

## CHAD Bill List

3.28.2022

Bill Number	Bill Title	Bill Summary	Analysis	Primary Sponsors	Disposition	Stance
<a href="#">HB1024</a>	revise and repeal certain provisions regarding self-support tuition rates at off-campus locations governed by the Board of Regents.	removes a legislative requirement that the Board of Regents programs located off a main campus have higher tuition rates to cover the additional costs of remote locations.	This bill effectively lowers the tuition for the South Dakota State University nursing programs offered at the Rapid City campus so the nursing students attending the Rapid City campus pay the same tuition as nursing students on the main campuses.	BOR	Signed - Effective July 1, 2022	Support
<a href="#">HB1030</a>	Make an appropriation to reimburse certain health care professionals who have complied with the requirements for certain health care recruitment assistance programs and to declare an emergency.	appropriates \$240,339 to the Department of Health to 50 eligible healthcare professionals who have complied with the requirements of the Rural Healthcare Facility Recruitment Assistance Program	This is the annual appropriation for health care professionals who have completed their contractual obligations under the state's tuition reimbursement program. There are legislators discussing adding more slots for this program and/or adding masters prepared counselors to the program.	DOH	Signed - Effective Immediately	Support
<a href="#">HB1086</a>	Provide for the redistribution of donated prescription drugs and medical supplies.	Creates a program to allow unused prescription drugs to be donated back to providers for redistribution	This bill creates a system by which certain drugs can be accepted for redistribution by pharmacies that meet the requirements for accepting donated prescribed drugs. This bill addresses the issue of people who wish to donate certain high-cost drugs that were not used by the person the drugs were originally prescribed to but were originally packaged in a way that allows for redistribution. This system would allow specialty drugs, such as drugs to treat cancer or Alzheimer's, to be redistributed to patients who may not otherwise have access. Additionally, drugs used in long term care facilities that are unused when a patient is transferred or dies may be made available to another patient to give greater access to necessary pharmaceuticals at a lower cost.	Tobin	Signed - Effective July 1, 2022	Support

<a href="#">SB102</a>	Create the medicaid expansion fund and to provide for the receipt of monies received as a result of expanding medicaid eligibility.	Creates the fund to finance Sen. Steinhauer's legislative Medicaid Expansion effort	This bill creates a dedicated fund to receive the federal money the State would receive if Medicaid is expanded. An amendment is expected to remove the requirement that the money in the fund be treated as a special appropriation.	Steinhauer	Defeated	Support
<a href="#">SB134</a>	Revise provisions related to physician assistants.	Revise provisions related to physician assistants.	This bill would allow physicians assistants to practice to their full scope of training and education.	Tobin	Defeated	Support
<a href="#">SB163</a>	Address transparency in prescription drug pricing.	Address transparency in prescription drug pricing.	This bill clarifies provisions regarding PBMs and the enforcement of regulations regarding drug pricing. The bill is supported by the Pharmacists Association, hospitals and community health centers.	Diedrich	Defeated	Support
<a href="#">SB186</a>	Expand Medicaid eligibility by the Legislature.	Expand Medicaid eligibility by the Legislature.	This bill expands Medicaid by law. The bill is aimed at providing a legislative option for expansion and includes an automatic sunset if the federal money supporting expansion ends at the federal level.	Blare	Defeated	Support
<a href="#">SB43</a>	Authorize the Board of Regents to contract for the design, renovation, and construction of an addition for a health sciences center at Black Hills State Universityâ€“Rapid City, to make an appropriation therefor, and to declare an emergency.	Authorize the Board of Regents to contract for the design, renovation, and construction of an addition for a health sciences center at Black Hills State Universityâ€“Rapid City, to make an appropriation therefor, and to declare an emergency.	This will allow for the expansion of healthcare programming for west river students, specifically nursing workforce development.	BOR	Signed - Effective Immediately	Support
<a href="#">SB44</a>	Authorize the Board of Regents to contract for the demolition of Briscoe Hall and the existing Lincoln Hall, and the design and construction of the new Lincoln Hall, at Northern State University, to make an appropriation therefor, and to declare an emergency.	Authorize the Board of Regents to contract for the demolition of Briscoe Hall and the existing Lincoln Hall, and the design and construction of the new Lincoln Hall, at Northern State University, to make an appropriation therefor, and to declare an emergency.	This will allow for the expansion of healthcare programming at Northern University, specifically nursing workforce development.	BOR	Signed - Effective Immediately	Support
<a href="#">SB55</a>	appropriate funds for the expansion of broadband infrastructure and to declare an emergency.	provides \$50 million in funding for the continued expansion of broadband access across the State.	Enhanced access to broadband will facilitate virtual healthcare and provide additional “livable” communities across the State to allow people to access healthcare and services where they want to live.	GOV	Signed - Effective Immediately	Support

