

STATE OF MAINE
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Disposition of bills and summaries of all laws enacted or finally passed

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INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES**

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LD 1906	An Act to Improve Accountability and Understanding of Data in Insurance Transactions	PUBLIC 487
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LD 378	An Act to Strengthen the Health Care System in Maine	CARRIED OVER
LD 459	An Act to Regulate the Use of Prior Authorization for Health Care Provider Services	ONTP
LD 519	An Act to Remove the Requirement That Individual and Small Group Health Plans Be Offered Through a Pooled Market and to Eliminate the Provision of Law Establishing a Pooled Market for Those Plans	CARRIED OVER

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LD 663	An Act Regarding Health Care	CARRIED OVER
LD 784	An Act to Create a Rebuttable Presumption Related to Specialized Risk Screening for First Responders	HELD BY GOVERNOR
LD 893	An Act to Exempt Nonprofit Agricultural Membership Organizations from Insurance Requirements	CARRIED OVER
LD 910	An Act to Collect Data to Better Understand the Consumer's Health Insurance Experience	CARRIED OVER
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LD 1883	An Act to Enact the All Maine Health Act	ONTP
LD 1970	An Act to Amend the Laws Regarding Consent for HIV Testing and Disclosure of Related Medical Information for Insurance Purposes	CARRIED OVER

Insurance, Motor Vehicle

Enacted	LD 899	An Act to Strengthen the Requirements for Medical Payments Coverage	PUBLIC 102
	LD 1276	An Act to Align Intrastate Commercial Motor Vehicle Insurance Requirements with Federal Standards	PUBLIC 107
Not Enacted	LD 918	An Act to Allow a Qualifying Religious Organization to Self-insure for Automobile Insurance	Majority (ONTP) Report
	LD 1064	An Act to Ensure Automobile Insurance Rates Are Maintained upon the Death of a Spouse	ONTP
	LD 1401	An Act to Repeal the Provisions of Law Requiring Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance Policies to Cover the Cost of Towing and Storing Certain Vehicles	Majority (ONTP) Report

Insurance, Regulation and Practices

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	LD 867	An Act Regarding Pre-need Funeral Insurance	PUBLIC 203
	LD 881	An Act to Establish an Apprentice Insurance Producer License	PUBLIC 238

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	LD 1837	An Act to Amend the Laws Affecting Insurance	PUBLIC 348
Not Enacted	LD 893	An Act to Exempt Nonprofit Agricultural Membership Organizations from Insurance Requirements	CARRIED OVER
	LD 955	An Act to Ensure Human Oversight in Medical Insurance Payment Decisions	ONTP
	LD 1470	An Act to Create a Liaison Program to Self-insured Entities and Consumers	ONTP
	LD 1674	An Act to Require Insurers to Address Climate Risk in Their Business Activities	ONTP

Insurance, Workers' Compensation

Enacted	LD 131	An Act to Eliminate the Provision of the Maine Workers' Compensation Act of 1992 That Allows an Employer Member of a Group Self-insurer to Insure Its Employees Through a Fronting Arrangement	PUBLIC 1
	LD 1195	An Act to Amend the Provisions of the Maine Workers' Compensation Act of 1992 Governing Requirements for Self-insurers	PUBLIC 53

Maine Retirement Savings Program

Not Enacted	LD 344	An Act to Repeal the Law Establishing the Maine Retirement Savings Board	Majority (ONTP) Report
	LD 355	An Act to Advance the Maine Retirement Savings Program	CARRIED OVER
	LD 1283	An Act to Allow Employees Covered Under the Maine Retirement Savings Program to Elect to Enroll and Unenroll in a Payroll Deduction for an Individual Retirement Account	Majority (ONTP) Report

Medical Debt

Enacted	LD 558	An Act to Strengthen Consumer Protections by Prohibiting the Report of Medical Debt on Consumer Reports	PUBLIC 201
Not Enacted	LD 902	An Act to Establish the Medical Debt Relief Program	ONTP
	LD 1030	An Act Regarding the Reporting of Medical Debt on Consumer Reports	ONTP

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Enacted

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LD 1511	An Act to Expand Direct Health Care Service Arrangements	PUBLIC 358
LD 1727	An Act to Ensure Transparency in Consumer Transactions Involving Artificial Intelligence	PUBLIC 294
LD 1794	An Act to Provide Protection from Unfair Parking Tickets on Lots Accessible to the Public	PUBLIC 350
LD 1830	Resolve, to Expand the Recipients of the Report on the Public Safety Health and Wellness Grant Pilot Program and Authorize Legislation to Be Submitted in Response to the Report	RESOLVE 91

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LD 1055	An Act to Prohibit Discrimination in Access to Anatomical Donations and Organ Transplants	ONTP
LD 1110	An Act to Require Remittance Fees for Money Transmissions	ONTP
LD 1119	An Act Regarding Reproductive Health Care	CARRIED OVER
LD 1180	An Act to Prohibit Persons from Providing Incentives to Customers for Opting Out of Paper Billing	ONTP
LD 1300	An Act to Strengthen Maine's Implied Warranty Laws	ONTP
LD 1392	An Act to Limit the Applicability of the Laws Regulating Payroll Processors to Services Provided by Payroll Processors to Employers with a Legal Address in the State	ONTP
LD 1504	An Act to Support Small Businesses by Providing a Refundable Tax Credit to Certain Businesses to Offset Credit and Debit Card Transaction Fees	ONTP
LD 1915	An Act to Regulate Earned Wage Access Services Providers	CARRIED OVER
LD 1970	An Act to Amend the Laws Regarding Consent for HIV Testing and Disclosure of Related Medical Information for Insurance Purposes	CARRIED OVER

Mortgage Lending

Not Enacted

LD 381	An Act to Enable Mortgage Portability and Promote Housing Affordability in the State	ONTP
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LD 1901	An Act to Regulate Shared Appreciation Agreements Relating to Residential Property	CARRIED OVER
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Occupational and Professional Regulation, Health Professions

Enacted

LD 23	An Act to Extend the Period of Time a Dentist May Operate the Practice of a Deceased or Incapacitated Dentist	PUBLIC 121
LD 90	Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Chapter 6: Delegation of Nursing Activities and Tasks to Unlicensed Assistive Personnel by Registered Professional Nurses, a Major Substantive Rule of the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, State Board of Nursing	RESOLVE 21
LD 123	An Act Regarding Licensure of Emergency Medical Services Persons	PUBLIC 7
LD 238	An Act to Protect Emergency Medical Services Persons' Right to Work in Multiple Health Care Settings	PUBLIC 70
LD 239	An Act to Allow Retail Pharmacies to Operate Remote Dispensing Sites in Rural Areas	PUBLIC 136
LD 448	An Act Regarding the Establishment of Fees and Fee Caps for Dental Provider Licensing and Permits	PUBLIC 71
LD 649	An Act to Certify Chiropractic Assistants Who Perform X-rays as Chiropractic Radiographers	PUBLIC 314
LD 729	Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Chapter 800: Uniform Reporting of Wholesale Acquisition Costs for Insulin, a Major Substantive Rule of the Maine Health Data Organization	RESOLVE 2
LD 806	An Act to Amend the Scope of Practice for Expanded Function Dental Assistants	PUBLIC 83
LD 917	An Act Regarding Charges to Uninsured Patients for COVID-19 Vaccines	PUBLIC 55
LD 1128	An Act to Modernize the Formulary for Naturopathic Doctors	PUBLIC 150
LD 1166	An Act to Change the Professional Title and Identification of Physician Assistants to Physician Associates	PUBLIC 316
LD 1290	An Act to Update the Laws Regarding Athletic Trainers	PUBLIC 211
LD 1413	An Act to Amend Laws Governing Hearing Aid Dealers to Allow an Exception to Certain Hearing Examination Requirements	PUBLIC 166

