

2019 Legislative Session Summary of Enacted Bills of Public Health Interest

HF/SF	Bill Description	Short Title	Signed by Governor	Effective Date
HF 288	A bill for an act relating to military and veterans benefits. (Formerly HSB 65.)	Relating to Military and Veterans Benefits	March 22, 2019	July 1, 2020
HF 304	A bill for an act relating to reports of personal degradation by caretakers of dependent adults in facilities and programs regulated by the department of inspections and appeals. (Formerly HSB 74.)	Reports of Personal Degradation by Caretaker	May 2, 2019	July 1, 2019
HF 323	A bill for an act relating to the exploitation of a dependent adult by a caretaker. (Formerly HSB 21.)	Exploitation of Dependent Adult	April 23, 2019	July 1, 2019
HF 328	A bill for an act relating to the definition of vulnerable elder. (Formerly HSB 30.)	Definition of Vulnerable Elder	May 10, 2019	July 1, 2019
HF 532	A bill for an act relating to the physician workforce in the state including the awarding of medical residency positions in the state. (Formerly HF 372.)	Physician Workforce Medical Residency	May 1, 2019	July 1, 2019
HF 570	A bill for an act relating to the brain injury home and community-based services waiver monthly budget maximum. (Formerly HF 294.)	Eliminate HCBS Brain Injury Monthly Max	May 3, 2019	July 1, 2019
HF 606	A bill for an act relating to continuing education requirements for certain professions. (Formerly HSB 159.)	Education Requirements – Certain Professions	May 3, 2019	July 1, 2019
HF 610	A bill for an act relating to the opening of guardianships for adults and conservatorships for adults and minors and the administration of guardianships and conservatorships and including effective date and applicability provisions. (Formerly HSB 22.)	Guardian and Conservatorships	May 1, 2019	July 1, 2019
HF 623	A bill for an act relating to prior authorization for medication-assisted treatment under the Medicaid program.	Prior Auth. For Medication-Assisted Treatment	May 1, 2019	July 1, 2019
HF 625	A bill for an act relating to the integration of Medicaid and healthy and well kids in Iowa program eligibility, payment, and administrative functions under the department of human services. (Formerly HSB 183.)	<i>hawk-i</i> Eligibility, Payment, Admin. DHS	May 10, 2019	July 1, 2019

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HF 642	A bill for an act relating to the release of certain confidential information by the department of human services to multidisciplinary teams and making penalties applicable. (Formerly HF 435.)	Confid. Info DHS Interdisciplinary Teams	May 10, 2019	July 1, 2019
HF 681	A bill for an act permitting qualified entities to request national criminal history checks of certain covered individuals. (Formerly HSB 208.)	Qual. Entities National Criminal History Checks	May 1, 2019	July 1, 2019
HF 690	A bill for an act relating to mental health and disability services, including the establishment of a children's behavioral health system and a children's behavioral health system state board, and requiring certain children's behavioral health core services. (Formerly HSB 206.)	Establishment of Children's Mental Health System	May 1, 2019	July 1, 2019 Jan. 1, 2020 (DHS rules)
HF 691	A bill for an act relating to funding of county mental health and disability services by modifying provisions relating to the use of specified excess cash flow funds, and including effective date and retroactive applicability provisions. (Formerly HF 548.)	Funding of MHDS Regions	May 1, 2019	Retro/July 1, 2018
HF 694	A bill for an act establishing an emergency medical services personnel licensure interstate compact. (Formerly HSB 192.)	EMS Interstate Compact	May 8, 2019	July 1, 2019
HF 731	A bill for an act relating to mandatory child abuse and dependent adult abuse reporter training requirements. (Formerly HF 538.)	Mandatory Reporter Training Requirements	May 8, 2019	July 1, 2019
HF 756	A bill for an act appropriating federal funds made available from federal block grants and other non-state sources, allocating portions of federal block grants, and providing procedures if federal funds are more or less than anticipated or if federal block grants are more or less than anticipated. (Formerly HSB 246.)	Federal Block Grant Allocations	May 13, 2019	July 1, 2019
HF 765	A bill for an act relating to and making appropriations to state departments and agencies from the rebuild Iowa infrastructure fund and the technology reinvestment fund, providing for related matters, and including effective date and applicability provisions. (Formerly HSB 251.)	RIIF & TRF	May 13, 2019	July 1, 2019
SF 86	A bill for an act requiring the department of natural resources to include anatomical donor symbols on certain licenses.	DNR Anatomical Donor	May 6, 2019	July 1, 2019
SF 210	A bill for an act providing for the designation of a lay caregiver relating to a patient's inpatient stay at a hospital. (Formerly SF 84.)	Lay Caregiver Inpatient Stay	April 9, 2019	July 1, 2019

