

# 105TH LEGISLATURE SESSION 2017

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Bill No.	Position	Subject Matter	Introducer	Committee	Hearing Date	Advance Gen. File	Advance Select File	Advance Final Read	Notes
<a href="#">LB7</a>	M	Provide for suspension of medical assistance under the medical assistance program for detainees in public institutions	Krist	Judiciary	01/18/17				
<a href="#">LB18</a>	M	Change licensure and scope of practice for dental assistants and dental hygienists	Kolterman	HHS	01/18/17	01/20/17	02/23/17		AM24 Adopted
<a href="#">LB19</a>	M	Change requirements for the practice of acupuncture	Kolterman	HHS	01/18/17	01/20/17	02/23/17		
<a href="#">LB22</a>	M	Provide, change, and eliminate provisions relating to appropriations and reduce appropriations	Scheer	Appropriations	01/17/17	01/27/17	02/06/17	02/09/17	Signed by the Governor 2/15/17
<a href="#">LB23</a>	M	Provide for transfers of funds and terminate funds	Scheer	Appropriations	01/17/17				
<a href="#">LB24</a>	M	Change provisions relating to the Cash Reserve Fund	Scheer	Appropriations	01/17/17				
<a href="#">LB36</a>	M	Provide for review by state agencies of occupational credentials and provide for a critical assessment document	Harr	Government, Military & Veterans Affairs	01/20/17				McCollister name added
<a href="#">LB37</a>	M	Adopt the Uniform Wage Garnishment Act	Harr	Judiciary	01/20/17				
<a href="#">LB41</a>	M	Change child passenger restraint system enforcement from a secondary to a primary offense	Hilkemann	Transportation & Telecommunications	02/27/17				
<a href="#">LB42</a>	M	Change occupant protection system provisions for children and adopt certain federal safety provisions	Hilkemann	Transportation & Telecommunications	02/27/17				
<a href="#">LB43</a>	M	Change provisions relating to surcharges for 911 service	Hilkemann	Transportation & Telecommunications	02/21/17				
<a href="#">LB50</a>	M	Provide reporting duties relating to behavioral health entities	Schumacher	HHS	02/08/17				
<a href="#">LB52</a>	M	Adopt the Modern Tax Act	Schumacher	Revenue	01/18/17				
<a href="#">LB59</a>	O	Require the Department of Health and Human Services and health care facilities to provide information regarding abortion	Kintner	HHS	03/22/17				Chambers MO4 Rerefer to Judiciary Committee filed; Murante name added
<a href="#">LB61</a>	S	Adopt the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact	Kolterman	HHS	01/19/17				
<a href="#">LB64</a>	M	Adopt the Adrenal Insufficiency Diagnosis Information and Support Act	Hansen	HHS	01/19/17				
<a href="#">LB65</a>	M	Provide income tax credits for caregivers	Hansen	Revenue	01/26/17				
<a href="#">LB66</a>	M	Change provisions relating to stacking of coverage under the Uninsured and Underinsured Motorist Insurance Coverage Act	Hansen	Banking, Commerce & Insurance	02/28/17				

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<a href="#">LB73</a>	S	Prohibit the sale or transfer to or use by persons under twenty-one years of age tobacco, vapor products, and alternative nicotine products	Riepe	General Affairs	02/13/17				
<a href="#">LB83</a>	M	Allow physician medical directors to display emergency vehicle lights	Blood	Transportation & Telecommunications	02/06/17				
<a href="#">LB88</a>	S	Provide for temporary credentials under the Uniform Credentialing Act for military spouses	Blood	HHS	02/15/17	03/01/17			Brewer, Linehand, Crawford, Halloran name added; Blood priority bill
<a href="#">LB91</a>	M	Change provisions relating to infant health screenings	Hilkemann	HHS	02/02/17	02/28/17			
<a href="#">LB92</a>	S	Require health carriers to provide coverage for telehealth services	Kolterman	Banking, Commerce & Insurance	01/19/17	02/16/17			Baker, Howard & Riepe added; Kolterman priority bill