<a href="#">SB61</a>	Make an appropriation to the Board of Technical Education to support the purchase of simulation equipment for a health sciences clinical simulation center on the campus of Southeast Technical College and to declare an emergency.	Make an appropriation to the Board of Technical Education to support the purchase of simulation equipment for a health sciences clinical simulation center on the campus of Southeast Technical College and to declare an emergency.	This will help enhance programming in the healthcare programming at STI. This will help with workforce development in healthcare fields.	BOR	Signed - Effective Immediately	Support
<a href="#">SB65</a>	Delineate uses for the South Dakota housing opportunity fund.	Under this bill, single-family and multi-family affordable housing projects that consist consisting of new construction and associated infrastructure, or the purchase of rental or homeownership housing, substantial; substantial or moderate rehabilitation of rental or homeownership housing, housing; housing preservation, including home repair grants and grants; grants to make homes houses more accessible to individuals with disabilities, homelessness; homelessness prevention activities, as well as; and providing financial assistance for a community land trust are the only projects that qualify for the South Dakota Housing Opportunity Fund	This is part of the overall workforce funding package considered the legislature.	Weisgram	Defeated	Monitor
<a href="#">HB1242</a>	Allow medical practice on the basis of conscience.	Allow medical practice on the basis of conscience.	This bill allows a healthcare practitioner to practice consistent with personal conscience. Under this bill, a provider at any level could decide to provide or not provide care or treatment regardless of the patient's wishes, other healthcare personnel's recommended treatment plan or state or federal law. This bill has wide ranging implications for patients.	Haugaard	Defeated	Oppose
<a href="#">HB1258</a>	Protect an individual's conscience from entities requiring the COVID-19 vaccine.	Protect an individual's conscience from entities requiring the COVID-19 vaccine.	This bill prohibits a person from being required to have a COVIDvaccination based on the person's personal conscience.	Gosch	Defeated	Oppose
<a href="#">HB1258</a>	protect an individual's conscience from entities requiring the COVID-19 vaccine.	Protect an individual's conscience from entities requiring the COVID-19 vaccine.	This is a bill introduced by the Legislature to provide a different version of the Governor's COVID-19 bill with a broader application of the proposed protections form COVID mandates	Gosch	Defeated	Oppose

<a href="#">SB211</a>	Provide statutory COVID-19 vaccine exemptions and to declare an emergency.	Provide statutory COVID-19 vaccine exemptions and to declare an emergency.	This is the Governor's COVID-19 bill. The bill requires that any employer requiring a COVID-19 vaccine as a condition of employment allow for certain exemptions. The exemptions are medical reason validated by a physician, personal, moral, ethical objection to the vaccine, or demonstration of natural immunity by having had COVID-19. The bill provides exemptions to the prohibition for the National Guard. The bill also creates a cause of action for an employee harmed by a violation of the bill by an employer. - AMENDED: This bill has been amended to reflect the original language of HB 1258.	GOV	Defeated	Oppose
<a href="#">HB1008</a>	Provide a cause of action for certain employees that are required to receive a vaccination as a condition of employment and to declare an emergency.	Allows employees to sue employers who require vaccinations for damages in the event of an injury brought on by said vaccination	This bill is aimed at removing or limiting vaccination requirements by employers. An employee can sue an employer for injuries or illness caused by a required vaccination. The genesis of the bill is COVID-19 vaccination requirements, but the bill is written broadly to cover any vaccination that may be required for employment. Additionally, the bill makes not exception for employers who are required to require certain vaccinations under federal rule or law.	Deutsch	Defeated	Monitor
<a href="#">HB1025</a>	Update legal holidays in South Dakota.	Amends the law to provide that if any holiday occurs on a Sunday, it will be recognized as a legal holiday the following Monday.	This bill is brought by the Bureau of Human Resources and adds Juneteenth to the list of legal holidays in the State. A similar bill is Senate Bill 30 brought by legislators.	BHR	Signed - Effective July 1, 2022	Monitor
<a href="#">HB1027</a>	Place certain substances on the controlled substances schedule and to declare an emergency.	This is the annual update to the controlled substance list to reflect changes made to the list at the federal level in the last year.	This is the annual update to the controlled substance list to reflect changes made to the list at the federal level in the last year.	DOH	Signed - Effective Immediately	Monitor
<a href="#">HB1029</a>	Revise the definition of telehealth for purposes of health insurance policies.	Defines telemedicine as "the use of secure electronic information, imaging, and communication technologies by a health care professional to deliver health care services to a patient."	This bill was defeated in committee. Insurance lobbyists successfully argued that revising the definition of telehealth was not needed to allow for video or audio reimbursement policies since the current definition accounted for both in policy language.	DLR	Defeated	Monitor

