

Definition: CONSENT CALENDAR

A group of noncontroversial bills passed by a committee to another committee or the full Assembly or Senate. Bills may be placed upon the Consent Calendar if they are reported to the Floor with that recommendation and (1) have received no “no” votes in committee and (2) have had no opposition expressed by any person present at the hearing.

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AB 1808 (Wood D) Minors: mental health services.

12. Support initiatives that maintain or improve access to mental health services, particularly to unserved, underserved populations, and maintain or improve quality of services.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/8/2016 Introduced: 2/8/2016 Status: 2/25/2016-Referred to Com. on B. & P. Location: 2/25/2016-A. B.&P. Calendar: 3/29/2016 9:30 a.m. - State Capitol, Room 4202 ASSEMBLY BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS, SALAS, Chair

Summary: Current law authorizes a minor who is 12 years of age or older to consent to mental health treatment or counseling services on an outpatient basis, or to residential shelter services, when certain requirements are satisfied. Current law defines “professional person,” for the purposes of those provisions, to include, among others, a marriage and family therapist, a marriage and family therapist intern, a professional clinical counselor, and a clinical counselor intern. This bill would additionally authorize a marriage and family therapist trainee and a clinical counselor trainee, while working under the supervision of certain licensed professionals, to provide those services.

Status: 5/5/2016 - Referred to Coms. on B., P. & E.D., JUD. and APPR.Hearing: 6/6/2016 1 p.m. and upon adjournment of Session - Room 3191 SENATE BUSINESS, PROFESSIONS AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, HILL, Chair. [AB 1808 link to bill text](#) **Support**

AB 1870 (Gallagher R) Board of State and Community Corrections.

5. Support legislation that safeguards mental health insurance parity and ensures quality mental health services in health care reform.

17. Support policies that require the coordination of data and evaluation processes at all levels of mental health services.

18. Support policies that promote appropriate services to be delivered in the least restrictive setting possible.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/10/2016 Introduced: 2/10/2016 Status: 3/15/2016-From committee: Do pass and re-refer to Com. on APPR. with recommendation: To Consent Calendar. (Ayes 7. Noes 0.) (March 15). Re-referred to Com. on APPR.

Location: 3/15/2016-A. APPR.

Summary: Would require the Board of State and Community Corrections, in consultation with the Administrative Office of the Courts, the California District Attorneys Association, the California State Association of Counties, the California State Sheriffs' Association, and the Chief Probation Officers of California, to collect and analyze data regarding recidivism rates of all persons who receive a felony sentence punishable by imprisonment in county jail or who are placed on postrelease community supervision. The bill would also require the board to make this data available on the board's Internet Web site. [AB 1870 link to bill text](#) **Support**

AB 1998 (Campos D) Juveniles: data collection.

2. Support policies that reduce and eliminate stigma and discrimination.

12. Support initiatives that maintain or improve access to mental health services, particularly to unserved, underserved populations, and maintain or improve quality of services.

Voted and approved in Advocacy Committee on 06/16/2016

17. Support policies that require the coordination of data and evaluation processes at all levels of mental health services.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/16/2016 Introduced: 2/16/2016 Amended 4/5/2016. Current Status: 5/12/2016 in Senate. Read first time. To Com. on RLS. For assignment. Current Location: 5/12/2016 S-RLS.

Summary: Would require the juvenile court, a juvenile detention facility, and a county probation department, when asking juveniles about their race, ethnicity, national origin, ancestry, or tribal affiliation in order to comply with federal data collection requirements, to collect additional data by using specified questions, including, among others, "Are you Hispanic or Latino?" By imposing new duties on local juvenile detention facilities and county probation departments, this bill would impose a state-mandated program. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws. [AB 1998 link to bill text](#)

Support

AB 2246 (O'Donnell D) Pupil suicide prevention policies.

12. Support initiatives that maintain or improve access to mental health services, particularly to unserved, underserved populations, and maintain or improve quality of services.

19. Support policies or legislation that promote the mission, training and resources for local behavioral health boards and commissions.

Current Status: 4/20/16 in committee: Set, first hearing. Referred to APPR. Suspense file. Current Location: 4/20/2016 A-APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Summary: Would require the governing board or body of a local educational agency, as defined, that serves pupils in grades 7 to 12, inclusive, to, before the beginning of the 2017-18 school year, adopt a policy on pupil suicide prevention, as specified, that specifically addresses the needs of high-risk groups. By imposing additional duties on local educational agencies, the bill would impose a state-mandated local program. The bill would require the department to develop and maintain a model policy to serve as a guide for local educational agencies. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[AB 2246 link to bill text](#)

Support

SB 124 (Leno D) Juveniles: solitary confinement.

10. Support initiatives that reduce the use of seclusion and restraint.

18. Support policies that promote appropriate services to be delivered in the least restrictive setting possible.

2. Support proposals that advocate for providing more services in the criminal and juvenile justice systems for persons with serious mental illnesses or children, adolescents, and transition-aged youth with serious emotional disturbances, including clients with co-occurring disorders.

