# **AGENDA**

## House Committee on Health and Welfare

Wednesday, April 23, 2025 Committee Room 5 10:30 a.m.

Chair: Dustin Miller Vice Chair: Rhonda Gaye Butler

Staff: Taylor Chrisman, attorney Nya Bryant, legislative analyst

Kristy Neubrander, committee administrative assistant

- I. CALL TO ORDER
- II. ROLL CALL

III. DISCUSSION	OF LEGISLATION
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	HB 115	STAGNI	<b>HEALTH SERVICES</b> Provides relative to the donation of source plasma
	HB 118	EGAN	<b>HEALTH CARE</b> Provides relative to emergency certificates in St. Tammany Parish
	HB 314	MILLER, D.	<b>HEALTH CARE/FACILITIES</b> Modifies the regulatory authority of the Louisiana Department of Health in relation to hospital classifications
	НВ 317	ECHOLS	<b>HEALTH CARE/FACILITIES</b> Establishes prohibited acts by certain healthcare facility lessors and lessees
	HB 358	MILLER, D.	PHARMACISTS Permits a pharmacy technician to work remotely in certain circumstances
	HB 399	CHENEVERT	<b>DIETITIANS</b> Provides with respect to the profession of dietetics and dieticians
	HB 454	MILLER, D.	<b>MEDICAID</b> Requires Medicaid coverage for certain doula services
	HB 456	TURNER	<b>MEDICAID</b> Provides relative to the Local Healthcare Provider Participation Program
	HB 539	BERAULT	<b>PHYSICIANS</b> Creates a program and fund administered by the La. Dept. of Health for the purpose of recruiting specialist physicians to practice medicine in the state
	HB 544	TURNER	<b>HEALTH CARE</b> Transfers powers and duties of the Nursing Supply and Demand Council and the Simulation Medical Training

and Education Council to the Louisiana

Health Works Commission

**MEDICAID** Provides relative to third-party liability, claim adjudication, and timeliness of such within the state medical assistance program

## IV. OTHER BUSINESS

Consideration and adoption of the minutes of the 2024 Regular Session committee meetings held on March 21, March 26, March 27, April 3, April 4, April 9, April 16, April 17, April 24, April 30, May 7, May 8, May 14, May 15, and May 21.

### V. ANNOUNCEMENTS

### VI. ADJOURNMENT

Any interested person or any committee member may file with the committee a prepared statement concerning a specific instrument or matter under consideration by the committee or concerning any matter within the committee's scope of authority, and the committee records shall reflect receipt of such statement and the date and time thereof.

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