Opposing

HB 1041 establish the South Dakota Board of Speech-Language Pathology, Audiology, and Hearing Aid Dispensing and to repeal the South Dakota Board of Hearing Aid Dispensers and Audiologists and the South Dakota Board of Examiners for Speech-Language Pathology

Details
See analysis and talking points https://sdsla.memberclicks.net/legislative-updates

Tabled in House HHS committee hearing on 02/04/2021 12 YEAS, 0 NAYs.

Monitoring

HB 1014 establish uniform complaint and declaratory ruling procedures for agencies regulating certain professions and occupations.

Details

Will standardize complaint and ruling procedures across licensing agencies. Carol Tellinghuisen, executive director for the audiology/HAD and SLP licensure boards has stated that this should be good for the licensing boards.

HB 1016 revise the structure and certain fees of the Board of Barber Examiners, the Board of Massage Therapy, and the Cosmetology Commission.

Details
Heard in House Commerce & Energy on 1/20/2021. Deferred to 41st legislative day on 1/25/2021.

HB 1065 adopt the emergency medical personnel licensure interstate compact.

Details

Of interest related to future legislation for audiology and speech-language pathology interstate compact.
HB 1077 An Act to provide for licensure by endorsement for certain licensed professionals and occupations.

Details

Requires licensing boards to issue a provisional license to practice to an applicant if they satisfy specified conditions.

HB 1239 Makes an appropriation to build a traumatic brain injury center in the Black Hills and to declare an emergency.
Tabled by House Health and Human Services 12 Yeas, 0 Nays on 2/23/2021.

Details
Appropriates $2,600,000 to design and construct a TBI center. Introduced 2/3/2021.
Reviewed through HB 1283.

SB 96 revise certain provisions regarding the use of telehealth technologies.

Details
Removes exclusion of phone, email, text, mail, and fax services from telehealth definition. Changes language re: provider-patient relationship. Adds requirement to use technology sufficient to evaluate or treat patient.
Reviewed through SB 194

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