<a href="#">LB104</a>		Provide for a surrogate to make health care decisions	Bolz	Judiciary	02/09/17				
<a href="#">LB107</a>	M	Prohibit sexual assault of a patient, client, or student as prescribed	Crawford	Judiciary	02/08/17				McDonnell, Blood, Hansen added
<a href="#">LB110</a>	M	Change duties and requirements relating to certain retirement plan reporting and change duties of the Auditor of Public Accounts and the Public Employees Retirement Board	Kolterman	Retirement	01/24/17	02/10/17			
<a href="#">LB116</a>	M	Redefine automobile liability policy and change coverage provisions	Harr	Banking, Commerce & Insurance	02/28/17				
<a href="#">LB117</a>	M	Adopt the Investigational Drug Use Act	Hilkemann	HHS	01/27/17				
<a href="#">LB120</a>	M	Provide for Medical Assistance Act coverage for family planning services as prescribed	Schumacher	HHS	03/15/17				
<a href="#">LB122</a>	M	Provide for family member visitation petitions	Pansing Brooks	Judiciary	02/09/17	02/14/17			
<a href="#">LB128</a>	M	Change eligibility provisions relating to the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program	Groene	HHS	03/22/17				
<a href="#">LB149</a>	M	Reduce a Legislative Council appropriation	Stinner	Appropriations	03/17/17				
<a href="#">LB150</a>	M	Provide for a transfer from the Cash Reserve Fund	Stinner	Appropriations	02/21/17				
<a href="#">LB156</a>	M	Eliminate a termination date under the 911 Service System Act	Friesen	Transportation & Telecommunications	02/21/17				
<a href="#">LB165</a>	M	Require employer identification numbers and use of the federal immigration verification system	Brewer	Judiciary	02/22/17				
<a href="#">LB166</a>	S	Change provisions of Uniform Controlled Substances Act and Pharmacy Practice Act	Kolterman	HHS	01/27/17	02/24/17			
<a href="#">LB167</a>	M	Include cannabidiol as a Schedule V controlled substance	Ebke	Judiciary	01/25/17	01/30/17			Kolterman and Chambers name added

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<a href="#">LB168</a>	M	Change provisions relating to rights of subrogation of medical payments with respect to automobile liability policies	Ebke	Judiciary	02/15/17				
<a href="#">LB173</a>	M	Prohibit discrimination based upon sexual orientation and gender identity	Morfeld	Judiciary	02/22/17	03/01/17			
<a href="#">LB181</a>	M	Provide for reimbursement to employees for certain medical examinations under the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act	Quick	Business & Labor	01/23/17	02/09/17			Quick priority bill
<a href="#">LB190</a>	M	Provide limit on tax on cigars, cheroots, and stogies	Kintner	Revenue					Indefinitely postponed
<a href="#">LB195</a>	N	Require notification following mammography as prescribed	Craighead	HHS	01/20/17	02/08/17			Craighead priority bill
<a href="#">LB203</a>	M	Change provisions relating to maximum annual unemployment benefits and disqualification for benefits	Kuehn	Business & Labor	01/23/17	02/09/17	03/01/17		AM350 adopted; Business & Labor priority bill
<a href="#">LB205</a>	S	Designate funds appropriated to the Department of Health and Human Services for state aid	Krist	Appropriations	03/14/17				
<a href="#">LB206</a>	S	Appropriate funds to the Department of Health and Human Services for developmental disability services	Krist	Appropriations	03/14/17				
<a href="#">LB216</a>	M	Adopt the Redistricting Act	Harr	Executive Board	01/30/17				
<a href="#">LB223</a>	S	Change provisions relating to prescription drug monitoring	Kuehn	HHS	03/23/17				
<a href="#">LB227</a>	M	Create the Brain Injury Council and Brain Injury Trust Fund	Wishart	HHS	02/03/17				
<a href="#">LB242</a>	S	Appropriate funds for the recruitment of students who study to become behavioral health professionals	Bolz	Appropriations	02/27/17				