**Not
Enacted**

LD 1501	An Act to Extend the Time Frame for a Chiropractic Intern License	PUBLIC 108
LD 1615	Resolve, to Expand Access to Oral Health Care by Studying Alternative Pathways for Obtaining a License to Practice Dentistry	RESOLVE 107
LD 1757	An Act to Update the Laws Governing Osteopathic Physician Licensing	PUBLIC 220
LD 1789	An Act to Amend the Education Requirements in the Certified Public Accountant Licensure Laws	PUBLIC 297
LD 1854	An Act to Require the Board of Counseling Professionals Licensure, Board of Dental Practice, Board of Speech, Audiology and Hearing, Board of Occupational Therapy Practice, State Board of Social Worker Licensure, Board of Osteopathic Licensure and Board of Licensure in Medicine to Obtain Fingerprint-based Federal Bureau of Investigation Criminal Background Checks for Initial Applicants and Licensees Seeking Compact Privileges	PUBLIC 366
LD 1905	An Act Regarding the Authority of the Office of Professional and Occupational Regulation and the Licensing Boards and Commissions Within That Office to Pursue Complaints	PUBLIC 304
LD 105	An Act to Implement the Recommendations of the Commission Regarding Foreign-trained Physicians Living in Maine to Establish a Sponsorship Program for Internationally Trained Physicians	CARRIED OVER
LD 409	An Act to Enhance the Mobility of Licensed Massage Therapists Across State Lines	ONTP
LD 416	An Act to Enact the Dietitian Licensure Compact	ONTP
LD 742	An Act to Permit Telehealth Services Across State Lines Following Referral from a Primary Care Provider Based in the State	Majority (ONTP) Report
LD 790	An Act to Prevent Denial of Patient Access Through Collaborative Care	ONTP
LD 805	Resolve, to Direct the Board of Licensure in Medicine and the Board of Osteopathic Licensure to Conduct a Study Regarding the Feasibility of Combining Those Boards	ONTP
LD 890	An Act to Permit the Dispensing of Ivermectin Pursuant to a Standing Order upon Request for COVID-19, Flu and Cancer Patients	ONTP
LD 961	An Act to Address Maine's Health Care Workforce Shortage and Improve Access to Care	CARRIED OVER
LD 969	An Act to Increase Emergency Medical Services Provider Training Opportunities	Majority (ONTP) Report

LD 1084	Resolve, to Alleviate the Behavioral Health Workforce Shortage by Allowing the Training and Granting of Behavioral Health Certifications by Community-based Agencies and Hospitals	ONTP
LD 1204	An Act to Support Direct Access Worker Employment by Removing Certain Employment Disqualifications	Majority (ONTP) Report
LD 1220	An Act to Allow Chiropractors to Treat Dogs and Equids	CARRIED OVER
LD 1298	An Act Establishing Alternative Pathways to Social Worker Licensing	Died Between Houses
LD 1374	An Act to Establish Additional Requirements for Dentists to Administer Botulinum Toxin and Dermal Fillers	ONTP
LD 1387	Resolve, to Increase the Emergency Medical Workforce by Allowing Military Medical Personnel to Become Eligible for Licensure as Emergency Medical Services Persons	ONTP
LD 1590	An Act to Reduce the Counselor and Social Worker Shortage by Amending Reciprocity Requirements for Those Professionals from Other Jurisdictions	ONTP
LD 1688	An Act to Encourage Continuing Education Relating to Certain Infection-associated Chronic Conditions for Physicians and Nurses	ONTP
LD 1803	An Act to Amend the Laws Governing Optometric Practice	CARRIED OVER

Prescription Drugs

Enacted	LD 180	An Act Regarding Reimbursements by Health Insurance Carriers or Pharmacy Benefits Managers to Pharmacies	PUBLIC 335
	LD 239	An Act to Allow Retail Pharmacies to Operate Remote Dispensing Sites in Rural Areas	PUBLIC 136
	LD 538	An Act to Amend Maine's Prescription Drug Labeling Law by Allowing the Removal of the Name of a Prescriber of Mifepristone, Misoprostol and Their Generic Alternatives	PUBLIC 142
	LD 729	Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Chapter 800: Uniform Reporting of Wholesale Acquisition Costs for Insulin, a Major Substantive Rule of the Maine Health Data Organization	RESOLVE 2
	LD 1580	An Act to Prohibit Carriers and Pharmacy Benefits Managers from Using Spread Pricing	PUBLIC 291
	LD 1687	An Act to Clarify and Increase Access to HIV Prevention Medications	PUBLIC 483

Not Enacted	LD 675	An Act to Protect Consumers by Increasing Transparency and Accountability in the Pharmaceutical Industry	ONTP
	LD 697	An Act to Direct the Maine Prescription Drug Affordability Board to Assess Strategies to Reduce Prescription Drug Costs and to Take Steps to Implement Reference-based Pricing	HELD BY GOVERNOR
	LD 1018	An Act to Protect Health Care for Rural and Underserved Areas by Prohibiting Discrimination by Participants in a Federal Drug Discount Program	Died On Adjournment
	LD 1053	An Act to Ensure That Rebates from Prescription Drug Manufacturers Are Passed on to Patients at Pharmacies	ONTP

Real Estate Practices

Enacted	LD 985	An Act to Impose a Moratorium on the Ownership or Operation of Hospitals in the State by Private Equity Companies or Real Estate Investment Trusts	PUBLIC 401
Not Enacted	LD 1901	An Act to Regulate Shared Appreciation Agreements Relating to Residential Property	CARRIED OVER

State Employees, Office of Employee Health and Benefits

Enacted	LD 707	An Act to Amend the Membership of the State Employee Health Commission and Make Referential Changes to the Office of Employee Health, Wellness and Workers' Compensation	PUBLIC 48
	LD 999	An Act to Include Employees of the Maine Indian Tribal-State Commission in the State's Group Health Plan and to Clarify Future Eligibility for the State's Group Health Plan	PUBLIC 278
Not Enacted	LD 91	An Act to Authorize Employees of the Maine Association of Retirees to Be Eligible for Participation in the State Employee Health Insurance Program	ONTP
	LD 1115	An Act to Expand Eligibility Under the State's Group Health Plan to Employees and Members of the Maine Association for the Education of Young Children	ONTP

Telehealth, Regulation and Practices

Not Enacted	LD 742	An Act to Permit Telehealth Services Across State Lines Following Referral from a Primary Care Provider Based in the State	Majority (ONTP) Report
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Virtual Currency

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Not Enacted	LD 1197	An Act to Update the Maine Money Transmission Modernization Act by Removing Provisions of Law Regarding Unhosted Wallets	ONTP
	LD 1205	An Act to Set Limits on Virtual Currency Kiosks	ONTP
	LD 1286	Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Study the Impact of Blockchain Technology and Cryptocurrency on Maine's Economy and the Risks of Fraud and Theft to Maine Consumers	CARRIED OVER

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HCIFS	5	An Act to Clarify the Law Regarding Prior Authorization for Air Ambulances	Bailey, Donna	OTP/OTP-AM	4/4/2025		Emergency Enacted	ACTPUB	34		S1
HCIFS	23	An Act to Extend the Period of Time a Dentist May Operate the Practice of a Deceased or Incapacitated Dentist	Bennett, Richard	OTP-AM	5/15/2025		Emergency Enacted	ACTPUB	121		S1
HCIFS	90	Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Chapter 6: Delegation of Nursing Activities and Tasks to Unlicensed Assistive Personnel by Registered Professional Nurses, a Major Substantive Rule of the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, State Board of Nursing		OTP-AM	4/7/2025		Emergency Finally Passed	RESLV	21		S1
HCIFS	91	An Act to Authorize Employees of the Maine Association of Retirees to Be Eligible for Participation in the State Employee Health Insurance Program	Shagoury, Daniel	ONTP	5/14/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	105	An Act to Implement the Recommendations of the Commission Regarding Foreign-trained Physicians Living in Maine to Establish a Sponsorship Program for Internationally Trained Physicians	Mathieson, Kristi	OTP-AM/ONTP	5/23/2025	Carried On Approps Table					S1
HCIFS	107	An Act to Require Health Insurance Coverage for Biomarker Testing	Zager, Sam	OTP-AM/ONTP	5/20/2025	Carried On Approps Table					S1
HCIFS	123	An Act Regarding Licensure of Emergency Medical Services Persons	Cyrway, Scott	OTP/ONTP	2/14/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	7		R1
HCIFS	131	An Act to Eliminate the Provision of the Maine Workers' Compensation Act of 1992 That Allows an Employer Member of a Group Self-insurer to Insure Its Employees Through a Fronting Arrangement	Bailey, Donna	OTP	2/4/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	1		R1
HCIFS	142	Resolve, Directing the Bureau of Financial Institutions to Issue Guidance Related to the Charging of Multiple Fees for Attempted Withdrawals Involving Insufficient Funds	Libby, James	OTP-AM/ONTP	5/15/2025		Finally Passed	RESLV	38		S1

