



PARTNERS IN CRISIS: Introduced Legislation of Interest in 2025-2026

As of January 31, 2026

HOUSE

HB 4095 Health Insurance

Noah Arbit

Requires insurance providers to panel a mental health provider within a certain time period of application process. To amend 1956 PA 218 (MCL 500.100 to 500.8302) by adding section 3406ss.

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4095>

2/20/25 introduced, read first time, referred to Insurance Committee.

No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4218 Mental Health

Jamie Thompson

Modifies recipient rights advisory committee membership to add Disability Rights Michigan, MHAM, and the Arc Michigan. Amends secs. 100d & 756 of 1974 PA 258 (MCL 330.1100d & 330.1756). Text & Analysis:

<https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4218>

3/13/2025 introduced, referred to Health Policy, electronically reproduced.

6/4/2025 reported with recommendation without amendment, referred to second reading. No further action as of 06/24/25.

7/24/2025 second reading, placed on third reading.

07/24/25 House Analysis as reported from Committee.

9/04/2025 passed with Subst H-2, given immediate effect: Yeas 70 Nays 35 Excused 0 Not Voting 5 9/09/2025 passed by house with immediate effect, in Senate, referred to Housing & Human Services No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4219 Mental Health *Pending in Senate*

Jamie Thompson

Provides for informed consent for mental health treatment, requires oral and written communications to the patient (currently only orally) to include a process to allow a patient to end voluntary mental health treatment.

Amends sec. 416 of 1974 PA 258 (MCL 330.1416).

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4219>

3/13/2025 introduced, referred to Health Policy, electronically reproduced.

6/4/2025 reported with recommendation with substitute H-1, referred to second reading

7/24/2025 second reading, substitute (H-1) adopted, placed on third reading.

9/04/2025 passed with Subst H-2, given immediate effect: Yeas 103 Nays 2 Excused 0 Not Voting 5

9/09/2025 passed by house with immediate effect, in Senate, referred to Housing & Human Services No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4227 Education Safety**Parker Fairbairn**

To require each intermediate school district to employ 1 emergency and safety manager and at least 1 mental health coordinator, amends 1976 PA 451 (MCL 380.1 - 380.1852) by adding sec. 1308g.

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4227>

3/12/2025 introduced, referred to Education and Workforce

4/16/2025 reported with recommendation with substitute H-2, referred to second reading

5/7/2025 Substitute H-2 adopted, placed on third reading 5/14/2025 House Analysis as reported from Committee, referred to Committee on Rules.

No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4277 Health Licensing *Pending in Senate***Matt Bierlein**

To remove questions pertaining to mental health from licensing applications, providing alternate questions, amends sec. 16177 of 1978 PA 368 (MCL 333.16177).

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4277>

3/20/2025 introduced, referred to Health Policy, electronically reproduced 3/25/2025

6/04/2025 reported with recommendation without amendment, referred to second reading.

12/16/25 read second time, placed on third reading,

12/17/25 read third time, passed; given immediate effect, transmitted 01/14/26 PASSED BY HOUSE WITH IMMEDIATE EFFECT, referred to Senate Health Policy.

No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4412 Mental Health Hospitalization**Donni Steele**

Revises person requiring treatment and modifies certain procedures for treatment.

Amends secs. 401, 427, 430, 461, 468, 472a & 475 of 1974 PA 258 (MCL 330.1401 et seq.)

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4412>

5/1/2025 Introduced, first reading, referred to Health Policy, reproduced on 5/06/2025.

12/10/25 House Analysis as introduced.

01/21/26 reported with recommendation with substitute H-1 and referred to second reading. No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4413 Outpatient Treatment**Mark Tisdell**

Expands who may file a petition for assisted outpatient treatment

Amends secs. 206a & 429 of 1974 PA 258 (MCL 330.1206a & 330.1429).

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4413>

5/1/2025 Introduced, first reading, referred to Health Policy, reproduced on 5/06/2025.

12/10/25 House Analysis as introduced.

01/21/26 reported with recommendation without amendment, referred to second reading. No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4414 Outpatient Treatment**Thomas Kuhn**

Provides outpatient treatment for misdemeanor offenders with mental health issues

Amends 1974 PA 258 (MCL 330.1001 - 330.2106) by adding sec. 1021 & ch. 10A.

