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Bill No.	Position	Subject Matter	Introducer	Committee	Hearing Date	Advance Gen. File	Advance Select File	Advance Final Read	Sent to Governor	Notes
LB5	M	Provide immunity for administration of naloxone or other federally approved opioid antagonists	Bosn	Judiciary	1/23/2025					
LB10	M	Change requirements relating to wholesale drug distributors and dispensing of certain prescription drugs	Hughes	HHS	1/22/2025	1/29/2025	2/5/2025	2/19/2025	3/6/2025	
LB22	S	Require the Department of Health and Human Services to file a state plan amendment for evidenced-based nurse home-visitation services	Dungan	HHS	1/23/2025	2/5/2025	2/10/2025	3/11/2025	4/3/2025	letter
LB26	S	Include certain hospital and health clinic employees within statutes protecting health care professionals from assault	Ballard	Judiciary	1/23/2025	3/31/2025	4/16/2025			NHA Priority Bill
LB27	M	Change provisions of the Rural Health Systems and Professional Incentive Act	Ballard	HHS	1/22/2025					
LB29	M	Create a review process for agency rules and regulations	Conrad	Government	2/12/2025	4/15/2025	4/23/2025	5/8/2025	5/14/2025	AM to LB660
LB41	S	Change blood test requirements for pregnant women	Riepe	HHS	1/23/2025	2/5/2025	2/10/2025	2/25/2025	4/3/2025	letter
LB42	M	Provide for employment of nurse aides in intellectual and developmental disability facilities	Riepe	HHS	1/23/2025	1/29/2025	2/5/2025	2/19/2025	3/6/2025	
LB45	M	Provide for grants for job programs for historically underserved youth	McKinney	Business	2/10/2025					
LB55	M	State intent regarding appropriations for medicaid rates for mental health providers	Dorn	Approps	3/11/2025					
LB56	M	Require medical facilities and mortuaries to comply with requests for blood draws relating to certain deceased persons	Dorn	Judiciary	3/19/2025					
LB57	M	State intent regarding appropriations for medicaid assisted-living facilities	Dorn	Approps	3/11/2025					
LB64	S	Change eligibility requirements for medicare supplement policies	Fredrickson	BCI	2/24/2025					letter
LB66	M	Adopt the Uniform Health-Care Decisions Act	DeBoer	Judiciary	2/4/2025	3/19/2025				
LB67	M	Adopt the Sexual Assault Emergency Care Act	Raybould	HHS	3/14/2025					
LB68	M	Provide insurance and medicaid coverage for certain contraceptives	Raybould	BCI	2/24/2025					
LB77	S	Adopt the Ensuring Transparency in Prior Authorization Act	Bostar	BCI	2/10/2025	4/28/2025	5/9/2025	5/21/2025	5/30/2025	NHA Priority Bill
LB104	M	Adopt the Family Home Visitation Act	Raybould	HHS	2/7/2025	2/5/2025	2/10/2025	3/17/2025	4/3/2025	AM to LB22
LB109	S	Prohibit certain provisions in insurance policies and health plans relating to clinician-administered drugs and change provisions relating to pharmacy benefit managers	Bostar	BCI	2/10/2025	4/29/2025	5/1/2025	5/8/2025	5/14/2025	NHA Priority Bill to LB198 AM
LB110	N	Provide requirements for pelvic examinations	Hughes	HHS	1/31/2025	4/8/2025				letter
LB115	S	Increase the income tax credit and change the qualification criteria under the Volunteer Emergency Responders Incentive Act	Ballard	Revenue	1/24/2025					letter

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LB118	M	Change supervising authority for a pharmacist	Hardin	HHS	1/29/2025	2/4/2025	2/7/2025	2/25/2025	3/6/2025	
LB119	M	Provide requirements for the Rural Health Opportunity Program and provide tuition waivers	Hardin	HHS	1/29/2025	3/11/2025	4/2/2025	4/23/2025	5/14/2025	AM to LB332
LB138	M	Change provisions relating to pharmacy dispensing fees under the Medical Assistance Act	Riepe	HHS	1/29/2025					
LB153	M	Require the Department of Health and Human Services to file a state plan amendment for postpartum coverage	Guereca	HHS	3/14/2025					