Current Text: Amended: 8/17/2015 Introduced: 1/16/2015 Last Amend: 8/17/2015 Status: 8/28/2015-Failed Deadline pursuant to Rule 61(a)(11). (Last location was APPR. on 8/27/2015) Location: 8/28/2015-A. 2 YEAR

Summary: Would prohibit a person confined in a juvenile facility who is an imminent danger to himself, herself, or others as a result of a mental disorder, or who is gravely disabled, from being subject to solitary confinement. The bill would also prohibit a person, other than a person described above, who is detained in any secure state or local juvenile facility from being subject to solitary confinement unless certain conditions are satisfied, including that the person poses an immediate and substantial risk of harm to the security of the facility, to himself or herself, or to others that is not the result of a mental disorder. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.

[SB 124 link to bill text](#)

Support

SB 955 (Beall D) State hospital commitment: compassionate release.

18. Support policies that promote appropriate services to be delivered in the least restrictive setting possible.

2. Support any proposal that advocates for providing more services in the criminal and juvenile justice systems for persons with serious mental illnesses or children, adolescents, and transition-aged youth with serious emotional disturbances, including clients with co-occurring disorders.

Current Status: 5/9/2016 May 9 hearing: Placed on APPR. Suspense file. Current Location: 5/9/2016 S-APPR. SUSPENSE FILE.

Summary: Current law requires the Director of State Hospitals to notify the Board of Parole Hearings, and requires the State Department of State Hospitals to discontinue treating a parolee, if the prisoner's severe mental disorder is put into remission during the parole period, and can be kept in remission. Current law, subject to exceptions, authorizes the release of a prisoner from state prison if the court finds that the prisoner is terminally ill with an incurable condition caused by an illness or disease that would produce death within 6 months. This bill would establish similar release provisions for a defendant who has been committed to a state hospital because, among other reasons, the defendant is incompetent to stand trial or has a severe mental disorder. [SB 955 link to bill text](#) **Support**

SB 1013 (Beall D) Mentally ill parolees: housing.

6. Support expanding affordable housing and affordable supportive housing.

13. Oppose all bills related to "NIMBYism" and restrictions on housing and siting facilities for providing mental health services.

2. Support any proposal that advocates for providing more services in the criminal and juvenile justice systems for persons with serious mental illnesses or children, adolescents, and transition-aged youth with serious emotional disturbances, including clients with co-occurring disorders.

Current Status: 5/9/2016 May 9 hearing: Placed on APPR. Suspense file. Current Location: 5/9/2016 S-APPR. SUSPENSE FILE.

Summary: Current law authorizes the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation to obtain day treatment, and to contract for crisis care services, for parolees with mental health problems, and requires the department to provide a supportive housing program that provides wraparound services to mentally ill parolees at risk of homelessness using funding appropriated for that purpose. This bill would require a service provider to also demonstrate an existing relationship with a supportive housing provider. The bill would specify that a program participant is not required to receive other services for mentally ill parolees as a condition of eligibility to receive rental assistance through the program. [SB 1013 link to bill text](#) **Support**

SB 1101 (Wieckowski D) Alcohol and drug counselors: regulation.

3. Support proposals that address the human resources problem in the public mental health system with specific emphasis on increasing cultural diversity and promoting the employment of consumers and family members.

Current Status: 5/16/16 May 16 hearing: Placed on APPR. Suspense file. (Ayes 7. Noes 0.) Current Location: SUSPENSE FILE

Summary: Would provide that a license for an alcohol and drug counselor would be valid for 2 years unless at any time during that period it is revoked or suspended, that the license would be authorized to be renewed prior to the expiration of the 2-year period, and that a licensee fulfill continuing education requirements prior to renewal. The bill would also require that the license fee for an original alcohol and drug counselor license and the license renewal fee be reasonably related to the department's actual costs in performing its duties under this part, but to not exceed \$200. [SB 1101 link to bill text](#) **Support**

Voted and approved in Advocacy Committee on 06/16/2016

SB 1110 (Hancock D) Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion.

12. Support initiatives that maintain or improve access to mental health services, particularly to unserved, underserved populations, and maintain or improve quality of services.

18. Support policies that promote appropriate services to be delivered in the least restrictive setting possible.

20. Support policies/initiatives that promote the integration of mental health, substance use disorders and physical health care services.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/17/2016 Current Status: 5/9/16 May 9 hearing: Placed on APPR.

Suspense file. Current Location: 5/9/16 S-APPR. SUSPENSE FILE

Summary: Would require the Board of State and Community Corrections to approve three counties for the establishment of a Law Enforcement Assisted Diversion (LEAD) pilot program. The bill would require the LEAD pilot programs to authorize designated officers to take a person for whom the officer has probable cause for arrest for specified controlled substances offenses, including possession of a controlled substance or other prohibited substance, or prostitution, to treatment programs and services in lieu of that arrest. [SB 1110 link to bill text](#) **Support**

SB 1113 (Beall D) Pupil health: mental health services: funding.

18. Support policies that promote appropriate services to be delivered in the least restrictive setting possible.

19. Support policies or legislation that promote the mission, training and resources for local behavioral health boards and commissions.

Current Text: Introduced: 2/17/2016 Introduced: 2/17/2016 Status: 2/25/2016-Referred to Com. on RLS. Location: 2/25/2016-S. RLS. Amended: 4/14/2016

Summary: Would declare the intent of the Legislature to enact legislation relating to mental health services in schools that would require counties to enter into agreements with special education local plan areas to allow access to Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic, and Treatment (EPSDT) funding through the county mental health programs by providing EPSDT mental health services. This bill contains other existing laws. [SB 1113 link to bill text](#) **Support; CBHDA-under review**