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SF 267	A bill for an act relating to the practice of massage therapy, and providing penalties. (Formerly SSB 1037.)	Massage Therapy Licensing, Penalties	May 10, 2019	July 1, 2019
SF 304	A bill for an act relating to licensing sanctions against individuals who default or are delinquent on student loan debt or on a related service obligation. (Formerly SSB 1133.) Effective 7-1-19.	Student Debt, Licensing Sanctions	April 8, 2019	July 1, 2019
SF 364	A bill for an act relating to the Iowa sobriety and drug monitoring program. (Formerly SSB 1055.)	Iowa Sobriety and Drug Monitoring Program	May 2, 2019	July 1, 2019 Dec. 2023 Report
SF 531	A bill for an act relating to pediatric congenital heart surgery including data reporting and the provision of patient education by hospitals. (Formerly SF 387.)	Pediatric Congenital Heart Surgery Registry	May 3, 2019	July 1, 2019
SF 563	A bill for an act relating to pharmacy benefit managers and information related to the management of prescription drug benefits, and including applicability provisions. (Formerly SF 347.)	PBM Prescription Drug Benefit	May 8, 2019	January 1, 2019
SF 567	A bill for an act relating to disqualifications from holding certain professional licenses for persons convicted of certain crimes. (Formerly SSB 1112.)	Felony Licensing Disqualification	May 9, 2019	July 1, 2019
SF 599	A bill for an act relating to hemp, including the regulation of hemp, providing for enforcement and the confiscation and destruction or disposal of certain property, providing for fees, including penalties, and providing implementation and effective date provisions. (Formerly SF 279.)	Hemp Regulation	May 13, 2019	Upon Implementation of Ch. 204
SF 617	A bill for an act relating to gambling regulation and wagering, by providing for sports wagering and fantasy sports contests, providing for taxes and fees, making penalties applicable, and including implementation and effective date provisions. (Formerly SSB 1168, SF 366.)	Sports Wagering	May 13, 2019	July 1, 2019
SF 618	A bill for an act relating to alcoholic beverage control and matters under the purview of the alcoholic beverages division of the department of commerce and including effective date provisions. (Formerly SSB 1076, SF 413.)	ABD Provisions	May 10, 2019	Upon Enactment
SF 632	A bill for an act making appropriations to the department of public health for the gambling treatment program. (Formerly SSB 1257.)	Gambling Treatment \$300,000 Appropriation	May 13, 2019	July 1, 2019
HF732	VETOED: A bill for an act relating to the medical cannabidiol Act. (Formerly HSB 244.)	mCBD Act	Vetoed	July 1, 2019

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SF 333	A bill for an act relating to nonsubstantive Code corrections. (Formerly SSB 1140.)	Nonsubstantive Code Editor's Act	April 15, 2019	July 1, 2019
HF 766	A bill for an act relating to appropriations for health and human services and veterans and including other related provisions and appropriations, providing penalties, and including effective date and retroactive and other applicability date provisions. (Formerly HSB 253.) Final Action: https://www.legis.iowa.gov/docs/publications/NOBA/1046415.pdf	HHS Appropriations	May 3, 2019	July 1, 2019 and various