<a href="#">LB248</a>	M	Adopt the Youth Opportunities in Learning and Occupations Act	Harr	Business & Labor	01/23/17	02/28/17			
<a href="#">LB255</a>	S	Adopt the Dialysis Patient Care Technician Registration Act	Crawford	HHS	01/26/17	02/08/17			
<a href="#">LB267</a>	M	Change provisions relating to onsite vaccinations	Linehan	HHS	01/26/17	02/15/17			
<a href="#">LB268</a>	M	Change provisions relating to medical assistance reimbursement	Schumacher	Judiciary	02/01/17				
<a href="#">LB279</a>	M	Require lap-shoulder belts on school buses as prescribed	Hilkemann	Transportation & Telecommunications	02/27/17				
<a href="#">LB282</a>	M	Change telehealth provisions relating to children's behavioral health	Riepe	HHS	03/08/17				
<a href="#">LB283</a>	S	Change and eliminate provisions relating to licensed practical nurses	Riepe	HHS	02/03/17	02/28/17			
<a href="#">LB285</a>	S	Change and eliminate provisions relating to human immunodeficiency virus testing	Linehan	HHS	01/26/17	03/01/17			

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<a href="#">LB287</a>	M	Provide duties for the State Child and Maternal Death Review Team	Wishart	HHS	02/10/17				
<a href="#">LB293</a>	M	Include U-47700 as a Schedule I controlled substance under the Uniform Controlled Substances Act	Larson	Judiciary	01/25/17	02/06/17			
<a href="#">LB296</a>	M	Change immunity provisions with respect to asthma and allergic reactions	McCollister	Judiciary	01/26/17	03/01/17			
<a href="#">LB297</a>	M	Create Children and Juveniles Data Pilot Project	McCollister	HHS	02/23/17				
<a href="#">LB299</a>	M	Adopt the Occupational Board Reform Act and change procedures for rules and regulations	Ebke	Government, Military & Veterans Affairs	02/24/17				Brewer name added
<a href="#">LB302</a>	M	State intent to appropriate funds for psychiatric and behavioral health medicine fellowships	Crawford	Appropriations	02/27/17				
<a href="#">LB303</a>	M	Appropriate funds to the University of Nebraska to fund behavioral health internships	Crawford	Appropriations	02/27/17				
<a href="#">LB305</a>	M	Adopt the Paid Family Leave Insurance Act	Crawford	Business & Labor	02/06/17				
<a href="#">LB319</a>	M	Provide for confidentiality of and access to certain injury reports under the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act	Halloran	Business & Labor	03/06/17				
<a href="#">LB323</a>	S	Adopt the Palliative Care and Quality of Life Act	Kolterman	HHS	02/03/17	02/14/17			
<a href="#">LB324</a>	M	Adopt the Pharmacy Benefit Fairness and Transparency Act	Kolterman	Banking, Commerce & Insurance	02/27/17				
<a href="#">LB327</a>	M	Appropriate funds for the expenses of Nebraska State Government for the biennium ending June 30, 2019	Scheer at the Request of the Governor	Appropriations	02/21/17				
<a href="#">LB337</a>	M	Change income tax rates and provide for deferrals of the rate changes	Scheer at the Request of the Governor	Revenue	02/08/17				
<a href="#">LB340</a>	M	Transfer powers and duties from Division of Veterans' Homes of Department of Health and Human Services to Department of Veterans' Affairs	Murante at the Request of the Governor	Government, Military & Veterans Affairs	02/15/17				Brewer name added
<a href="#">LB342</a>	S	Adopt the Nurse Licensure Compact and provide for temporary nursing license for military spouses	Erdman at the Request of the Governor	HHS	02/15/17				Brewer & Linehan name added
<a href="#">LB344</a>	M	Change credentialing and regulation of mental health substance abuse centers	Albrecht at the Request of the Governor	HHS	03/01/17				

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<a href="#">LB354</a>	M	Adopt the Wage Disclosure Act	Kolowski	Business & Labor	02/27/17				