LB158	S	Provide requirements for health carriers or pharmacy benefit managers regarding out-of-pocket maximums and cost-sharing requirements	Wordekemper	HHS	3/3/2025					
LB168	S	Adopt the 340B Contract Pharmacy Protection Act	Hardin	BCI	2/4/2025	2/12/2025	3/5/2025	3/19/2025	4/3/2025	NHA Priority Bill
LB169	M	Eliminate certain sales and use tax exemptions and impose sales and use tax on certain services	Brandt	Revenue	3/13/2025					O as written, M w/ AM
LB174	M	Change provisions relating to garnishment of wages for medical debt	Prokop	Judiciary	1/24/2025					
LB188	S	State intent to appropriate for medicaid nursing facility rates	Dover	Approps	3/11/2025					
LB189	M	Adopt the Paid Family and Medical Leave Insurance Act	M. Cavanaugh	Business	3/17/2025					letter
LR10CA	O	Constitutional amendment to require the state to impose a consumption tax or an excise tax on all new goods and services and to provide a tax exemption for grocery items	Hardin	Revenue						
LR11CA	O	Constitutional amendment to prohibit governmental entities from imposing any taxes other than retail consumption taxes and excise taxes	Hardin	Revenue						
LB198	S	Change provisions of the Pharmacy Benefit Manager Licensure and Regulation Act	Sorrentino	BCI	3/3/2025	4/29/2025	5/7/2025	5/1/2025	5/14/2025	
LB202	M	Exempt certain activities from disciplinary action under the Medicine and Surgery Practice Act	Kauth	HHS	3/5/2025	3/18/2025				
LB203	M	Change powers and duties of health directors in certain local public health departments	Kauth	HHS	2/7/2025	3/18/2025				
LB204	M	Adopt the Biometric Autonomy Liberty Law	Kauth	BCI	3/17/2025					
LB210	N	Provide for fees and assessments for participation and use of the prescription drug monitoring program and the designated health information exchange	Riepe	HHS	3/6/2025					
LB214	M	Provide for the use of newborn safety devices and procedures relating to surrendered newborn infants	Holdcroft	HHS	3/6/2025					
LB241	M	Provide immunity from liability for cybersecurity events	Hallstrom	BCI	2/3/2025	2/6/2025	2/12/2025	3/13/2025	3/17/2025	

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LB252	M	Prohibit disadvantaging insurance and Medicaid coverage for nonopioid drugs	Bostar	BCI	2/24/2025					
LB253	S	Provide for insurance and medicaid coverage of biomarker testing	Bostar	BCI	2/24/2025	3/6/2025	5/9/2025	5/21/2025	5/30/2025	AM to LB198
LB260	M	Provide, change, and eliminate provisions relating to appropriations	Arch	Approps	2/18/2025	4/29/2025	5/7/2025	5/9/2025	5/13/2025	
LB261	M	Appropriate funds for the expenses of Nebraska State Government for the biennium ending June 30, 2027, and appropriate Federal Funds allocated to the State of Nebraska pursuant to the federal American Rescue Plan Act of 2021	Arch	Approps	2/18/2025	4/29/2025	5/6/2025	5/12/2025	5/15/2025	testify
LB264	M	Provide, change, and eliminate transfers from the Cash Reserve Fund and various other funds and change, terminate, and eliminate various statutory programs	Arch	Approps	2/18/2025	4/29/2025	5/7/2025	5/12/2025	5/15/2025	letter
LB273	M	Change provisions relating to a power of attorney for health care	Hunt	Judiciary	3/27/2025					
LB278	S	Change requirements for certain insurance policies and contracts	von Gillern	BCI	2/25/2025	3/11/2025	4/9/2025	4/23/2025	5/14/2025	NE Med testifier
LB281	M	Change provisions relating to the Board of Nursing and eliminate the Board of Advanced Practice Registered Nurses	Quick	HHS	2/19/2025					
LB283	M	Require the Department of Health and Human Services to implement express lane eligibility	Spivey	HHS	3/13/2025					
LB305	S	Adopt the Preceptorship Tax Credit Act	Ibach	Revenue	1/30/2025	3/11/2025				letter
LB308	S	Adopt the Health Care Staffing Agency Registration Act	Ibach	Business	1/27/2025					testimony