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4414>

5/1/2025 Introduced, first reading, referred to Health Policy, reproduced on 5/06/2025.

01/21/26 reported with recommendation without amendment, referred to second reading. No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4418 Probate *Pending in Senate***Jamie Thompson**

Allows designation of a patient surrogate for health care decisions. Tie barred with 4419.

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4418>

5/1/225 Introduced, first reading, referred to Judiciary

6/11/25 reported with recommendation with substitute H-2, referred to second reading.

9/18/25 substitute H-2, adopted and amended, placed on third reading and immediate passage, read third time; passed with immediate effect and transmitted: 98/0, 12 not voting.

9/22/25 PASSED BY HOUSE WITH IMMEDIATE EFFECT, referred to Civil Rights, Judiciary, and Public Safety

1/29/26 Senate Analysis of bill in committee. From the introduction: The bills would establish the process for an adult or emancipated individual (patient) to designate an individual other than a patient advocate or guardian as a surrogate to make a health care decision ...The designation could be made to a health care professional in any form of communication. The bills would prescribe a surrogate's authority and specify how a surrogate designation could be made, including a priority list for such a selection and how to resolve a dispute in the selection process. They also would prescribe ineligible or disqualified individuals. The bills would create legal protections for health care providers that acted in good faith regarding decisions made by individuals with the apparent authority to make decisions as a surrogate or patient advocate. They also would prescribe penalties for health care providers that violated the bills' provisions and for individuals who fraudulently claimed patient advocate designations. Finally, the bills would include surrogates and patient advocates among those authorized to consent for incapacitated individuals under the Social Welfare Act.

1/29/26 reported favorably with substitute (S-3) and referred to committee of the whole with (A-3). No further action as of 01/31/26.

Further note: Support by the Michigan AG for HBs 4418, 4419, 4734:

<https://www.michigan.gov/ag/news/press-releases/2025/09/18/attorney-general-nessel-applauds-house-passage-of-surrogate-consent-statute-legislation>

Also support from the State Bar Elder Law & Disability Rights Section and support with recommended amendments by the Probate and Estate Planning Section.

HB 4419 Probate *Pending in Senate***Angela Witwer**

Allows designation of a patient surrogate for health care decisions. Tie barred with 4418. Adds two new sections, providing (1) immunity from civil and criminal liability or disciplinary misconduct for provider acting in good faith, (2) damages up to \$1000 and attorney fees for violation.

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4419>

5/1/2025 Introduced, first reading, referred to Judiciary.

6/11/2025 reported with recommendation without amendment, referred to second reading.

9/18/2025 read second time, placed on third reading and immediate passage, read third time; passed with immediate effect and transmitted: Yeas 98 Nays 0 Excused 0 Not Voting 12

9/22/2025 passed by House with immediate effect, referred to Civil Rights, Judiciary, and Public Safety

9/22/25 PASSED BY HOUSE WITH IMMEDIATE EFFECT, referred to Civil Rights, Judiciary, and Public Safety

1/29/26 Senate Analysis of bill in committee.

1/29/26 reported favorably without amendment, referred to committee of the whole with (A-3). No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4530 Mental Health: release records pertinent to child abuse or neglect**Laurie Pohutsky**

Mental health: other; deadline for mental health professionals to release mental health records or information pertinent to child abuse or neglect investigation to the department; modify. Amends sec. 748a of 1974 PA 258 (MCL 330.1748a). TIE BAR with: HB 4531'25 Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4530>

6/03/2025 Introduced, first reading, referred to Families and Veterans, reproduced.

10/27/25 House Analysis as introduced: HB4530, HB4531.

12/09/2025 reported with recommendation with substitute (H-1), referred to second reading. No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4534 Criminal Procedure: provides AOT for certain patients**Phil Green**

Provides assisted outpatient treatment diversion program for certain patients with mental illness. Amends sec. 461 of 1974 PA 258 (MCL 330.1461) & adds sec. 1021 & ch. 10A. TIE BAR with: HB 4532'25, HB 4533'25, HB 4535'25

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4534>

6/03/2025 Introduced, first reading, referred to Judiciary, reproduced.

