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<p>AB2 (BDR 18-437) Revises provisions relating to appointments to public bodies. This bill proposes the following changes removing the below:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The provision of subsection 6 of NRS 232A.020 do not apply to the appointment by the Governor of the members of the Council. • Except as otherwise provided in NRS 232.162, the Governor shall not appoint a person to a board, commission or similar body if the person is a member of any other board, commission or similar body. • The provisions of subsection 6 of NRS 232A.020 do not apply to member of the Advisory Council who also serve as county commissioners, and the Governor may appoint any such member of the Advisory Council to one other board, commission or similar body. <p>Effective Date: Upon passage and approval.</p>	Removes the prohibition against the Governor appointing a person to more than one board, commission, or similar body at the same time.	11/18/20: Read first time. Referred to Committee on Government Affairs. To Printer
	Board Position	12/22/20: From Printer
	Fiscal Note	02/01/21 Read first time, Assembly Journal Senate: Not discussed
		02/04/21 To Committee. Assembly: Not discussed Senate: Not discussed
		2/15/21 Bill presented to Assembly Committee Government Affairs & Senate Government Affairs
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<p>AB39 (BDR 19-333) Revises provisions relating to public records. This bill proposes the following changes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Public book or record” or “public record”: Means all recorded information, regardless of form or characteristics, made or received by a governmental entity under law or in connection with the transaction of public business and preserved or appropriate for preservation by the governmental entity or its successor as evidence of the organization, functions, policies, decisions, procedures, 	Changes the definition of public record and may expand the scope of records requests received.	11/18/20: Prefiled. Referred to Committee on Government Affairs. To Printer
	Board Position	12/22/20: from Printer
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<p>operations or other activities of the governmental entity or because of the information value of data in the recorded information.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Does not include, without limitation: A record that reflects the internal predecisional deliberations of a governmental entity or its officers or employees or predecisional deliberations between officers and employees of one governmental entity and another governmental entity, including, without limitation, any research, memoranda or other documents used in predecisional deliberations. • Notes and working papers prepared by or for a public officer or employee used solely for that officer's or employee's own personal use and other materials that do not have an official purpose, including, without limitation, text and electronic mail messages sent or received for personal purposes. <p>Effective Date: Upon passage and approval.</p>		<p>02/04/21 To Committee. Assembly: Not discussed Senate: Not discussed</p>				
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<p>AB48 (BDR 23-321) Authorizes certain retired public officers and employees to reinstate insurance under the Public Employees' Benefit Program (PEBP) This bill proposes the following changes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pursuant to NRS 1A.350 or 1A.480, or 286.510 or 286.620, from employment with a county, school district, municipal corporation, political subdivision, public corporation or other local governmental agency at the time of the request for reinstatement and: Was enrolled in the Program as a retired public officer or employee on November 30, 2008; and is enrolled in Medicare A provided pursuant to Part A of Title XVIII of 	<p>Will allow Non-State Retirees a one time comeback for reinstatement like State retirees currently have.</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <th data-bbox="1087 1146 1535 1187">Board Position</th> <td data-bbox="1087 1187 1535 1256"></td> </tr> <tr> <th data-bbox="1087 1256 1535 1299">Fiscal Note</th> <td data-bbox="1087 1299 1535 1399"></td> </tr> </table>	Board Position		Fiscal Note		<p>11/18/20: Prefiled. Referred to Committee on Government Affairs. To Printer</p> <p>12/22/20: from Printer</p> <p>02/01/21: Read first time. Assembly: Journal Senate: not discussed</p>
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<p>Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C. 1395c et seq., and Medicare Part B provided pursuant to Part B of Title XVIII of the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C 1395j et seq., at the time of the request for reinstatement.</p> <p>Effective Date: This act becomes effective on July 1, 2021.</p>		<p>02/04/21 To Committee. Assembly: Not discussed Senate: Not discussed</p> <p>02/26/21 Bill presented to Committee on Government Affairs</p> <p>03/10/21: Work Session: Assembly Committee on Government Affairs</p>
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<p><u>AB178 (BDR 57-71)</u> Requires an insurer to take certain actions relating to the acquisition of prescription drugs for an insured who resides in an area for which a declared disaster or state of emergency is in effect.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Authorizes a pharmacist to dispense a prescription drug to a patient who resides in such an area in an amount greater than is authorized by the prescribing practitioner under certain conditions • Waives any restrictions on the time period within which a prescription may be refilled for an insured who resides in the area to which a state of emergency or declaration of disaster applies if the insured requests the refill within a certain time • Authorizes payment for a supply of a covered prescription drug for up to 30 days. <p>Effective Date: Upon passage and approval</p>	<p>Requires PEBP to waive restrictions on the time period which a prescription may be refilled during a state of emergency.</p> <hr/> <p>Board Position</p> <hr/> <p>Fiscal Note PEBP has reviewed the bill and has determined there will be no impact.</p>	<p>2/25/21: Read first time. Referred to Committee on Commerce and Labor. To Printer Assembly: Journal Senate: Not discussed</p> <hr/> <p>02/26/21 From printer. To Committee. Assembly: Not discussed Senate: No Floor Session</p>
