirus);
- ▶ expresses solidarity and support for the Chinese people's efforts to contain the coronavirus;
- ▶ conveys sympathy for those affected with coronavirus around the world;
- ▶ urges Utahns to remain calm and adhere to normal flu-season precautions;

- ▶ calls upon the international community not to impose unnecessary restrictions that interfere with international travel and trade;
- ▶ encourages close collaboration between the public and private sectors to develop the diagnostics, medicines, and vaccines to help bring the outbreak under control; and
- ▶ urges Utah public institutions to remain calm, take precautions to prevent the spread of all communicable diseases, and focus efforts towards people who exhibit symptoms.

PUBLIC HEALTH – OTHER

[H.B. 134](#)

Raw Milk Products Amendments

(Rep. K. Coleman)

This bill provides for the manufacturing, distribution, and sale of certain products produced from raw milk under certain circumstances.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ allows the manufacturing, distribution, and sale of certain products produced from raw milk under certain circumstances; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[S.J.R. 2](#)

Joint Resolution Encouraging Action to Reduce the Number of Utah Children with Elevated Blood Lead Levels

(Sen. J. Iwamoto)

This joint resolution of the Legislature highlights the pediatric health risks resulting from exposure to lead, the potential for early screening and testing to result in successful avoidance and interventions, and encourages screening and testing of Utah children.

This resolution:

- ▶ describes the known adverse health effects and concerns of childhood lead exposure;
- ▶ describes the known benefits of avoidance and interventions resulting from early detection of childhood lead exposure;
- ▶ encourages Utah health care providers for children, pregnant women, and women of childbearing age to be knowledgeable about the risks of environmental lead exposure and the recommended federal and state guidelines for screening and testing children for lead exposure; and

- ▶ encourages the Utah Department of Health to provide primary prevention education and to promote awareness through the dissemination of information about the health risks of childhood lead exposure, lead exposure risk factors, recommendations for screening and testing children, and policies and practices to mitigate childhood lead exposure and health risks.

[H.B. 468](#)

Public Health Laboratory Amendments

(Rep. P. Ray)

This bill creates the Public Health Laboratory Equipment Replacement Fund.

This bill:

- ▶ creates the Public Health Laboratory Equipment Replacement Fund;
- ▶ specifies the sources and uses of money in the fund; and
- ▶ sets a cap for the money in the fund.

[S.B. 136](#)

Healthy Lifestyles Revisions

(Sen. K. Riebe)

This bill amends provisions related to instruction in health.

This bill:

- ▶ amends definitions;
- ▶ repeals a provision prohibiting encouragement of the use of contraceptive methods or devices;
- ▶ requires a local education agency to report to the state board on the percentage of students who receive written parental consent to participate in sex education instruction; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

SCHOOL SAFETY

[S.B. 80](#)

Campus Safety Amendments

(Sen. J. Iwamoto)

This bill requires the State Board of Regents to study and make recommendations for providing public safety services on college and university campuses.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ requires the State Board of Regents to:
 - coordinate with government and community organizations to study and make recommendations for providing

- public safety services on college and university campuses; and
- present a final report of the study and recommendations to the Education Interim Committee and the Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice Interim Committee.

TANNING

[H.B. 34](#) **Tanning for Minors**

(Rep. B. Daw)

This bill amends the regulation of tanning facilities.

This bill:

- removes the provision that allows a minor to tan with a parent's consent; and
- directs the department to post warning signs that are consistent with the terms in this bill.

TOBACCO/NICOTINE

[H.B. 23](#) **Tobacco and Electronic Cigarette Amendments**

(Rep. J. Hawkins)

This bill amends provisions related to tobacco products and electronic cigarettes.