<a href="#">LB358</a>	M	Change income eligibility provisions relating to the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program	McCullister	HHS	02/16/17				
<a href="#">LB360</a>	M	Adopt the Surgical Technologist Registry Act	Kolterman	HHS	03/16/17				
<a href="#">LB362</a>	M	Adopt the Health Savings Account Act and provide an income tax deduction	Riepe	Revenue	03/22/17				
<a href="#">LB368</a>	O	Change helmet provisions, change passenger age limits, and require eye protection for operators of motorcycles and mopeds	Lowe	Transportation & Telecommunications	02/06/17	02/13/17			Ebke & Erdman name added; Lowe priority bill
<a href="#">LB372</a>	M	Provide protections for employees with family care responsibilities under the Nebraska Fair Employment Practice Act	Crawford	Business & Labor	02/06/17				
<a href="#">LB391</a>	M	Provide requirements for use of injections and surgical procedures by optometrists	Watermeier	HHS	03/03/17				
<a href="#">LB401</a>	M	Change provisions relating to metabolic screening	Hilkemann	HHS	02/02/17				
<a href="#">LB402</a>		Change provisions of the Nebraska Regulation of Health Professionals Act	Hilkemann	HHS	02/15/17				
<a href="#">LB408</a>	M	Provide for a drug formulary under the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act	Lowe	Business & Labor	03/06/17				
<a href="#">LB417</a>	M	Change and eliminate provisions relating to public health and welfare	Riepe	HHS	02/01/17				
<a href="#">LB420</a>	M	Adopt the Fair Chance Hiring Act	McCullister	Business & Labor	03/13/17				
<a href="#">LB425</a>	S	Change and eliminate provisions relating to the Nurse Practitioner Practice Act	Crawford	HHS	01/27/17	02/09/17			Riepe name added
<a href="#">LB438</a>	S	Increase cigarette and tobacco taxes as prescribed and provide for the distribution of funds	Howard	Revenue	03/17/17				Pansing Brooks, Blood, Crawford, Baker & Kolowski name added
<a href="#">LB439</a>	M	Change licensure and regulation provisions for assisted-living facilities	Wishart	HHS	03/16/17				
<a href="#">LB441</a>	S	Change eligibility provisions under the Medical Assistance Act	Morfeld	HHS	03/08/17				
<a href="#">LB442</a>	S	Create the Medical Assistance Managed Care Organization Oversight Committee	Bolz	Executive Board	02/01/17				
<a href="#">LB450</a>	M	Adopt the Patient Choice at End of Life Act	Chambers	Judiciary	03/15/17				
<a href="#">LB460</a>	M	Change provisions regulating the transportation of clients of the Department of Health and Human Services and other authorized agencies as prescribed	Smith	Transportation & Telecommunications	02/14/17				

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<a href="#">LB464</a>	M	Change provisions of the Administrative Procedure Act relating to rules and regulations	Watermeier	Executive Board	01/26/17	02/02/17			Crawford name added
<a href="#">LB466</a>	M	Change credentialing and regulation of nurse-midwives	Brasch	HHS	03/03/17				
<a href="#">LB473</a>	M	Require rest periods for employees	Walz	Business & Labor	03/13/17				
<a href="#">LB474</a>	M	Require insurance coverage for synchronizing prescription medications	Baker	Banking, Commerce & Insurance	02/13/17				
<a href="#">LB480</a>	M	Provide requirements relating to health benefit plan coverage for insureds in jail custody	McCollister	Banking, Commerce & Insurance	02/13/17				
<a href="#">LB481</a>	M	Provide for drug product selection for interchangeable biological products	Kuehn	HHS	02/02/17	02/24/17			
<a href="#">LB487</a>	M	Provide exception to certain crimes for persons witnessing or experiencing drug overdoses and provide protection from civil liability for emergency responders and peace officers administering naloxone	Morfeld	Judiciary	02/23/17				