LB310	O	Provide an exemption from newborn screening for certain diseases or conditions	Hansen	HHS	1/30/2025					testifier
LB312	S	Provide for student loans to students in nurse anesthesia practice programs and loan repayments for nurse anesthetists under the Rural Health Systems and Professional Incentive Act	Strommen	HHS	2/7/2025	2/10/2025	2/27/2025	3/11/2025	4/3/2025	
LB313	M	Change provisions under the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act relating to subrogation of third-party claims and the distribution of proceeds in the settlement of third-party claims	Ibach	B&L	3/10/2025					
LB322	S	Prohibit assault on a frontline behavioral health staff and clarify provisions relating to assault on officers, emergency responders, certain employees, and health care professionals	Clouse	Judiciary	2/12/2025	3/31/2025	4/16/2025	4/23/2025	5/14/2025	Includes LB26
LB326	M	Change provisions relating to the Unfair Insurance Trade Practices Act, the Nebraska Property and Liability Insurance Guaranty Association Act, and mutual insurance holding companies and eliminate the provisions of the Health Insurance Access Act and the Health Care Purchasing Pool Act	Jacobson	BCI	1/21/2025	2/18/2025	3/12/2025	3/28/2025	4/8/2025	

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LB331	O	Adopt the Nebraska EPIC Option Consumption Tax Act and terminate tax provisions	Hardin	Revenue						
LB332	M	Require medicaid coverage for psychology services provided by certain practitioners	Hardin	HHS	2/19/2025	3/20/2025	4/2/2025	4/23/2025	5/14/2025	
LB338	S	Prohibit the use of genetic information for life insurance, disability insurance, and long-term care insurance	Wordekemper	BCI	2/11/2025					
LB361	M	Changes to the Nebraska Fair Employment Practice Act to provide for jury trials and prohibit discrimination for exercise of rights under the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act.	Conrad	Business	3/10/2025					
LB369	M	Allow persons eighteen years of age to make health care decisions and persons under nineteen years of age in correctional facilities to consent to medical and mental health care	Hunt	Judiciary	2/7/2025					
LB374	O	Adopt the Licensed Midwives Practice Act	Hansen	HHS	2/5/2025	3/18/2025				AM to LB676
LB376	M	Change and eliminate programs and services administered by the Department of Health and Human Services and eliminate various reporting requirements	HHS Committee	HHS	2/19/2025	2/28/2025	5/14/2025	5/21/2025	5/30/2025	
LB380	S	Establish requirements for Department of Health and Human Services' contractors providing medical assistance services	Fredrickson	HHS	2/26/2025	3/26/2025	4/2/2025	4/30/2025	5/28/2025	letter
LB382	M	Provide for use of the Medicaid Managed Care Excess Profit Fund to reimburse designated area agencies on aging and state intent regarding appropriations	Meyer	HHS	2/19/2025	3/14/2025	4/3/2025	5/8/2025	5/28/2025	letter
LB386	M	Adopt the Regional Mental Health Expansion Pilot Program Act, provide for videoconferencing of hearings under the Nebraska Mental Health Commitment Act and the Sex Offender Commitment Act, provide for detention of certain persons at mental health beds in jails, and change provisions relating to hearings and rights of confrontation	Storer	Judiciary	3/28/2025	5/13/2025	5/27/2025	5/28/2025	5/30/2025	AM to LB150
LB410	M	Require insurance coverage of prosthetics and orthotics	J. Cavanaugh	BCI	3/10/2025					
LB415	M	Change provisions of the Nebraska Healthy Families and Workplaces Act	Ballard	Business	2/24/2025	3/11/2025	3/28/2025	5/14/2025	5/29/2025	
LB434	M	Change fees for fireworks display permits, fireworks sales licenses, fire alarm inspector certification, late submittal of remodel or construction plans, fire safety inspections, fire protection system contractor certificates, heating oil tank registration, and underground storage tank installation permits and registration	Wordekemper	Government	3/6/2025	4/15/2025	4/23/2025	5/9/2025	5/28/2025	