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<p>AB181 (BDR 40-522) Revises provisions relating to mental health This bill proposes the following changes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The State Board of Health shall adopt regulations requiring medical facilities, facilities for the dependent and facilities which are required by the regulations adopted by the Board pursuant to NRS 449.0303 to be licensed to report information relating to suicide to the Chief Medical Officer or his or her designee. • The regulations must prescribe: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o The facilities that are required to make reports; o The information that must be reported; and o The time within which such a report must be made. <p>Effective Date: Upon passage and approval for the purpose of adopting any regulations and performing any other preparatory administrative tasks that are necessary to carry out the provisions of this act; and on January 1, 2022, for all other purposes.</p>	<p>On or before July 1 of each year, a report shall be submitted to the Commissioner of Insurance which includes information relating to mental health treatments for each health benefit plan that provides coverage to residents of Nevada.</p>	<p>02/26/21 Read first time. Referred to Committee on Health and Human Services. To printer.</p> <p>Assembly: Journal</p> <p>Senate: No Floor Session</p> <p>03/01/21 From Printer. To Committee.</p> <p>Assembly: No Floor Session</p> <p>Senate: Not discussed</p> <p>03/08/21 Bill Presented to Assembly Health and Human Services</p>
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<p>SB40 (BDR 40-415) Provides for the collection of certain data relating to health care. This bill proposes the following changes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DHHS shall establish an all-payer claims database of information relating to health insurance claims resulting from medical, dental or pharmacy benefits provided in this State that will integrate with other state agencies. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Integration with DHHS regarding claims. 	<p>11/18/20: Prefiled. Referred to Committee on Health and Human Services. To Printer</p> <p>12/15/20: From Printer</p>
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<p>Effective Date: Upon passage and approval for the purpose of adopting any regulations and performing any other preparatory administrative tasks that are necessary to carry out the provisions of this act; and on January 1, 2022, for all other purposes.</p>	<p>Impact: Cannot Be Determined</p> <p>PEBP has reviewed this bill and believes there is a potential fiscal impact. PEBP reached out to our TPA and PBM vendors to determine a cost to submit data to an all-payer claims database on behalf of PEBP. Because the formatting requirements for the claims database is unknown and this is not currently a requirement of PEBP’s current contract, the total estimated cost between both vendors to develop a process to submit data to this required database is \$100,000.</p> <p>PEBP will be soliciting for TPA and PBM vendors in the next year and would be able to include a requirement to submit data to an all-payer claims database in the solicitation. This requirement would likely only come at no additional cost if an industry standard format for submitting data could be guaranteed. Because it is unknown what</p>	<p>02/01/21: Read first time. To Committee Assembly: Not discussed Senate: Journal</p> <p>02/17/21: Bill presented to Assembly Health and Human Services</p> <p>03/05/21: Bill presented to Senate on Finance.</p> <p>03/09/21: Bill presented to Senate Health and Human Services</p>
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<p>SB139 (BDR 57-54) Requires certain health insurance to cover treatment of certain conditions relating to gender dysphoria. This bill proposes the following changes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An insurer that issues a policy of health insurance shall include in the policy coverage for the medically necessary treatment of conditions relating to gender dysphoria, gender incongruence and other disorders of sexual development. • “Network plan” means a policy of health insurance offered by an insurance offered by an insurer under which the financing and delivery of medical care, including items and services paid for a medical care, are provided, in whole or in part, through a defined set of providers under contact with the insurer. • The term does not include an arrangement for the financing of premiums. <p>Effective Date: This act becomes effective on July 1, 2021.</p>	<p>Requires coverage for the following services not covered under PEBP today:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Voice Therapy • Gender reassignment benefits for members under 18 • <p>Board Position</p> <p>Fiscal Note Impact: \$500,000</p> <p>The Public Employees' Benefits Program (PEBP) has reviewed this bill and believes there is a fiscal impact. This bill would require medically necessary services/procedures relating to gender dysphoria, gender incongruence, etc. While PEBP currently provides coverage for most services identified in the bill,</p>	<p>02/22/21 Read first time. Referred to Committee on Commerce and Labor. To printer. Assembly: Not discussed Senate: Journal</p> <p>02/23/21 From printer. To committee. Assembly: Not discussed Senate: Not discussed</p>

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	<p>there are some noticeable gaps in coverage including providing coverage for those under 18 and voice therapy services. PEBP's Actuary and TPA are estimating an annual cost of up to \$500,000 to meet the requirements in this bill. Additionally, as the effective date of this bill is July 1, 2021, PEBP will already have established rates and employer subsidies on March 25, 2021. PEBP may be underfunded by the estimated \$500,000 the rest year with no mechanism to offset the additional unexpected costs.</p>	
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<p>SB171 (BDR 57-848) Prohibits a pharmacy benefit manager from requiring a covered person to obtain a drug by mail. This bill proposes the following changes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Requires a covered person to obtain any drug by mail. <p>Effective Date: This act becomes effective on July 1, 2021.</p>	<p>TBD</p> <p>Board Position</p> <p></p> <p>Fiscal Note</p> <p>TBD</p>	<p>03/04/21: Read first time. Referred to Committee on Commerce and Labor. To printer. Assembly: No Floor Session Senate: Journal</p>