This bill:

- defines terms related to electronic cigarettes and tobacco retailers;
- modifies the definition of a retail tobacco specialty business to include a business that appears to be a retail tobacco specialty business or sells a flavored electronic cigarette product;
- amends permit violations for tobacco retailers;
- creates requirements regarding verification of age for retail tobacco specialty businesses;
- modifies and places sunset provisions on dates from which laws are applicable to retail tobacco specialty businesses;
- authorizes regulation and testing of manufacturer sealed electronic substances;
- requires a tobacco retailer to maintain certain records;
- provides that a retail tobacco specialty shop may not be located within 1,000 feet of a school;
- creates civil penalties for a retail tobacco specialty business that allows an individual under 21 years old in certain circumstances to

- gain access to the premises of the business or to purchase a tobacco product or an electronic cigarette product;
- increases the minimum age for obtaining, possessing, using, providing, or furnishing tobacco products and paraphernalia and electronic cigarette products to 21 years old;
- prohibits a manufacturer, wholesaler, or retailer from providing certain discounts or giveaways for electronic cigarette products and tobacco products;
- prohibits a general tobacco retailer from selling, providing, or distributing a flavored electronic cigarette product;
- makes it a crime to fraudulently use or transfer proof of age to gain access to a retail tobacco specialty business or to purchase a tobacco product or electronic cigarette product;
- makes it a crime for an employee of a retail tobacco specialty business to allow an individual under 21 years old to purchase a tobacco product or an electronic cigarette product;
- preempts certain ordinances, rules, and regulations on tobacco products, electronic cigarette products, and tobacco paraphernalia;
- amends the number of times that a peace officer must conduct an investigation of a retail shop for underage tobacco sales; and
- makes technical and conforming changes.

[H.B. 58](#)

Electronic Cigarettes in Schools Amendments

(Rep. S. Pulsipher)

This bill addresses student use of alcohol, tobacco, electronic cigarette products, and other substances through education and prevention programs and discipline policies.

This bill:

- defines terms;
- requires local school boards to adopt discipline policies to address possession and use of electronic cigarette products on school grounds;
- renames the Underage Drinking Prevention Program the Underage Drinking and Substance Abuse Prevention Program;
- adds a requirement to teach a school-based prevention program for students in grade 4 or 5;
- adds a requirement to include education about the risks of electronic cigarette

- products in a school-based prevention program;
- ▶ requires schools to create a plan to address the causes of student use of tobacco, alcohol, electronic cigarette products, and controlled substances;
- ▶ creates a stipend for a specialist to administer the plan; and
- ▶ requires the state board to establish a library of best practices.

This bill appropriates:

- ▶ to State Board of Education - State Administrative Office:
 - from the Education Fund, \$5,084,200.

[S.B. 37](#)

Electronic Cigarette and Other Nicotine Product Amendments

(Sen. A. Christensen)

This bill enacts and amends provisions relating to electronic cigarette products and nicotine products.

This bill:

- ▶ defines and coordinates terms;
- ▶ increases the minimum age for obtaining, possessing, using, providing, or furnishing of tobacco products, paraphernalia, and under certain circumstances, electronic cigarettes and nicotine products to 21 years old;
- ▶ imposes permitting requirements and processes for the sale of a nicotine product;
- ▶ requires a tobacco retailer to provide itemized receipts and to maintain an itemized transaction log for sales of a tobacco product, an electronic cigarette product, or a nicotine product;
- ▶ establishes a Youth Electronic Cigarette, Marijuana, and Other Drug Prevention Program within the Department of Health;
- ▶ creates a committee to advise the department on the Youth Electronic Cigarette, Marijuana, and Other Drug Prevention Program;
- ▶ creates the Electronic Cigarette, Marijuana, and Other Drug Prevention Grant Program operated by local health departments;
- ▶ specifies requirements relating to the Electronic Cigarette, Marijuana, and Other Drug Prevention Grant Program;
- ▶ applies civil penalties to the improper sale of a nicotine product;
- ▶ requires certain nicotine products to have a statement on the products' exterior packages that the products contain nicotine;
- ▶ creates a reduction on certain tax rates for products that are issued a modified risk tobacco product order by the United States Food and Drug Administration;
- ▶ imposes licensing and bonding requirements on a person that sells or distributes an electronic cigarette product or a nicotine product;
- ▶ imposes an excise tax on the sale in the state of an electronic cigarette substance, a prefilled electronic cigarette, an alternative nicotine product, a nontherapeutic nicotine device substance, and a prefilled nontherapeutic nicotine device;
- ▶ provides for the remittance of the tax collected;
- ▶ creates the Electronic Cigarette Substance and Nicotine Product Tax Restricted Account;
- ▶ addresses use of revenue from the taxation of an electronic cigarette substance, a prefilled electronic cigarette, an alternative nicotine product, a nontherapeutic nicotine device substance, and a prefilled nontherapeutic nicotine device;
- ▶ provides criminal penalties for a sale or a purchase of an electronic cigarette product or a nicotine product in violation of the law;
- ▶ prohibits a manufacturer, a wholesaler, or a retailer from providing certain discounts or giveaways for electronic cigarettes; and
- ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