<a href="#">LB493</a>	M	Appropriate funds to maintain the Network of Care	Krist	Appropriations	03/14/17				
<a href="#">LB495</a>	M	Change provisions relating to developmental disabilities	Riepe	HHS	02/09/17				
<a href="#">LB501</a>	M	Change prohibition on locations where permitholder may carry a concealed weapon	Brewer	Judiciary	03/08/17				
<a href="#">LB506</a>	M	Adopt the Compassion and Care for Medically Challenging Prenancies Act	Albrecht	HHS	02/10/17				Quick, Kolterman, Halloran, Hilgers & Hilkemann name added
<a href="#">LB513</a>	S	Appropriate funds to provide a base rate increase for certain hospital services as prescribed	Hilkemann	Appropriations	03/13/17				
<a href="#">LB526</a>	M	Change provisions relating to debtor's rights, garnishment, attachment, and other debt collection procedures	Morfeld	Judiciary	02/22/17				
<a href="#">LB552</a>	M	Provide for the Children's Connection program	Walz	HHS	03/17/17				
<a href="#">LB578</a>	M	Change medicaid reimbursement provisions relating to ground emergency medical transportation	McDonnell	HHS	03/15/17				Hilkemann name added
<a href="#">LB586</a>	M	Change requirements for the prescription drug monitoring system	Linehan	HHS	03/23/17				
<a href="#">LB588</a>	M	Exempt reflexology from licensure under the Massage Therapy Practice Act	Crawford	HHS	02/24/17				
<a href="#">LB603</a>	M	Require a high-deductible plan for state employees' health insurance	Riepe	Government, Military & Veterans Affairs	02/22/17				

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<a href="#">LB604</a>	N	Adopt the Nebraska Right to Shop Act and place duties on insurance carriers	Riepe	Banking, Commerce & Insurance	02/27/17				
<a href="#">LB605</a>	M	Change rate provisions relating to the ICF/DD Reimbursement Protection Fund	Riepe	HHS	02/08/17	02/24/17			
<a href="#">LB606</a>	M	Adopt the Volunteer Care Act and change provisions governing remedies for injuries or damages	Riepe	Judiciary	03/23/17				
<a href="#">LB609</a>	O	Provide fee schedules under the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act	Linehan	Business & Labor	03/06/17				
<a href="#">LB611</a>	M	Require state agencies to provide a federal funding inventory	Stinner	Appropriations	03/09/17				Ebke name added
<a href="#">LB612</a>	M	Require direct access to 911 emergency service from certain telephone systems using Internet protocol-enabled services	Wayne	Transportation & Telecommunications	02/21/17				
<a href="#">LB622</a>	M	Adopt the Medical Cannabis Act	Wishart	Judiciary	03/15/17				Wishart priority bill
<a href="#">LB623</a>	M	Change and eliminate provisions and penalties relating to assault on an officer, certain employees, or a health care professional	Wishart	Judiciary	03/03/17				
<a href="#">LB643</a>	M	Change automobile liability insurance and financial responsibility requirements	Krist	Banking, Commerce & Insurance	02/28/17				
<a href="#">LB644</a>	M	Provide, change, and eliminate provisions governing boards, commissions, and similar entities	Government, Military & Veterans Affairs	Judiciary	02/23/17				Chambers MO18 rerefer to Judiciary. Blood name withdrawn.
<a href="#">LB649</a>	M	Prohibit additional services or populations under the medicaid managed care program	Pansing Brooks	HHS	03/17/17				
<a href="#">LB653</a>	M	Adopt the Redistricting Act	Murante	Executive Board	02/13/17				
<a href="#">LB665</a>	M	Require a statement of activity regarding certain lobbying activity	Kuehn	Government, Military & Veterans Affairs	03/22/17				
<a href="#">LR11</a>	S	Interim study to assess the Nebraska medical assistance program and the options for health care reform for Nebraska	Riepe	Executive Board					