No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4535 Courts: eligibility for mental health court**Kara Hope**

Modifies eligibility for mental health court. Amends sec. 1093 of 1961 PA 236 (MCL 600.1093).

TIE BAR with HB 4532'25, HB 4533'25

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4535>

6/03/2025 Introduced, first reading, referred to Judiciary, reproduced.

No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4608 Mental Health**Jason Morgan**

Amends certain in the mental health code to make language gender neutral.
Amends sec. 800 of 1974 PA 258 (MCL 330.1800). TIE BAR with: HJR F'25
Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4608>
6/10/2025 introduced, first reading, referred to Government Operations, reproduced.
No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4633 Guardians and Conservators**Penelope Tsernoglou**

Modifies duties of guardians, conservators, and guardians ad litem.
Text & Analysis: <https://www.legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4633>
6/10/2025 introduced, first reading, referred to Families and Veterans
No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4634 Guardians and Conservators**Doug Wozniak**

Modifies appointment procedure.
Text & Analysis: <https://www.legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4634>
6/10/2025 introduced, first reading, referred to Families and Veterans
No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4635 Guardians and Conservators**Matt Bierlein**

Modifies appointment of a temporary guardian procedure and modifies procedure for removing a conservator.
Text & Analysis: <https://www.legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4635>
6/10/2025 introduced, first reading, referred to Families and Veterans
No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4676 Mental health: guardians; after least restrictive means**Sharon MacDonell**

Requires appointing certain guardians after considering least restrictive means.
Amends sec. 602 of 1974 PA 258 (MCL 330.1602).
Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4676>
6/25/2025 introduced, read first time, referred to Families and Veterans, electronically reproduced
07/28/25 HFA Summary as Introduced, analyzes HB4676, HB4677
8/13/2025 reported with recommendation with substitute (H-1), referred to second reading. No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4677 Probate: guardians and conservators**Douglas Wozniak**

Creates provision for supported decision-making agreements. Amends sec. 5303 of 1998 PA 386 (MCL 700.5303).
Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4677>
6/25/2025 introduced, read first time, referred to Families and Veterans, electronically reproduced
07/28/25 HFA Summary as Introduced, analyzes HB4676, HB4677
8/13/2025 reported with recommendation with substitute (H-1), referred to second reading. No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4683 Insurance: health insurers**Mike McFall**

Modifies prior authorization requirements for mental health and substance use disorder. Amends sec. 3425 of 1956 PA 218 (MCL 500.3425).

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4683>

6/25/2025 introduced, read first time, referred to Insurance, electronically reproduced.

No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4685 Insurance: health insurers**Mike McFall**

Provides for collaborative care model for mental health care. Amends 1956 PA 218 (MCL 500.100 - 500.8302) by adding sec. 3406uu.

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4685>

6/25/2025 introduced, read first time, referred to Insurance, electronically reproduced.

No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4727 Guardians and Conservators**Jimmie Wilson Jr.**

Provides licensure of professional guardians and conservators.

Text & Analysis: <https://www.legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4727>

7/15/25 introduced, read first time and referred to Families and Veterans

9/16/25 Reported in House without amendment, referred to second reading

11/03/25 House Analysis as reported from Committee: HB4727, HB4728, HB4729,

HB4959. No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4728 Guardians and Conservators**Kathy Schmaltz**

Requires licensure of professional guardians and conservators.

Text & Analysis: <https://www.legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4728>

7/15/25 introduced, read first time and referred to Families and Veterans.

9/16/2025 Reported in House with substitute (H-1), referred to second reading.

11/03/25 House Analysis as reported from Committee: HB4727, HB4728, HB4729, HB4959.

No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4729 Mental health: guardians; Probate: guardians and conservators**Curtis VanderWall**

Mental health: guardians; appointment of guardians; modify. Amends sec. 628 of 1974 PA 258 (MCL 330.1628). TIE BAR with HB 4728'25

Provides requirements for when professional guardians are appointed, mandatory employee certification, restricts scope of powers of its employees.