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HCIFS	151	An Act to Allow Businesses to Impose a Surcharge on Credit Card and Debit Card Transactions	Tuell, Will	ONTP	5/22/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	163	An Act to Require Health Insurance Coverage for Federally Approved Nonprescription Oral Hormonal Contraceptives and Nonprescription Emergency Contraceptives	Arford, Poppy	ONTP/OTP-AM	5/8/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	445		S1
HCIFS	178	An Act Regarding Coverage for Step Therapy for Metastatic Cancer	Mathieson, Kristi	OTP-AM	5/23/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	448		S1
HCIFS	180	An Act Regarding Reimbursements by Health Insurance Carriers or Pharmacy Benefits Managers to Pharmacies	Mathieson, Kristi	OTP-AM	6/11/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	335		S1
HCIFS	189	An Act to Increase Availability and Affordability of Mental Health Care and Substance Use Disorder Services by Removing the Certificate of Need Requirement	Libby, Laurel	ONTP/OTP-AM	5/2/2025		Accepted Majority (ONTP) Report				S1
HCIFS	201	An Act to Establish a Limit on the Interest Rate Charged for Revolving Loans	Libby, James	ONTP	2/25/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				R1
HCIFS	238	An Act to Protect Emergency Medical Services Persons' Right to Work in Multiple Health Care Settings	Farrin, Brad	OTP-AM	4/22/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	70		S1
HCIFS	239	An Act to Allow Retail Pharmacies to Operate Remote Dispensing Sites in Rural Areas	Farrin, Brad	OTP-AM	5/15/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	136		S1
HCIFS	270	Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Portions of Chapter 850: Health Plan Accountability, a Major Substantive Rule of the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, Bureau of Insurance		OTP-AM	5/8/2025		Emergency Finally Passed	RESLV	31		S1
HCIFS	310	Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Portions of Chapter 100: Enforcement Procedures, a Major Substantive Rule of the Maine Health Data Organization		OTP	3/11/2025		Emergency Finally Passed	RESLV	1		R1

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HCIFS	314	An Act to Establish Consumer Protections Regarding Small Dollar Loans	Mastraccio, Anne-Marie	ONTP	3/25/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	344	An Act to Repeal the Law Establishing the Maine Retirement Savings Board	Morris, Joshua	ONTP/OTP-AM	6/6/2025		Accepted Majority (ONTP) Report				S1
HCIFS	355	An Act to Advance the Maine Retirement Savings Program	Bailey, Donna	OTP-AM	6/6/2025	Carried On Approps Table					S1
HCIFS	378	An Act to Strengthen the Health Care System in Maine	Bailey, Donna		5/19/2025	Carried Over					S1
HCIFS	381	An Act to Enable Mortgage Portability and Promote Housing Affordability in the State	Martin, Joseph	ONTP	3/19/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				R1
HCIFS	409	An Act to Enhance the Mobility of Licensed Massage Therapists Across State Lines	Eaton, Holly	ONTP	3/19/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				R1
HCIFS	416	An Act to Enact the Dietitian Licensure Compact	Mathieson, Kristi	ONTP	3/19/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				R1
HCIFS	448	An Act Regarding the Establishment of Fees and Fee Caps for Dental Provider Licensing and Permits	Mastraccio, Anne-Marie	OTP-AM	4/30/2025		Emergency Enacted	ACTPUB	71		S1
HCIFS	459	An Act to Regulate the Use of Prior Authorization for Health Care Provider Services	Curry, Chip	ONTP	5/20/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	519	An Act to Remove the Requirement That Individual and Small Group Health Plans Be Offered Through a Pooled Market and to Eliminate the Provision of Law Establishing a Pooled Market for Those Plans	Morris, Joshua		5/19/2025	Carried Over					S1

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HCIFS	520	An Act to Ensure Choices in Health Insurance Markets by Modifying the Provisions of Law Governing Clear Choice Design Health Plans	Morris, Joshua	ONTP	3/14/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				R1
HCIFS	538	An Act to Amend Maine's Prescription Drug Labeling Law by Allowing the Removal of the Name of a Prescriber of Mifepristone, Misoprostol and Their Generic Alternatives	Cluchey, Sally	OTP-AM/ONTP	5/15/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	142		S1
HCIFS	558	An Act to Strengthen Consumer Protections by Prohibiting the Report of Medical Debt on Consumer Reports	Bailey, Donna	OTP-AM	5/23/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	201		S1
HCIFS	580	An Act to Protect Maine Consumers by Prohibiting Fees Charged for Receiving Paper Statements from Financial Institutions and Credit Card Issuers	Bailey, Donna	OTP-AM/ONTP	4/4/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	35		S1
HCIFS	582	An Act to Require Health Insurance Carriers to Provide Coverage for Blood Testing for Perfluoroalkyl and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances	Brenner, Stacy	OTP-AM/ONTP	5/8/2025	Carried On Approps Table					S1
HCIFS	627	An Act to Require Insurance Coverage for Glucagon-like Peptide-1 Receptor Agonist Medication	Stover, Holly	ONTP	4/1/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	645	An Act to Change the Size and Composition of the Board of Directors of the Maine Health Data Organization	Mathieson, Kristi	OTP	3/11/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	16		R1
HCIFS	649	An Act to Certify Chiropractic Assistants Who Perform X-rays as Chiropractic Radiographers	Wadsworth, Nathan	OTP-AM	5/23/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	314		S1
HCIFS	663	An Act Regarding Health Care	Mathieson, Kristi		5/19/2025	Carried Over					S1
HCIFS	675	An Act to Protect Consumers by Increasing Transparency and Accountability in the Pharmaceutical Industry	Baldacci, Joseph	ONTP	5/20/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1

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HCIFS	697	An Act to Direct the Maine Prescription Drug Affordability Board to Assess Strategies to Reduce Prescription Drug Costs and to Take Steps to Implement Reference-based Pricing	Reny, Cameron	OTP-AM/ONTP	5/23/2025		Held by Governor				S1
HCIFS	707	An Act to Amend the Membership of the State Employee Health Commission and Make Referential Changes to the Office of Employee Health, Wellness and Workers' Compensation	Mathieson, Kristi	OTP-AM	4/11/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	48		S1
HCIFS	720	An Act to Protect Federal Home Loan Banks That Lend Money to Insurer Members That Become Delinquent	Foley, Robert	OTP	3/14/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	17		R1
HCIFS	729	Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Chapter 800: Uniform Reporting of Wholesale Acquisition Costs for Insulin, a Major Substantive Rule of the Maine Health Data Organization		OTP	3/11/2025		Emergency Finally Passed	RESLV	2		R1
HCIFS	742	An Act to Permit Telehealth Services Across State Lines Following Referral from a Primary Care Provider Based in the State	Fredette, Kenneth	ONTP/OTP-AM	5/15/2025		Accepted Majority (ONTP) Report				S1
HCIFS	743	An Act to Increase the Availability and Affordability of Health Care by Eliminating Certificate of Need Requirements	Libby, Laurel	ONTP/OTP-AM	5/2/2025		Accepted Majority (ONTP) Report				S1
HCIFS	784	An Act to Create a Rebuttable Presumption Related to Specialized Risk Screening for First Responders	Bailey, Donna	OTP-AM/REFERRED	5/15/2025		Held by Governor				S1
HCIFS	790	An Act to Prevent Denial of Patient Access Through Collaborative Care	Baldacci, Joseph	ONTP	4/1/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	805	Resolve, to Direct the Board of Licensure in Medicine and the Board of Osteopathic Licensure to Conduct a Study Regarding the Feasibility of Combining Those Boards	Mathieson, Kristi	ONTP	3/25/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	806	An Act to Amend the Scope of Practice for Expanded Function Dental Assistants	Mastraccio, Anne-Marie	OTP-AM	5/8/2025		Emergency Enacted	ACTPUB	83		S1