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LB436	S	Change provisions of the Nebraska Regulation of Health Professions Act	HHS Comm	HHS	2/20/2025					letter
LB437	O	Repeal the Nebraska Health Care Certificate of Need Act	Riepe	HHS	3/12/2025	3/18/2025				testify
LB446	S	Change provisions relating to release of health data and statistical research information	Guereca	HHS	2/27/2025					letter
LB455	M	Provide for confidentiality of and access to certain injury reports under the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act	Hallstrom	Business	3/10/2025					
LB456	M	Provide for a patient's waiver for the release of employee hospital and medical records under the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act	Hallstrom	Business	3/10/2025					
LB462	M	Change reporting requirements relating to child abuse or neglect, parental rights, and juvenile court jurisdiction	McKinney	Judiciary	2/7/2025					
LB467	M	Provide a duty to implement a prior authorization application programming interface under the Utilization Review Act	Riepe	BCI	2/10/2025					
LB512	M	Adopt the Chemical Abortion Safety Protocol Act	Holdcroft	HHS	2/13/2025	3/14/2025				
LB515	M	Provide requirements for certain prescription refills	Quick	HHS	2/21/2025	4/2/2025	4/2/2025	4/23/2025	5/14/2025	AM to LB332
LB527	S	Adopt the Medicaid Access and Quality Act, redefine health benefit plan under the Nebraska Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Association Act, and change provisions relating to taxes on health maintenance organizations, prepaid limited health service organizations, and insurance companies	Jacobson	BCI	2/4/2025	2/6/2025	2/11/2025	2/28/2025	4/3/2025	
LB532	M	Require employers to use E-Verify, prohibit knowingly hiring an unauthorized alien, and provide for discipline against employers' licenses	Kauth	Business	3/3/2025	3/19/2025	4/15/2025			
LB533	O	Provide requirements relating to clinician-administered drugs under the Pharmacy Benefit Manager Licensure and Regulation Act	Kauth	Banking	3/3/2025					
LB535	S	Prohibit assault on a frontline behavioral health provider or health care worker and clarify provisions relating to assault on officers, emergency responders, certain employees, and health care professionals	Kauth	Judiciary	2/12/2025					
LB553	M	Change provisions of the Rural Health Systems and Professional Incentive Act	Riepe	HHS	2/28/2025					
LB554	S	Create the Nebraska Health Professions Commission	Riepe	HHS	2/20/2025					letter
LB565	M	Provide and change requirements relating to agency guidance documents	Quick	Government	2/12/2025					

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LB569	S	Change duties of the Board of Emergency Medical Services	HHS Committee	HHS	2/20/2025					
LB570	S	Provide for scholarships for nursing students	J. Cavanaugh	HHS	2/20/2025					
LB577	M	Change licensure requirements for remote dispensing pharmacies and verification requirements for pharmacists	Dorn	HHS						
LB581	M	Appropriate funds to the Department of Health and Human Services	M. Cavanaugh	Approps	3/17/2025					
LB583	M	Change provisions relating to the rate and disbursement of the documentary stamp tax, the Child Care Grant Fund, child care grants, the Military Installation Development and Support Fund, the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, the Innovation Hub Cash Fund, the Economic Recovery Contingency Fund, and the Health Care Homes for the Medically Underserved Fund	Spivey	Revenue	2/21/2025					
LB610	S	Change provisions relating to supplemental reimbursement for ground emergency medical transport under the Medical Assistance Act	Bostar	HHS	2/27/2025	3/12/2025	4/2/2025	4/30/2025	5/28/2025	letter