AI Summary from billtrack50.com: <https://www.billtrack50.com/billdetail/1901296>:

Modifies the Mental Health Code on appointment of guardians for individuals with developmental disabilities by establishing a more structured process for selecting guardians. It prioritizes professional guardians (licensed individuals or organizations under the occupational code) and requires that guardians be either a licensed professional guardian or a suitable person willing to serve if no licensed professional is available.

Starting two years after the bill's effective date, courts will be prohibited from appointing guardians who are not licensed or do not employ licensed professionals, and employees of professional guardians will be prevented from making independent decisions on behalf of individuals with developmental disabilities unless they are personally licensed. The bill

maintains the existing requirement that courts make reasonable efforts to consult the individual with a developmental disability about their guardian preference and consider their input. Language is updated to prevent service-providing agencies from being appointed as guardians except in rare circumstances where no other suitable option exists, with the goal of ensuring more qualified and independent guardianship for individuals with developmental disabilities.

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4729>

7/15/2025 Introduced, read first time, referred to Families and Veterans, reproduced on 7/22/2025.

9/16/2025 reported with recommendation without amendment, referred to second reading

11/03/25 House Analysis as reported from Committee: HB4727, HB4728, HB4729, HB4959. No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4739 Insurance Coverage

Will Snyder

Requires coverage for diagnosis of autism spectrum disorders and treatment of autism spectrum disorders.

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4739>

7/15/2025 Introduced, referred to Insurance, reproduced 7/22/25.

No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4752 Mental Health: allows Conversion Therapy

Josh Schriver

Mental health: children to allow conversion therapy. Amends sec. 100a of 1974 PA 258 (MCL 330.1100a) & repeals sec. 901a of 1974 PA 258 (MCL 330.1901a).

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4752>

7/29/2025 Introduced, referred to Government Operations, reproduced 8/12/25.

No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4776 Mental Health: children, allows Conversion Therapy

Brad Paquette

To allow conversion therapy

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4776>

8/20/2025 introduced, read first time, referred to Government Operations, reproduced 8/21/25. No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 4857 Health: Confidentiality

William Bruck

Modifies critical incident stress management services. Amends secs. 20981 & 20982 of 1978 PA 368 (MCL 333.20981 & 333.20982).

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-4857>

9/9/2025 introduced, read first time, referred to Health Policy

10/22/2025 reported with recommendation without amendment, referred to second reading.

11/12/25 placed on third reading, placed on immediate passage, read a third time, passed; given immediate effect, transmitted.

11/12/25 House Fiscal Agency Analysis as reported from Committee

12/02/25 PASSED BY HOUSE WITH IMMEDIATE EFFECT, referred to Senate Health Policy

No further action as of 01/31/26.

HB 5196 PrisonerMental Health**Stephanie Young**

Provides for screening and treatment for post traumatic prison disorder and requires certain other mental health screening, planning, and treatment of incarcerated individuals. Amends sec. 67 of 1953 PA 232 (MCL 791.267) & adds secs. 34e, 67c & 67d. Requires a psychiatric evaluation within 7 days of an individual's arrival in Reception, with an assessment for a significant diagnosis.

Adds requirement for a prerelease mental health discharge plan before release on parole. [Pat's question: but not if maxing out?]

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-HB-5196>

10/30/2025 Introduced, to Judiciary.

No further action as of 01/31/26.

SENATE**SB 0142 Mental Health****Michael Webber**

Mental health: other; recipient rights advisory committee membership
Amends secs. 100d & 756 of 1974 PA 258 (MCL 330.1100d & 330.1756).

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-SB-0142>

3/12/2025 Introduced, referred to Housing and Human Services.

No further action as of 01/31/26.

SB 0143 Mental Health**Rick Outman**

Mental health: recipient rights; informed consent requirements for mental health treatment.

Amends sec. 416 of 1974 PA 258 (MCL 330.1416).

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-SB-0143>

3/12/2025 Introduced, referred to Housing and Human Services.

No further action as of 01/31/26.

SB 0219 Mental health: hospitalization *Pending in House, Health Policy***Kevin Hertel**

Revises person requiring treatment; and modifies certain procedures for treatment.