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HCIFS	843	An Act to Continue Funding for the Health Insurance Consumer Assistance Program	Tipping, Michael	OTP-AM/OTP-AM	6/3/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	369		S1
HCIFS	867	An Act Regarding Pre-need Funeral Insurance	Morris, Joshua	OTP-AM	5/23/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	203		S1
HCIFS	874	An Act to Provide Relief to Federal or State Employees Affected by a Federal Government or State Government Shutdown	Mathieson, Kristi	OTP-AM	5/8/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	494		S1
HCIFS	880	An Act Regarding Nondiscrimination in Financial Services	Quint, Tracy	ONTP/OTP-AM	5/2/2025		Accepted Majority (ONTP) Report				S1
HCIFS	881	An Act to Establish an Apprentice Insurance Producer License	Poirier, Jennifer	OTP-AM	6/2/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	238		S1
HCIFS	890	An Act to Permit the Dispensing of Ivermectin Pursuant to a Standing Order upon Request for COVID-19, Flu and Cancer Patients	Haggan, David	ONTP	5/20/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	893	An Act to Exempt Nonprofit Agricultural Membership Organizations from Insurance Requirements	Timberlake, Jeff	ONTP/OTP-AM	5/8/2025	Carried Over					S1
HCIFS	899	An Act to Strengthen the Requirements for Medical Payments Coverage	Bailey, Donna	OTP-AM	5/8/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	102		S1
HCIFS	902	An Act to Establish the Medical Debt Relief Program	Baldacci, Joseph	ONTP	4/4/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	910	An Act to Collect Data to Better Understand the Consumer's Health Insurance Experience	Tepler, Denise		5/19/2025	Carried Over					S1
HCIFS	917	An Act Regarding Charges to Uninsured Patients for COVID-19 Vaccines	Morris, Joshua	OTP	3/28/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	55		S1
HCIFS	918	An Act to Allow a Qualifying Religious Organization to Self-insure for Automobile Insurance	Foster, Steven	ONTP/OTP-AM	5/8/2025		Accepted Majority (ONTP) Report				S1

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HCIFS	955	An Act to Ensure Human Oversight in Medical Insurance Payment Decisions	Martin, Joseph	ONTP	5/14/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	961	An Act to Address Maine's Health Care Workforce Shortage and Improve Access to Care	Mathieson, Kristi		5/19/2025	Carried Over					S1
HCIFS	969	An Act to Increase Emergency Medical Services Provider Training Opportunities	Golek, Cheryl	ONTP/OTP	4/11/2025		Accepted Majority (ONTP) Report				S1
HCIFS	985	An Act to Impose a Moratorium on the Ownership or Operation of Hospitals in the State by Private Equity Companies or Real Estate Investment Trusts	Tipping, Michael	OTP-AM	6/5/2025		Emergency Enacted	ACTPUB	401		S1
HCIFS	999	An Act to Include Employees of the Maine Indian Tribal-State Commission in the State's Group Health Plan and to Clarify Future Eligibility for the State's Group Health Plan	Osher, Laurie	OTP-AM	6/4/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	278		S1
HCIFS	1018	An Act to Protect Health Care for Rural and Underserved Areas by Prohibiting Discrimination by Participants in a Federal Drug Discount Program	Bailey, Donna	OTP-AM	6/13/2025		Died On Adjournment			√	S1
HCIFS	1030	An Act Regarding the Reporting of Medical Debt on Consumer Reports	Morris, Joshua	ONTP	4/4/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1031	An Act to Allow Time-share Associations to Charge Credit Card Surcharges	Morris, Joshua	ONTP	4/4/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1053	An Act to Ensure That Rebates from Prescription Drug Manufacturers Are Passed on to Patients at Pharmacies	Cloutier, Kristen	ONTP	4/16/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1

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HCIFS	1055	An Act to Prohibit Discrimination in Access to Anatomical Donations and Organ Transplants	Dill, Jim	ONTP	4/4/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1058	An Act to Prevent Dental Insurance Companies from Denying Coverage When Other Insurance Is Involved	Greenwood, Randall	ONTP	4/16/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1064	An Act to Ensure Automobile Insurance Rates Are Maintained upon the Death of a Spouse	Mastraccio, Anne-Marie	ONTP	4/4/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1084	Resolve, to Alleviate the Behavioral Health Workforce Shortage by Allowing the Training and Granting of Behavioral Health Certifications by Community-based Agencies and Hospitals	Crafts, Lydia	ONTP	5/14/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1100	An Act to Clarify the Requirements for Accessing Nonformulary Drugs and Drugs Used to Treat Serious Mental Illness	Bailey, Donna	OTP-AM	5/27/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	473		S1
HCIFS	1110	An Act to Require Remittance Fees for Money Transmissions	Smith, Katrina	ONTP	4/16/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1115	An Act to Expand Eligibility Under the State's Group Health Plan to Employees and Members of the Maine Association for the Education of Young Children	Collamore, Amanda	ONTP	5/14/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1119	An Act Regarding Reproductive Health Care	Moonen, Matt		5/19/2025	Carried Over					S1
HCIFS	1128	An Act to Modernize the Formulary for Naturopathic Doctors	Julia, Cassie	OTP-AM	5/15/2025		Emergency Enacted	ACTPUB	150		S1

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HCIFS	1152	An Act to Expand the Right to Shop for Health Care Services	Morris, Joshua	ONTP	5/27/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1166	An Act to Change the Professional Title and Identification of Physician Assistants to Physician Associates	Cloutier, Kristen	OTP-AM/ONTP	5/27/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	316		S1
HCIFS	1180	An Act to Prohibit Persons from Providing Incentives to Customers for Opting Out of Paper Billing	Crafts, Lydia	ONTP	4/16/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1192	An Act to Increase the Commercial Insurance Reimbursement Rate for Ambulance Services	Baldacci, Joseph	ONTP	5/14/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1195	An Act to Amend the Provisions of the Maine Workers' Compensation Act of 1992 Governing Requirements for Self-insurers	Bailey, Donna	OTP	4/11/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	53		S1
HCIFS	1197	An Act to Update the Maine Money Transmission Modernization Act by Removing Provisions of Law Regarding Unhosted Wallets	Baldacci, Joseph	ONTP	5/27/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1204	An Act to Support Direct Access Worker Employment by Removing Certain Employment Disqualifications	Talbot Ross, Rachel	ONTP/OTP	5/20/2025		Accepted Majority (ONTP) Report				S1
HCIFS	1205	An Act to Set Limits on Virtual Currency Kiosks	Tepler, Denise	ONTP	5/21/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1220	An Act to Allow Chiropractors to Treat Dogs and Equids	Foley, Robert		5/19/2025	Carried Over					S1

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HCIFS	1269	Resolve, to Study the Costs and Funding of a Universal Health Care Plan for Maine	Mastraccio, Anne-Marie	ONTP	5/22/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1276	An Act to Align Intrastate Commercial Motor Vehicle Insurance Requirements with Federal Standards	Moonen, Matt	OTP-AM	5/8/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	107		S1
HCIFS	1283	An Act to Allow Employees Covered Under the Maine Retirement Savings Program to Elect to Enroll and Unenroll in a Payroll Deduction for an Individual Retirement Account	Stewart, Trey	ONTP/OTP-AM	6/6/2025		Accepted Majority (ONTP) Report				S1
HCIFS	1286	Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Study the Impact of Blockchain Technology and Cryptocurrency on Maine's Economy and the Risks of Fraud and Theft to Maine Consumers	Bradstreet, Dick	OTP-AM	6/3/2025	Carried on Study Table					S1
HCIFS	1290	An Act to Update the Laws Regarding Athletic Trainers	Bailey, Donna	OTP-AM	5/23/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	211		S1
HCIFS	1298	An Act Establishing Alternative Pathways to Social Worker Licensing	Talbot Ross, Rachel	OTP-AM/OTP-AM	6/13/2025		Died Between Houses				S1
HCIFS	1300	An Act to Strengthen Maine's Implied Warranty Laws	Tipping, Michael	ONTP	4/22/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1301	An Act to Prohibit the Use of Artificial Intelligence in the Denial of Health Insurance Claims	Tipping, Michael		5/19/2025	Carried Over					S1
HCIFS	1310	An Act to Amend the Laws Governing Insurance Coverage of Preventive and Primary Health Services	Baldacci, Joseph	OTP-AM	5/23/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	213		S1
HCIFS	1314	An Act to Protect Cannabis Industry Workers' Access to Personal Credit	Grohoski, Nicole	ONTP	5/27/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1339	An Act to Regulate Virtual Currency Kiosks	Curry, Chip	OTP-AM	6/5/2025		Emergency Enacted	ACTPUB	285		S1