[H.B. 118](#)

Retail Tobacco Amendments

(Rep. J. Dailey-Provost)

This bill amends provisions relating to the sale of certain tobacco products.

This bill:

- ▶ defines terms;
- ▶ amends the definition of a retail tobacco specialty business to include any retailer that sells a flavored electronic cigarette product;
- ▶ authorizes regulation and testing of manufacturer sealed electronic cigarette substances;
- ▶ requires a tobacco retailer to maintain certain records;
- ▶ prohibits a manufacturer, wholesaler, or retailer from providing certain discounts or giveaways for tobacco products; and
- ▶ makes technical changes.

[H.B. 135](#)

Tobacco Settlement Funds Amendments

(Rep. B. Last)

This bill amends provisions relating to the Tobacco Settlement Trust Fund.

This bill:

- ▶ amends amounts that must be appropriated for the statewide expansion of the drug court program from the Tobacco Settlement Restricted Account within the General Fund;
- ▶ redirects 40% of tobacco settlement funds received by the state on or after July 1, 2020, from the General Fund to the Permanent State Trust Fund established under Utah Constitution Article XXII, Section 4; and
- ▶ makes clarifying changes.

[H.B. 375](#)

Electronic Cigarette Amendments

(Rep. P. Ray)

This bill enacts a prohibition on the manufacture, distribution, sale, possession, and use of any electronic cigarette.

This bill:

- ▶ prohibits the manufacture, distribution, sale, possession, and use of any electronic cigarette;
- ▶ repeals provisions allowing the sale and use of electronic cigarettes; and
- ▶ makes conforming and technical changes.

[H.J.R. 20](#)

Joint Resolution Encouraging Local Health Departments to Set Licensing Rules

(Rep. J. Dailey-Provost)

This joint resolution encourages local boards of health to enact regulations to limit the number of tobacco retail permits the local health department may issue.

This resolution:

- ▶ highlights the adverse health effects of electronic cigarette use in youth; and
- ▶ encourages local boards of health to enact regulations that limit the number of tobacco retail permits the local health department may issue.

[S.B. 40](#)

Youth Electronic Cigarette, Marijuana, and Other Drug Prevention Program

(Sen. A. Christensen)

This bill creates the Youth Electronic Cigarette, Marijuana, and Other Drug Prevention Program within the Department of Health.

This bill:

- ▶ establishes a Youth Electronic Cigarette, Marijuana, and Other Drug Prevention Program within the Department of Health;
- ▶ creates a committee to advise the department on the Youth Electronic Cigarette, Marijuana, and Other Drug Prevention Program;
- ▶ creates the Electronic Cigarette Substance and Nicotine Product Tax Restricted Account; and
- ▶ establishes various reporting requirements and a sunset date.

[S.B. 199](#)

Electronic Cigarette Substance Amendments

(Sen. W. Harper)

This bill enacts provisions relating to the sale and use of an electronic cigarette and an electronic cigarette substance.

This bill:

- ▶ enacts a tax on electronic cigarette substances;
- ▶ specifies how the tax on electronic cigarette substances will be administered; and
- ▶ enacts restrictions on mail order and Internet sales of electronic cigarette products.

VITAL RECORDS

[H.B. 437](#)

Vital Records Amendments

(Rep. S. Handy)

This bill addresses the classification of certain documents as vital records.

This bill:

- ▶ clarifies that a marriage license and a certificate of the individual officiating at the marriage are vital records; and
- ▶ permits inspection of a marriage license and a certificate of the individual officiating at the marriage only under certain circumstances.