

HB 693 (see companion bill SB 1038)

Clarifies reimbursement for services provided through telehealth via an interactive telecommunications system. Defines “interactive telecommunications system”. Clarifies that, for services furnished for purposes of diagnosis, evaluation, or treatment of a mental health disorder to a patient in the patient’s home, interactive telecommunications may include audio-only communication in certain circumstances.

SB 1038 (see companion bill HB 693)

Temporarily allows for the reimbursement of services provided through telehealth via an interactive telecommunications system and two-way, real-time audio-only communications in certain circumstances. Defines “interactive telecommunications system”.

SB 324

Requires persons who offer, operate, manage, or administer health care cost-sharing arrangements to make certain disclosures to the Insurance Commissioner. Establishes penalties for persons that fail to comply with the disclosure requirements. Requires the Insurance Commissioner to report to

the Legislature.

SB 842

Appropriates funds for the Department of Human Services to purchase health care services for certain low-income, uninsured immigrants

SB 1238

Establishes the Kupuna Rural Health Care Pilot Program within the Executive Office on Aging of the Department of Health to improve access to care in rural areas of Hawai'i County and expand broadband internet access, provide at-home visits, and ground transportation for in-person health care services. Requires a report to the Legislature. Appropriates funds.

HB 1083 (see companion bill SB 1381)

Repeals section 328-106, Hawai'i Revised Statutes, which requires the Department of Health to regulate business practices between private entities engaged in the selling, billing, and reimbursement of pharmaceuticals.

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HB 1460 (see companion bill SB 1016)

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SB 1016 (see companion bill HB 1460)

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HB 1179 (see companion bill SB 893)

Requires health insurance coverage for various sexual and reproductive health care services.