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HCIFS	1361	An Act to Require Insurance Coverage for Covered Dental Services Provided by Licensed Dental Hygienists	Mastraccio, Anne-Marie	OTP-AM	6/5/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	478		S1
HCIFS	1374	An Act to Establish Additional Requirements for Dentists to Administer Botulinum Toxin and Dermal Fillers	Baldacci, Joseph	ONTP	5/1/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1387	Resolve, to Increase the Emergency Medical Workforce by Allowing Military Medical Personnel to Become Eligible for Licensure as Emergency Medical Services Persons	O'Halloran, Dani	ONTP	5/27/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1392	An Act to Limit the Applicability of the Laws Regulating Payroll Processors to Services Provided by Payroll Processors to Employers with a Legal Address in the State	Roberts, Tiffany	ONTP	4/25/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1401	An Act to Repeal the Provisions of Law Requiring Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance Policies to Cover the Cost of Towing and Storing Certain Vehicles	Morris, Joshua	ONTP/OTP	4/30/2025		Accepted Majority (ONTP) Report				S1
HCIFS	1402	An Act to Convene a Stakeholder Group to Determine Methods of Ensuring the Long-term Solvency of the Maine Guaranteed Access Reinsurance Association	Morris, Joshua	ONTP	5/20/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1413	An Act to Amend Laws Governing Hearing Aid Dealers to Allow an Exception to Certain Hearing Examination Requirements	Bennett, Richard	OTP-AM	5/15/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	166		S1
HCIFS	1445	An Act to Prevent Financial Exploitation of Vulnerable Adults	Carney, Anne	OTP-AM	5/23/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	215		S1
HCIFS	1470	An Act to Create a Liaison Program to Self-insured Entities and Consumers	Poirier, Jennifer	ONTP	5/27/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1496	An Act to Ensure Ongoing Access to Medications and Care for Chronic Conditions by Changing Requirements for Prior Authorizations	Zager, Sam	OTP-AM/ONTP	6/12/2025	Carried On Approps Table					S1

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HCIFS	1497	An Act to Amend the Laws Governing Primary Care Reporting by the Maine Quality Forum and to Establish the Primary Care Advisory Council	Zager, Sam	OTP-AM	5/23/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	218		S1
HCIFS	1501	An Act to Extend the Time Frame for a Chiropractic Intern License	Moonen, Matt	OTP	5/7/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	108		S1
HCIFS	1502	An Act to Update the Requirements for Health Insurance Coverage of Prostate Cancer Screening	Moonen, Matt		5/19/2025	Carried Over					S1
HCIFS	1504	An Act to Support Small Businesses by Providing a Refundable Tax Credit to Certain Businesses to Offset Credit and Debit Card Transaction Fees	Farrin, Wayne	ONTP	5/22/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1511	An Act to Expand Direct Health Care Service Arrangements	Morris, Joshua	OTP-AM	6/12/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	358		S1
HCIFS	1512	An Act to Protect Patients from Health Care Discrimination and Guarantee Access to the Lowest Available Cost for Care	Morris, Joshua	ONTP	5/27/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1530	An Act to Improve the Sustainability of Emergency Medical Services in Maine	Curry, Chip		5/19/2025	Carried Over					S1
HCIFS	1578	Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Evaluate the Scope of Regulatory Review and Oversight over Health Care Transactions That Impact the Delivery of Health Care Services in the State	Dodge, Jan	OTP-AM	6/10/2025		Emergency Finally Passed	RESLV	106		S1
HCIFS	1580	An Act to Prohibit Carriers and Pharmacy Benefits Managers from Using Spread Pricing	Nutting, Robert	OTP-AM	6/6/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	291		S1
HCIFS	1589	An Act to Improve Parity in Insurance Coverage for Outpatient Counseling Services in Maine	Crafts, Lydia	ONTP	5/27/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1590	An Act to Reduce the Counselor and Social Worker Shortage by Amending Reciprocity Requirements for Those Professionals from Other Jurisdictions	Crafts, Lydia	ONTP	5/14/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1

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HCIFS	1615	Resolve, to Expand Access to Oral Health Care by Studying Alternative Pathways for Obtaining a License to Practice Dentistry	Rana, Ambureen	OTP-AM	6/5/2025		Emergency Finally Passed	RESLV	107		S1
HCIFS	1663	An Act Relating to Health Care Transparency and the Maine Health Data Organization	Morris, Joshua	ONTP	5/20/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1674	An Act to Require Insurers to Address Climate Risk in Their Business Activities	Warren, Sophia	ONTP	5/27/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1687	An Act to Clarify and Increase Access to HIV Prevention Medications	Moonen, Matt	OTP-AM	6/11/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	483		S1
HCIFS	1688	An Act to Encourage Continuing Education Relating to Certain Infection-associated Chronic Conditions for Physicians and Nurses	Rana, Ambureen	ONTP	5/27/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1713	An Act to Prohibit Certain Provisions in Health Care Provider Contracts with Insurance Carriers	Bailey, Donna	ONTP/OTP	6/9/2025		Accepted Majority (ONTP) Report				S1
HCIFS	1727	An Act to Ensure Transparency in Consumer Transactions Involving Artificial Intelligence	Kuhn, Amy	OTP-AM	6/6/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	294		S1
HCIFS	1757	An Act to Update the Laws Governing Osteopathic Physician Licensing	Mathieson, Kristi	OTP	5/23/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	220		S1
HCIFS	1785	An Act to Require Health Insurance Carriers to Provide Contact Information for Employees Responsible for Negotiating Health Care Provider Contracts	Boyer, Michelle	OTP-AM	6/5/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	295		S1
HCIFS	1789	An Act to Amend the Education Requirements in the Certified Public Accountant Licensure Laws	Roberts, Tiffany	OTP-AM	6/5/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	297		S1
HCIFS	1794	An Act to Provide Protection from Unfair Parking Tickets on Lots Accessible to the Public	Nangle, Tim	OTP-AM	6/10/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	350		S1

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HCIFS	1800	An Act to Prohibit Health Care Entities Providing Dental Plans from Requiring a Dental Provider to Charge Fees for Uncovered Dental Services	Mastraccio, Anne-Marie	OTP-AM	6/6/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	298		S1
HCIFS	1803	An Act to Amend the Laws Governing Optometric Practice	Brenner, Stacy		5/19/2025	Carried Over					S1
HCIFS	1830	Resolve, to Expand the Recipients of the Report on the Public Safety Health and Wellness Grant Pilot Program and Authorize Legislation to Be Submitted in Response to the Report	Bagshaw, Barbara	OTP-AM	6/3/2025		Finally Passed	RESLV	91		S1
HCIFS	1834	An Act to Clarify the Availability of Alternative Claims Payment Methods to Dental Care Providers	Baldacci, Joseph	OTP-AM	6/3/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	300		S1
HCIFS	1837	An Act to Amend the Laws Affecting Insurance	Bailey, Donna	OTP	6/4/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	348		S1
HCIFS	1854	An Act to Require the Board of Counseling Professionals Licensure, Board of Dental Practice, Board of Speech, Audiology and Hearing, Board of Occupational Therapy Practice, State Board of Social Worker Licensure, Board of Osteopathic Licensure and Board of Licensure in Medicine to Obtain Fingerprint-based Federal Bureau of Investigation Criminal Background Checks for Initial Applicants and Licensees Seeking Compact Privileges	Mathieson, Kristi	OTP-AM	6/13/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	366		S1
HCIFS	1883	An Act to Enact the All Maine Health Act	Mastraccio, Anne-Marie	ONTP	5/22/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1
HCIFS	1890	An Act to Facilitate the Development of Ambulatory Surgical Facilities by Exempting Certain Facilities from the Requirement to Obtain a Certificate of Need	Foley, Robert		5/19/2025	Carried Over					S1
HCIFS	1901	An Act to Regulate Shared Appreciation Agreements Relating to Residential Property	Bell, Art		6/25/2025	Carried Over					S1

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HCIFS	1905	An Act Regarding the Authority of the Office of Professional and Occupational Regulation and the Licensing Boards and Commissions Within That Office to Pursue Complaints	Bailey, Donna	OTP-AM	6/3/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	304		S1
HCIFS	1906	An Act to Improve Accountability and Understanding of Data in Insurance Transactions	Bailey, Donna	OTP-AM	6/12/2025		Enacted	ACTPUB	487		S1
HCIFS	1915	An Act to Regulate Earned Wage Access Services Providers	Skold, Charles		6/25/2025	Carried Over					S1
HCIFS	1970	An Act to Amend the Laws Regarding Consent for HIV Testing and Disclosure of Related Medical Information for Insurance Purposes	Osher, Laurie		6/12/2025	Carried Over					S1
HCIFS	1972	An Act to Enhance Transparency and Value in Substantial Health Care Transactions by Changing the Review and Approval Process for Those Transactions	Zager, Sam	ONTP	5/27/2025		Ought Not to Pass Pursuant to Joint Rule 310				S1

**JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON
HEALTH COVERAGE, INSURANCE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES**

LD 5 An Act to Clarify the Law Regarding Prior Authorization for Air Ambulances

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 34 corrects an inadvertent omission from Public Law 2023, chapter 591 and clarifies that the provision of law prohibiting a health insurance carrier from requiring an air ambulance service provider to obtain prior authorization before transporting an individual enrolled in a health plan or managed care plan to a hospital or between hospitals for urgent care is limited to air ambulance service providers that are nonprofit organizations. The law is retroactive to August 9, 2024, which was the effective date of Public Law 2023, chapter 591.