<a href="#">HB1033</a>	make an appropriation for the provision of housing infrastructure loans and grants	Appropriates \$150 million to the South Dakota Housing Authority to provide support for workforce housing grants and loans to cover the costs of infrastructure costs for new developments	This is the compromise bill the legislators agreed to instead of the proposals that were put forward by the Governor.	Chase	Signed - Effective July 1, 2022	Monitor
<a href="#">HB1038</a>	Establish an opioid abatement and remediation fund and to declare an emergency.	Establishes a trust fund to remediate the effects of opioid addiction, funded through money received by the state or its subdivisions pursuant to settlements or judgments relating to opioids; direct appropriations from the general fund; any gifts, bequests, or donations; and interest attributable to investment of the money in the opioid trust fund (subject to normal appropriations process).	The money in the opioid settlement fund will be used to address opioid addiction. The request to set up the fund is being made by the Attorney General.	Attorney General	Signed - Effective Immediately	Monitor
<a href="#">HB1103</a>	Provide a reimbursement schedule for chiropractic, dental, and optometric services under the Medicaid program.	Provide a reimbursement schedule for chiropractic, dental, and optometric services under the Medicaid program.	This bill adds chiropractic, dental and optometric services to the required methodology review for Medicaid providers. The bill does not address the frequency of review.	Miskimins	Signed - Effective July 1, 2022	Monitor
<a href="#">HB1121</a>	Revise certain provisions related to advanced life support personnel.	Expands provisions to apply life support procedures and personnel to all patients rather than emergency patients	This bill removes the requirement for observation by the physician directing an advanced life support personnel.	Rehfeldt	Signed - Effective July 1, 2022	Monitor
<a href="#">HB1122</a>	Require criminal background checks for emergency medical technicians and advanced life support personnel.	Require criminal background checks for emergency medical technicians and advanced life support personnel.	This bill establishes a requirement for criminal background checks for emergency medical technicians and advanced life support personnel.	Rehfeldt	Signed - Effective July 1, 2022	Monitor
<a href="#">HB1123</a>	Establish licensure for rural emergency hospitals.	Changes licensure requirements to allow for small rural emergency hospitals	This bill establishes a license category for rural emergency hospitals.	Rehfeldt	Signed - Effective July 1, 2022	Monitor
<a href="#">HB1211</a>	Prohibit the enforcement of contracts limiting competition on certain matters of conscience.	Prohibit the enforcement of contracts limiting competition on certain matters of conscience.	This bill allows an employee to void a non-compete contract if the employer holding the contract requires COVID vaccination as a term of employment. This bill applies to non-healthcare services contracts under 53-9-11.	Gosch	Defeated	Monitor
<a href="#">HB1224</a>	Extend unemployment insurance benefits to individuals who are unemployed because of their refusal to obtain a COVID-19 vaccination.	Extend unemployment insurance benefits to individuals who are unemployed because of their refusal to obtain a COVID-19 vaccination.	This bill allows a person who is unemployed due to a refusal to be vaccinated to receive unemployment benefits longer.	Haugaard	Defeated	Monitor
<a href="#">HB1267</a>	Allow certain medical professionals to dispense ivermectin to persons.	Allow certain medical professionals to dispense ivermectin to persons.	This bill allows a health professional to dispense ivermectin to a patient with or without a prior prescribing relationship with the patient.	Jensen	Defeated	Monitor