Amends secs. 401, 427, 430, 461, 468, 472a & 475 of 1974 PA 258 (MCL 330.1401 et seq.).

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-SB-0219>

4/17/2025 Introduced, referred to Health Policy

5/8/2025 Referred to Committee of the Whole

5/20/2025 reported favorably with S-1, concurred in, placed on 3rd reading with S-1

5/21/2025 PASSED IN SENATE 149/37, received in House, first reading, referred to Health Policy

8/15/25 Senate Analysis as passed by the Senate, analyzes SB219, SB220, SB221, SB222.

No further action as of 01/31/26.

SB 0220 Mental Health: AOT *Pending in House, Health Policy*

Jeff Irwin

Expands hospital evaluations for assisted outpatient treatment (AOT)
Amends secs. 206a & 429 of 1974 PA 258 (MCL 330.1206a & 330.1429).
Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-SB-0220>
4/17/2025 Introduced, referred to Health Policy
5/8/2025 Referred to Committee of the Whole
5/20/2025 reported favorably with S-1, concurred in, placed on 3rd reading with S-1
5/21/2025 passed 149/37, received in House, referred to Health Policy.
8/15/25 Senate Analysis as passed by the Senate, analyzes SB219, SB220, SB221, SB222.
No further action as of 01/31/26.

SB 0221 Criminal Procedure; mental capacity *Pending in House, Health Policy* **Sylvia Santana**

Provides for outpatient treatment for misdemeanor offenders with mental health issues
Amends 1974 PA 258 (MCL 330.1001 - 330.2106) by adding sec. 1021 & ch. 10A.
TIE BAR with SB 0219'25
Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-SB-0221>
4/17/2025 Introduced, referred to Health Policy
5/8/2025 Referred to Committee of the Whole
5/20/2025 reported favorably with S-1, concurred in, placed on 3rd reading with S-1
5/21/2025 passed 37/0, received in House, referred to Health Policy
8/15/25 Senate Analysis as passed by the Senate, analyzes SB219, SB220, SB221, SB222.
No further action as of 01/31/26.

SB 0222 Assisted Outpatient Treatment *Pending in House, Health Policy*

Paul Wojno

Expands who may certify petitions for access to assisted outpatient treatment (AOT) to additional health providers beyond psychiatrists. Amends sec. 473 of 1974 PA 258 (MCL 330.1473).
Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-SB-0222>
4/17/2025 Introduced, referred to Health Policy
5/8/2025 Referred to Committee of the Whole
5/20/2025 reported favorably with S-1, concurred in, placed on 3rd reading with S-1
5/21/2025 passed 37/0, received in House, read first time, referred to Health Policy
8/15/25 Senate Analysis as passed by the Senate, analyzes SB219, SB220, SB221, SB222.
No further action as of 01/31/26.

SB 316 Hospitalization

Roger Hauck

Requires assessment by preadmission screening unit of individual being considered for hospitalization within certain period after notification.
Amends secs. 409 & 972 of 1974 PA 258 (MCL 330.1409 & 330.1972).
Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-SB-0316>
5/20/2025 introduced, referred to Health Policy
No further action as of 01/31/26.

SB 0334 Law Enforcement Training**Jeff Irwin**

Law enforcement: training; mental health and law enforcement response training; require for law enforcement officers. Amends title of 1965 PA 203 (MCL 28.601 - 28.615) & adds secs. 9f & 9g (includes training in de-escalation techniques; implicit bias; procedural justice; crisis intervention).

TIE BAR with SB 0341'25 (expanding licensing requirements related to background, prior record)

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-SB-0334>

5/29/2025 introduced, referred to Civil Rights, Judiciary, and Public Safety.

9/4/2025 Senate summary of bill reported from Committee.

9/09/2025 reported favorably with substitute (S-1), 9/4/2025

9/09/2025 referred to committee of the whole with substitute (S-1)

No further action as of 01/31/26.

SB 371 Health Insurers**Erika Geiss**

Prohibits limitations on duration of inpatient psychiatric admissions

Text & Analysis: <https://legislature.mi.gov/Bills/Bill?ObjectName=2025-SB-0371>

6/10/2025 Introduced, referred to Health Policy

No further action as of 01/31/26.

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