

Bill#	Title	Description	Status	Position	Notes
HF3	Public Assistance Benefits	Requires identify confirmation and eligibility testing for public benefit programs, including SNAP, FIP and Medicaid. Directs DHHS to submit federal waiver regarding re-enrollment for certain Iowa Health Wellness Plan member and require community engagement as condition of participation. Also requires a waiver to make SNAP foods the same as WIC. Adds \$1 million for double up food bucks.	House Health & Human Services Committee	Undecided	<i>lots of groups moving to opposed - even though double up food bucks is in it</i>
HF21	Nicotine Solution Product Tax	Imposes a tax of 26% of the wholesale price of nicotine solution products.	House Health & Human Services Committee	Support	
HF50	Eating Disorder Coverage	Requires health insurance plans to cover eating disorders. Applies to plans issued on or after January 1, 2024.	House Health & Human Services Committee		
HF71	Breast Cancer Exam Coverage	Requires health insurance carriers to provide coverage for diagnostic breast cancer examinations. Applies to plans issued on or after January 1, 2024.	House Commerce Committee		
HF76	Controlled Substance Arrest Reports	Repeals reporting requirements of arrests of unlawful users of scheduled controlled substances to IDPH.	House Public Safety Committee		
HSB9	Mental Health Practitioner Loan Program	Repeals Mental Health Practitioner Loan Program passed last year and adds back with both non-prescribing (social workers, psychologists, behavior analysts, mental health counselors, marital and family therapists) and prescribing providers (psychiatric PAs, psychiatrists, psychiatric ARNPs).	House Health & Human Services Committee	Undecided	
HSB24, SSB1044	Health Care Direct Services	Defines direct services for health care agencies and entities for the purposes of non-compete contract clauses, and includes services by nurses, nurse's aides, medication aide, and medication managers. Adds to those excluded: ARNPs, OTs, PTs, and janitor/kitchen/laundry staff. Applies retroactively to contracts on or after January 1, 2019.	House Health & Human Services Committee	Undecided	
HSB49	Autism HCBS Waiver	Directs HHS to apply for a Medicaid home and community-based services waiver for children with autism.	House Health & Human Services Committee		
HSB51	Immunizations/Epinephrine Shots	Allows podiatrists to administer immunizations, vaccines, and order, prescribe, and administer epinephrine shots. Takes effect upon enactment.	House Health & Human Services Committee		
HSB52	Medicaid Pediatric Payments	Requires tiered rate reimbursement for pediatric outpatient care.	House Health & Human Services Committee	Undecided	
HSB57	Psychiatric Residency/Fellowship Program	Renames the program to state-funded psychiatric residency and fellowship program, and adds up to two fellowships to the program (which will fund up to 9 residents). Residents will receive \$100,000/each; fellows will receive \$150,000/each. Requires UI to provide financial support for residency positions in excess of the federal residency cap.	House Health & Human Services Committee		
SF1	Certificate of Need	Eliminates the certificate of need process.	Senate Health & Human Services Committee	Undecided	
SF3	Adoptive Parent Employees	Requires employers to treat adoptive parents in the same manner as biological parents of newborns for family leave purposes for the first year of adoption.	Senate Health & Human Services Committee		
SF5	Health Care Employment Reporting	Eliminates certain wage reporting requirements by health care employment agencies related to Medicaid/Medicare contracts.	Senate Health & Human Services Committee	Undecided	
SF28	Seat Belts	Requires all vehicle occupants to wear seat belts, safety harness, or child restraint system.	Senate Transportation Committee		
SF69	Medical Cannabidiol Legal Task Force	Creates a Medical Cannabidiol Legal Task Force to investigate how the state can allow use and administration of prescribed cannabidiol products in long-term care settings and schools (without risk of losing federal funds).	Senate Judiciary Committee	Undecided	

SF86	Non-Medical Switching- Prescription Drugs	Prohibits health plans from limiting prescription drug coverage for individuals during their eligibility under the plan if they are medically stable on the drug, the drug was approved by the carrier, and it was prescribed within the past six months. Applies to plans issued or renewed on or after January 1, 2024.	Senate Commerce Committee	Undecided
SF99	Infant Death Forms	Requires medical examiner investigation forms for infants age 0-3 include the date of last vaccination.	Senate Health & Human Services Committee	
SSB1008, HF23	Conditional Prescription Certificates	Changes requirements for prescribing psychologist licensure by eliminating requirement that the physician supervising practicum to be board-certified, eliminates requirement that a psychologist complete their program within five years of licensure, and clarifies that prescribing psychologist will maintain a collaborative relationship with the person's primary care provider (current law defines this narrowly to be physician, when many PCPs are PAs or ARNPs).	Senate Health & Human Services Committee	
SSB1024, HSB47	Mental Health Provider Loan Repayment Program	Changes when loan repayment is made to a qualified provider (at end of service year instead of at beginning) and clarifies the loan repayments are made annually. This eliminates the need for a person to refund the payment if they are not able to finish the year in a rural area. This is also being done with the Rural Primary Care Loan Repayment Program. Filed by the Iowa College Student Aid Commission.	Senate Education Committee	
SSB1025, HSB48	Rural Iowa Primary Care Loan Repayment Program	Makes loan repayments at the end of the person's year of service in a rural area, thus eliminating the need for a person to repay that loan if they are not able to finish the year in a qualified area. Similar to what is also being done in other similar programs (like the Mental Health Provider Loan Repayment Program). Requested by the Iowa College Student Aid Commission.	Senate Education Committee	
SSB1026	Child Restraint Devices	Expands requirements for vehicle child restraint devices. Requires children under the age of 3/30 lbs to be in a rear-facing child seat. Requires children under 8 to be in child restraint systems used according to the manufacturer's instruction. Requires children under 18 to wear seatbelts in any seat in the car.	Senate Transportation Committee	