Public Law 2025, chapter 34 was enacted as an emergency measure effective April 22, 2025.

LD 23 An Act to Extend the Period of Time a Dentist May Operate the Practice of a Deceased or Incapacitated Dentist

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 121 increases from 24 months to 48 months the amount of time a legal guardian or personal representative of a dentist may contract with another dentist to continue the operations of the practice of a deceased or incapacitated dentist.

Public Law 2025, chapter 121 was enacted as an emergency measure effective May 29, 2025.

LD 90 Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Chapter 6: Delegation of Nursing Activities and Tasks to Unlicensed Assistive Personnel by Registered Professional Nurses, a Major Substantive Rule of the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, State Board of Nursing

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Resolve 2025, chapter 21 provides that final adoption of the rule of the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, State Board of Nursing related to the delegation of nursing activities and tasks to unlicensed assistive personnel is not authorized.

Resolve 2025, chapter 21 was finally passed as an emergency measure effective April 30, 2025.

LD 123 An Act Regarding Licensure of Emergency Medical Services Persons

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 7 amends the law governing the minimum requirements for licensing and relicensing of emergency medical services persons by removing the requirement that a person

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seeking licensing or relicensing must have successfully completed the practical evaluation of emergency medical treatment skills approved by the Emergency Medical Services' Board and replacing it with a requirement that the person must have successfully completed an assessment of emergency medical treatment skills approved by the Emergency Medical Services' Board.

LD 131 An Act to Eliminate the Provision of the Maine Workers' Compensation Act of 1992 That Allows an Employer Member of a Group Self-insurer to Insure Its Employees Through a Fronting Arrangement

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 1 repeals the law authorizing an employer member of a group self-insurer to form workers' compensation fronting company arrangements.

LD 142 Resolve, Directing the Bureau of Financial Institutions to Issue Guidance Related to the Charging of Multiple Fees for Attempted Withdrawals Involving Insufficient Funds

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Resolve 2025, chapter 38 directs the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, Bureau of Financial Institutions to issue guidance, no later than January 1, 2026, to financial institutions and credit unions authorized to do business in this State related to the charging of multiple fees for attempted withdrawals involving insufficient funds.

LD 163 An Act to Require Health Insurance Coverage for Federally Approved Nonprescription Oral Hormonal Contraceptives and Nonprescription Emergency Contraceptives

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 445 expands the requirements in law for coverage of contraceptives to include nonprescription oral hormonal contraceptives and nonprescription emergency contraceptives approved by the federal Food and Drug Administration. The law provides that a prescription is not required for insurance coverage for nonprescription oral hormonal contraceptives and nonprescription emergency contraceptives and requires health insurance carriers to establish mechanisms to ensure that an enrollee who purchases a nonprescription oral hormonal contraceptive or nonprescription emergency contraceptive at a pharmacy has the option to make the purchase without a payment required at the point of sale or to make the purchase at the pharmacy counter with a payment at the point of sale and submit a claim for reimbursement to the carrier. The requirements apply beginning January 1, 2026.

The law also requires health insurance carriers to notify enrollees, at least annually, of the coverage requirements for contraceptive supplies and the procedures an enrollee must follow to access

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coverage for nonprescription oral hormonal contraceptives and nonprescription emergency contraceptives at a pharmacy without an out-of-pocket cost at the point of sale or by submitting a claim for reimbursement.

LD 178 An Act Regarding Coverage for Step Therapy for Metastatic Cancer

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

With respect to coverage of a prescription drug on a health insurance carrier's prescription drug formulary for the treatment of metastatic cancer and associated conditions, Public Law 2025, chapter 448 prohibits a health insurance carrier or utilization review organization from requiring an enrollee to use a step therapy protocol before the carrier provides coverage of a prescription drug approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration.

LD 180 An Act Regarding Reimbursements by Health Insurance Carriers or Pharmacy Benefits Managers to Pharmacies

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 335 prohibits a health insurance carrier, or a pharmacy benefits manager under contract with a carrier, from reimbursing a pharmacy provider for a prescription drug or pharmacy service in an amount that is less than the amount the carrier or pharmacy benefits manager reimburses a pharmacy provider affiliated with the carrier or pharmacy benefits manager for the same prescription drug or pharmacy service.

LD 238 An Act to Protect Emergency Medical Services Persons' Right to Work in Multiple Health Care Settings

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 70 clarifies the authority of a person licensed as an emergency medical services person to engage in activities delegated pursuant to existing law by a physician or physician assistant.

LD 239 An Act to Allow Retail Pharmacies to Operate Remote Dispensing Sites in Rural Areas

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 136 authorizes a remote dispensing site as a new category of license for a pharmacy and requires the Maine Board of Pharmacy to adopt rules no later than June 30, 2026 to establish criteria that a remote dispensing site must meet to qualify for a license.

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LD 270 Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Portions of Chapter 850: Health Plan Accountability, a Major Substantive Rule of the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, Bureau of Insurance

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Resolve 2025, chapter 31 authorizes final adoption of portions of Chapter 850: Health Plan Accountability, a major substantive rule of the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, Bureau of Insurance only if certain changes are made to remove the name and title of the individual or individuals responsible for evaluating a health insurance carrier's written adverse health care treatment decision and replace it with a requirement that the decision attest to the credentials of the individual or individuals evaluating the appeal and a requirement that the carrier identify a point of contact by name, address and telephone number to answer specific questions from the enrollee.

Resolve 2025, chapter 31 was finally passed as an emergency measure effective May 23, 2025.

LD 310 Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Portions of Chapter 100: Enforcement Procedures, a Major Substantive Rule of the Maine Health Data Organization

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Resolve 2025, chapter 1 authorizes final adoption of portions of Chapter 100: Enforcement Procedures, a major substantive rule of the Maine Health Data Organization.

Resolve 2025, chapter 1 was finally passed as an emergency measure effective March 25, 2025.

LD 448 An Act Regarding the Establishment of Fees and Fee Caps for Dental Provider Licensing and Permits

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 71 reinstates the authority to establish fees for dental provider licenses and permits and reinstates fee caps for those licenses and permits that were inadvertently repealed when the Board of Dental Practice was changed from an affiliated board to a board overseen by the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, Office of Professional and Occupational Regulation with the enactment of Public Law 2023, chapter 17. The provisions are retroactive to June 29, 2023, which was the effective date of Public Law 2023, chapter 17.

Public Law 2025, chapter 71 was enacted as an emergency measure effective May 16, 2025.

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LD 538 An Act to Amend Maine's Prescription Drug Labeling Law by Allowing the Removal of the Name of a Prescriber of Mifepristone, Misoprostol and Their Generic Alternatives

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 142 provides that, at the request of a health care practitioner prescribing the drug, the prescription drug label for mifepristone, misoprostol and their generic alternatives may include the name of the health care facility that the practitioner is associated with instead of the name of the practitioner.

LD 558 An Act to Strengthen Consumer Protections by Prohibiting the Report of Medical Debt on Consumer Reports

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 201 prohibits a consumer reporting agency from reporting debt from medical expenses on a consumer's consumer report and also prohibits a debt collector, debt buyer or an entity that provides health care services from reporting medical debt to a consumer reporting agency.

LD 580 An Act to Protect Maine Consumers by Prohibiting Fees Charged for Receiving Paper Statements from Financial Institutions and Credit Card Issuers

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Under State law, a customer may not be penalized by a business for opting out of receiving from the business a billing statement by electronic record rather than in paper form. Prior to the enactment of Public Law 2025, chapter 35, this provision did not apply to a depository institution. Public Law 2025, chapter 35 removes the exemption that applies to a depository institution.