<a href="#">HB1340</a>	Appropriate money for the ordinary expenses of the legislative, judicial, and executive departments of the state, the current expenses of state institutions, interest on the public debt, and for common schools.	Appropriate money for the ordinary expenses of the legislative, judicial, and executive departments of the state, the current expenses of state institutions, interest on the public debt, and for common schools.	This is the general funding bill for state government. The bill appropriates state funds for the executive, judicial and legislative branches and authorizes federal and other funds spending authority for each. This bill is commonly referred to as the state budget bill.	JCA	Signed - Effective July 1, 2022	Monitor
<a href="#">SB171</a>	Prohibit insurance policies from restricting the method of payment for dental care.	Prohibit insurance policies from restricting the method of payment for dental care.	This bill requires dental insurers to provide at least two options for payment of dental claims (ie ACH transfer, check).	Miskimins	Signed - Effective July 1, 2022	Monitor
<a href="#">SB19</a>	Permit certain facilities to establish reasonable restrictions related to the medical use of cannabis.	Provides protections for healthcare and treatment facilities and for employees of facilities relative to cannabis use by residents- need to check for unintended consequences of language	This bill allows a healthcare facility or accredited prevention facility to establish a policy that allows a patient/resident legally allowed to have medical cannabis to have the cannabis at the facility and to have employees of the facility address the storage of the cannabis, but puts protections in place for the staff handling the cannabis. Specifically, no civil, criminal or occupational licensing actions can be taken against an employee complying with the facility's policy.	Breitling	Signed - Effective July 1, 2022	Monitor
<a href="#">SB23</a>	Revise the definition of bona fide practitioner-patient relationship.	Changes to written certification requirements for medical cannabis	The requirements for certification, as proposed, are aimed at addressing "Doc in a Box" operations or healthcare professionals who do not see or treat the patient other than to certify for medical cannabis. These requirements will require an ongoing patient-provider relationship.	Rehfeldt	Signed - Effective July 1, 2022	Monitor

<a href="#">SB26</a>	Revise the definition of practitioner for purposes of the medical cannabis program.	changes "nurse practitioner" to include "advanced practice registered nurse"	An amendment to this bill in the Senate Health Committee changed "nurse practitioner" to "advanced practice registered nurse." The intent of the bill as amended is to allow advanced practice registered nurses to certify for medical cannabis use, as appropriate, under the medical cannabis program. The bill also allows physician assistants to certify for medical cannabis use. The bill does not require any healthcare professional to certify someone for medical cannabis use, but it does allow the option for a wider array of healthcare professionals to certify in recognition of access to care issues creating by limiting certification to only physicians.	Otten	Signed - Effective July 1, 2022	Monitor
<a href="#">SB30</a>	Add Juneteenth as a state holiday.	Add Juneteenth as a state holiday.	This is a bill introduced by legislators and specific to adding Juneteenth as a holiday. There is a companion bill introduced on behalf of the Bureau of Human Resources that adds Juneteenth to the list of recognized holidays in State. House Bill 1025 is the BHR bill.	Duba	Defeated	Monitor
<a href="#">SB53</a>	Make an appropriation to increase workforce housing and to declare an emergency.	Appropriates \$150,000,000 from the general fund and \$50,000,000 in federal fund expenditure authority to the Governor's Office of Economic Development (GOED) for purposes of increasing housing supply across South Dakota	This is the Governor's bill aimed at addressing the workforce housing issues with a \$200 million program.	GOV	Defeated	Monitor
<a href="#">SB58</a>	Make an appropriation for the construction of a new state public health laboratory and the renovation of the existing laboratory and to declare an emergency.	Make an appropriation for the construction of a new state public health laboratory and the renovation of the existing laboratory and to declare an emergency.	This bill provided authority to use federal funds to construct a new public health laboratory and make updates and renovations to the current lab in Pierre. Presumably, the new lab will be in Pierre.	DOH	Signed - Effective Immediately	Monitor

<a href="#">SB60</a>	Revise the General Appropriations Act for fiscal year 2022.	Corrects figures relating to the preliminary projections that estimated less revenue for FY 2021. This bill will become the vehicle for a number of one-time funding projects as the legislature finalizes the spending of federal ARPA and COVID relief funding.	This is the bill that will be used to reconcile the FY 2022 budget (current budget year) and fund a number of one-time items. Due to the amount of federal money the state is receiving for COVID and tax collections, the state is seeing a much higher revenue for FY 2022 (estimated to be at least \$166 million more than the budget has expenses for) and this will necessitate realigning expenses with revenue by making one-time expenditures.	BFM	Signed - Effective July 1, 2022	Monitor
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