LB621	M	State legislative intent regarding appropriations and provide for transfers from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund	Dover	Approps	3/17/2025					
LB627	M	Provide for a capital construction project for the University of Nebraska	Dover	Approps	2/25/2025					
LB630	M	Provide and change scope of practice requirements under the Occupational Therapy Practice Act	Hansen	HHS	3/6/2025	3/27/2025	3/31/2025	4/23/2025	5/14/2025	AM to LB257
LB632	M	Require a health care facility to dispose of the remains of aborted unborn children	Hansen	HHS	3/6/2025	3/14/2025				
LB642	M	Adopt the Artificial Intelligence Consumer Protection Act	Bostar	Judiciary	2/6/2025					
LB651	M	Change provisions of the Nebraska Medical Cannabis Patient Protection Act and the Nebraska Medical Cannabis Regulation Act and provide for regulation of medical cannabis	Conrad	General Affairs	3/3/2025					
LB655	O	Provide for medical conscience-based objections	Murman	HHS	2/21/2025					
LB664	M	Change the Administrative Procedure Act to require agencies to allow for public comment and submissions on proposed rules and regulations and change permissible venue for civil actions challenging rules and regulations	Storer	Government	2/12/2025	4/15/2025	4/23/2025	5/8/2025	5/14/2025	AM to LB660
LB676	N/O	Change and eliminate provisions relating to certified nurse midwives and provide for applicability of the Nebraska Hospital-Medical Liability Act	Hansen	HHS	2/20/2025	3/18/2025				Opposed Introduced/Neutral with AM

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LB697	M	Change requirements relating to compounding and delegated dispensing permits under the Pharmacy Practice Act	Strommen	HHS	2/21/2025	4/2/2025	4/2/2025	4/23/2025	5/14/2025	AM to LB332
LB698	M	Change provisions of the Nebraska Healthy Families and Workplaces Act	Strommen	Business	2/3/2025	4/2/2025	4/2/2025	4/23/2025	5/14/2025	AM to LB415
LB701	S	Provide for reimbursement of doula services by the Department of Health and Human Services	McKinney	HHS	2/28/2025					letter
LR124	M	Interim study to examine the role of a pharmacy benefit manager within the Nebraska health insurance industry and the impact on prescription drug prices	Jacobson	BCI	4/6/2025					
LR188	M	Interim study to examine the significance of the state financial partnership with the federal government in delivering health services to Nebraskans through the medicaid program	Dorn		5/14/2025					
LR191	M	Interim study to examine issues within the jurisdiction of the Health and Human Services Committee	Hardin		5/14/2025					
LR197	M	Interim study to examine violence in behavioral health settings	Kauth		5/14/2025					
LR208	M	Interim study to examine the impact of mobile services on the delivery of health care services	Hardin		5/15/2025					
LR209	M	Interim study to examine the funding sources of skilled nursing facilities throughout Nebraska	Hardin		5/15/2025					
LR210	M	Interim study to examine and compare how health information exchanges work in other states	Hardin		5/15/2025					
LR231	M	Interim study to examine access to dental care and explore strategies to improve oral health in rural and other underserved areas of Nebraska	Riepe		5/15/2025					
LR232	M	Interim study to examine regulatory restrictions and opportunities in medical education in order to strengthen the medical workforce in rural and other underserved areas of Nebraska	Riepe		5/15/2025					
LR237	S	Interim study to examine the data collection and reporting structure for emergency medical services data	Wordekemper		5/15/2025					
LR245	M	Interim study to examine the feasibility, accessibility, and potential benefits of licensed freestanding birth centers in Nebraska	Spivey		5/15/2025					