LD 645 An Act to Change the Size and Composition of the Board of Directors of the Maine Health Data Organization

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 16 changes the size of the Maine Health Data Organization board of directors from a board with 20 voting members and one nonvoting member to a board with 12 voting members and one nonvoting member. The law changes the composition of the board by adding as a voting member a representative from the pharmaceutical industry and adding as the nonvoting member the executive director of the Maine Health Data Organization. The law also removes the provision regarding staggering of initial terms.

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LD 649 An Act to Certify Chiropractic Assistants Who Perform X-rays as Chiropractic Radiographers

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 314 requires licensed chiropractic assistants to be certified in radiography in order to perform x-rays as a “chiropractic radiographer” and clarifies the scope of practice of a chiropractic assistant to include radiography as long as the chiropractic assistant is certified. The law also provides that a chiropractic assistant certified as a chiropractic radiographer is not required to be separately licensed as a radiographer by the Radiologic Technology Board of Examiners.

LD 707 An Act to Amend the Membership of the State Employee Health Commission and Make Referential Changes to the Office of Employee Health, Wellness and Workers' Compensation

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 48 adds the State Human Resources Officer as an ex officio management member of the State Employee Health Commission and provides that the management cochair of the commission is designated by the Commissioner of Administrative and Financial Services from among the management members. The law also changes the name of the Office of Employee Health and Wellness within the Department of Administrative and Financial Services to the Office of Employee Health, Wellness and Workers' Compensation.

LD 720 An Act to Protect Federal Home Loan Banks That Lend Money to Insurer Members That Become Delinquent

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 17 enacts the following provisions to protect the monetary investment made by federal home loan banks that lend money to an insurer when an insurer becomes delinquent and enters into a receivership.

1. It limits to no more than 10 days the time a person may be restrained, enjoined or otherwise prevented from exercising or enforcing the person's rights or cause of action under any pledge, security, credit, loan or other similar arrangement to which the federal home loan bank is a party.
2. It requires a federal home loan bank exercising its rights regarding collateral pledged by an insurer member of the federal home loan bank to repurchase any excess federal home loan bank capital stock held by an insurer within seven days of receiving a redemption request from the insurer, subject to certain conditions.

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3. Within 10 days of the appointment of a receiver in a proceeding involving an insurer member of a federal home loan bank, it requires the federal home loan bank to provide the Superintendent of Insurance a process and timeline to release certain collateral held by the federal home loan bank, payment of certain fees owed by the insurer and redeem or repurchase any excess federal home loan bank stock held by an insurer.
4. Upon request in a proceeding involving an insurer member of a federal home loan bank, it requires the federal home loan bank to provide to the Superintendent of Insurance any available options to renew or restructure the insurer's loan.
5. It prevents the avoidance of any transfer of property or preference arising under or in connection to any pledge, security, credit, collateral, loan or other similar arrangement to which a federal home loan bank is a party, except for the avoidance of transfers made with actual intent to hinder, delay or defraud.

LD 729 Resolve, Regarding Legislative Review of Chapter 800: Uniform Reporting of Wholesale Acquisition Costs for Insulin, a Major Substantive Rule of the Maine Health Data Organization

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Resolve 2025, chapter 2 authorizes final adoption of Chapter 800: Uniform Reporting of Wholesale Acquisition Costs for Insulin, a major substantive rule of the Maine Health Data Organization.

Resolve 2025, chapter 2 was finally passed as an emergency measure effective March 25, 2025.

LD 806 An Act to Amend the Scope of Practice for Expanded Function Dental Assistants

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 83 amends the scope of practice of expanded function dental assistants to include the exposing and processing of radiographs and provides that an expanded function dental assistant licensed by the Board of Dental Practice is not required to be separately licensed as a radiographer by the Radiologic Technology Board of Examiners.

Public Law 2025, chapter 83 was enacted as an emergency measure effective May 23, 2025.

LD 843 An Act to Continue Funding for the Health Insurance Consumer Assistance Program

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 369 provides funding for the next two fiscal years to the Office of the Attorney General to contract with a designated nonprofit, independent health insurance consumer

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assistance entity to continue to operate the Health Insurance Consumer Assistance Program. The law requires that the continued funding must be provided through a transfer of available Other Special Revenue Funds balances from the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, Bureau of Insurance.

The law also makes January 31st the reporting date for the annual report required to be submitted to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over health insurance matters by the Attorney General regarding the services and activities of the consumer assistance program.

LD 867 An Act Regarding Pre-need Funeral Insurance

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 203 makes the following changes to the laws related to the sale of insurance in connection with prearranged funeral services or plans.

1. It eliminates a prohibition against funeral practitioners becoming licensed to sell insurance.
2. It requires certain disclosures about pre-need insurance used to fund funeral arrangements.
3. It requires that the face amount of a pre-need insurance policy may not exceed the maximum amount of goods and services contracted for in a prearranged funeral service or plan.
4. It authorizes the payment of commissions in connection with the sale of pre-need insurance to fund funeral arrangements.

LD 874 An Act to Provide Relief to Federal or State Employees Affected by a Federal Government or State Government Shutdown

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 494 establishes the Government Shutdown Loan Guarantee Program. The program, administered by the Finance Authority of Maine, or FAME, provides access to no-interest loans for certain federal employees in Maine or State Government employees affected by a partial or full shutdown of the Federal Government or the State Government that lasts for longer than seven consecutive days by guaranteeing up to 10% of the loans eligible credit unions and financial institutions make to affected employees.

Under the law, affected employees are eligible for up to three loans during a shutdown, each equal to their monthly after-tax pay, less unemployment benefits, up to a maximum of \$6,000. Eligibility must be proven by the employee based on certain requirements. The creditworthiness of an employee may not be used as a factor to determine eligibility for the program.

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An eligible financial institution that makes a loan pursuant to the program is prohibited from requiring repayment of the loan during the grace period, which is the time during the shutdown or 90 days after the disbursement of the loan, whichever is later, and from imposing interest on the loan for 180 days following the grace period. Following the end of the 180 days, an institution that made a loan under the program, after a good faith effort to collect the principal amount of the loan, may apply to FAME for repayment of the uncollected amount of the loan in default. The Treasurer of State is required to transfer funds for the payment of the uncollected amount to FAME, which is required to make the payment to the eligible financial institution. FAME is required to make reasonable efforts to recoup the amount of any payments made to eligible financial institutions from the employee who defaulted on the loan.

LD 881 An Act to Establish an Apprentice Insurance Producer License

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Beginning January 1, 2026, Public Law 2025, chapter 238 authorizes the Superintendent of Insurance to issue an apprentice insurance producer license without requiring a licensing examination. An apprentice insurance producer license may be issued for a period of no more than 180 days if the apprentice insurance producer is employed by a licensed resident insurance producer who sponsors the apprentice insurance producer and assumes legal responsibility for all actions of the apprentice insurance producer. The superintendent may limit the issuance of apprentice insurance producer licenses to no more than two active apprentice insurance producer licenses per sponsor during a calendar year. The law also establishes other requirements for an apprentice insurance producer license.

LD 899 An Act to Strengthen the Requirements for Medical Payments Coverage

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 102 requires the assignment of medical payments coverage to be in writing on a form prescribed or approved by the Superintendent of Insurance.

LD 917 An Act Regarding Charges to Uninsured Patients for COVID-19 Vaccines

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 55 repeals the provision of law that prohibits health care providers from charging uninsured patients for administering a COVID-19 vaccine.

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LD 985 An Act to Impose a Moratorium on the Ownership or Operation of Hospitals in the State by Private Equity Companies or Real Estate Investment Trusts

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 401 places a moratorium until June 15, 2026 on a private equity company or real estate investment trust from acquiring or increasing a direct or indirect ownership interest or operational control or financial control in a hospital in the State. The moratorium does not apply to any transaction for which an application for a certificate of need under the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 22, section 329 was filed on or before June 1, 2025.

Public Law 2025, chapter 401 was enacted as an emergency measure effective June 22, 2025.

LD 999 An Act to Include Employees of the Maine Indian Tribal-State Commission in the State's Group Health Plan and to Clarify Future Eligibility for the State's Group Health Plan

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 278 extends to Maine Indian Tribal-State Commission employees eligibility to participate in the State's group health plan. The law also clarifies the eligibility of persons other than state employees for the group health plan provided by the State as an employee benefit and provides that persons other than state employees may not be granted eligibility under the group health plan unless the persons are employees of a quasi-governmental entity that receives significant and ongoing operating funds through a General Fund appropriation.

LD 1100 An Act to Clarify the Requirements for Accessing Nonformulary Drugs and Drugs Used to Treat Serious Mental Illness

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 473 clarifies that if a drug shortage causes a formulary drug used for the treatment of serious mental illness to become unavailable, a health insurance carrier must approve a prior authorization for an equivalent nonformulary drug that has been prescribed for the treatment of an enrollee's serious mental illness if there is a shortage of the formulary drug and there is no equivalent drug available on the carrier's formulary. The law also preserves the ability of an enrollee to request a clinically appropriate drug not otherwise covered by a carrier's health plan, but eliminates a requirement that an enrollee in a health plan gain access to such a drug.

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LD 1128 An Act to Modernize the Formulary for Naturopathic Doctors

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 150 corrects an inconsistency in the membership of the formulary subcommittee of the Board of Complementary Health Care Providers by removing an outdated reference to a pharmacist member and requires that the formulary subcommittee must consult with pharmacist members of the Maine Board of Pharmacy and recommend an updated formulary related to the prescriptive authority of naturopathic doctors to the board.

The law requires that, after review of the updated formulary recommended by the formulary subcommittee, the Board of Complementary Health Care Providers must adopt the rule designating the formulary no later than January 1, 2026. The law also authorizes the Joint Standing Committee on Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services to report out a bill relating to the prescriptive authority of naturopathic doctors to the Second Regular Session of the 132nd Legislature.

Public Law 2025, chapter 150 was enacted as an emergency measure effective May 30, 2025.

LD 1166 An Act to Change the Professional Title and Identification of Physician Assistants to Physician Associates

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 316 changes the professional title and identification of physician assistants to physician associates, with no change to the scope of practice of those professionals. The law also provides that those licensed as physician assistants before the effective date of the law are not required to become relicensed with the title of physician associate until the time for renewal of their license.

LD 1195 An Act to Amend the Provisions of the Maine Workers' Compensation Act of 1992 Governing Requirements for Self-insurers

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 53 makes the following changes to the provisions of the Maine Workers' Compensation Act of 1992 that govern self-insurers.

1. It removes the confidence level requirements for letters of credit for self-insureds.
2. It clarifies the notice period for nonrenewal of an irrevocable standby letter of credit.
3. It changes the requirements for when a draft on a letter of credit must be honored.
4. It clarifies how a group self-insurer may secure its obligations to the confidence level required.

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5. It corrects the use of the term “out-of-state insurer” to “out-of-state self-insurer.”
6. It corrects an error related to group self-insurers.
7. It corrects a reference to Lloyd's of London.
8. It adds a requirement that the Superintendent of Insurance notify the Workers' Compensation Board if an authorization for self-insurance is terminated or suspended.

LD 1276 An Act to Align Intrastate Commercial Motor Vehicle Insurance Requirements with Federal Standards

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 107 establishes a minimum insurance requirement of \$750,000 for intrastate commercial motor vehicles to bring state requirements in line with federal financial responsibility requirements. This minimum insurance requirement for commercial motor vehicles applies to insurance policies issued or renewed on or after January 1, 2026.

LD 1290 An Act to Update the Laws Regarding Athletic Trainers

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 211 amends the laws governing the licensing and certification of athletic trainers to update references to students and trainees and national trade associations, extend the length of time that out-of-state trainers with visiting sports teams may provide athletic training services to 14 days and eliminate temporary licensing.

LD 1310 An Act to Amend the Laws Governing Insurance Coverage of Preventive and Primary Health Services

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 213 amends the laws governing parity in cost sharing for primary care and behavioral health office visits to provide that those laws do not apply to group health plans, other than small group health plans, that have no deductible, no coinsurance and out-of-pocket limits that meet the applicable federal requirements.

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LD 1339 An Act to Regulate Virtual Currency Kiosks

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 285 enacts the Maine Virtual Currency Kiosk Act to regulate virtual currency kiosk operators and includes the following provisions.

1. It requires licensing of virtual currency kiosk operators.
2. It caps transaction charges at the greater of \$5 and 3% of the dollar amount of the transaction.
3. It establishes a \$1,000 per day transaction limit per customer.
4. It requires virtual currency kiosk operators to make certain disclosures to customers.
5. It provides a process to refund customers for fraudulent and unfair, deceptive or abusive transactions, including any transaction charges by the kiosk operator.
6. It prohibits the waiver of any customer rights granted in the law.

Public Law 2025, chapter 285 was enacted as an emergency measure effective June 12, 2025.

LD 1361 An Act to Require Insurance Coverage for Covered Dental Services Provided by Licensed Dental Hygienists

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Beginning January 1, 2026, Public Law 2025, chapter 478 requires health insurance carriers to reimburse dental hygienists for covered services that are within their scope of practice if those same services would be reimbursed if provided by a dentist.

LD 1413 An Act to Amend Laws Governing Hearing Aid Dealers to Allow an Exception to Certain Hearing Examination Requirements

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 166 provides that, unless prohibited by federal law or regulation, a hearing aid dealer may sell or furnish a replacement hearing aid of the same specifications as the original hearing aid to an individual of any age without requiring a hearing examination if the individual is too ill or infirm to do so safely.

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LD 1445 An Act to Prevent Financial Exploitation of Vulnerable Adults

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 215 authorizes a financial institution or credit union authorized to do business in this State to report suspected financial exploitation of an adult 65 years of age or older or an individual protected under the Adult Protective Services Act to the Office of the Attorney General. The law also authorizes a financial institution or credit union to delay, for a certain period of time and under certain conditions, a disbursement from an account if financial exploitation is suspected. A financial institution or credit union that acts in good faith in response to suspected financial exploitation is immune from administrative or civil liability. The law allows a financial institution or credit union to provide access to or copies of records related to suspected financial exploitation to a law enforcement agency and designates records provided to a law enforcement agency as confidential.

LD 1497 An Act to Amend the Laws Governing Primary Care Reporting by the Maine Quality Forum and to Establish the Primary Care Advisory Council

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 218 requires the Maine Quality Forum to report annually to the Department of Health and Human Services and to the joint standing committees of the Legislature having jurisdiction over health and human services matters and health coverage and health insurance matters on the key measures reflecting the status of primary care in the State, including state investments in primary care as part of overall health care spending, the primary care workforce, timely access to and utilization of primary care services and overall health data that reflects the use of preventive and screening services.

The law establishes the Primary Care Advisory Council, which is required to perform research and assessment tasks to identify specific actions required to create a sustainable high-functioning primary care system in the State and to submit a report annually to the Department of Health and Human Services and to the joint standing committee of the Legislature having jurisdiction over health coverage and health insurance matters.

The reporting requirements of the Maine Quality Forum and the provisions regarding the Primary Care Advisory Council are repealed on January 15, 2031.

LD 1501 An Act to Extend the Time Frame for a Chiropractic Intern License

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 108 extends from six months to nine months the time frame for which the Board of Chiropractic Licensure may issue a nonrenewable temporary license for a chiropractic intern.

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LD 1511 An Act to Expand Direct Health Care Service Arrangements

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 358 authorizes an individual to contract directly with a health care provider who is a licensed allopathic or osteopathic physician or other advanced health care practitioner for the provision of any health care services. Prior to the enactment of Public Law 2025, chapter 358, such an arrangement was only authorized when the physician or advanced health care practitioner provides primary care services.

LD 1578 Resolve, to Establish the Commission to Evaluate the Scope of Regulatory Review and Oversight over Health Care Transactions That Impact the Delivery of Health Care Services in the State

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Resolve 2025, chapter 106 establishes the Commission to Evaluate the Scope of Regulatory Review and Oversight over Health Care Transactions That Impact the Delivery of Health Care Services in the State.

The law requires the commission to evaluate potential changes to the State's certificate of need laws, including, but not limited to, expanding the scope of review to the termination or disruption of health care services and changing the monetary thresholds that trigger review; evaluate potential legislative changes to require regulatory review and oversight of substantial health care transactions, such as transfers of ownership or control, among hospitals, health care facilities and health care provider organizations; and evaluate the role of a private equity company or real estate investment trust taking a direct or indirect ownership interest, operational control or financial control of a hospital in the State.

The law directs the commission to submit a report to the Joint Standing Committee on Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services no later than December 10, 2025 and authorizes the committee to report out legislation based on the report to the Second Regular Session of the 132nd Legislature.

Resolve 2025, chapter 106 was finally passed as an emergency measure effective July 1, 2025.

LD 1580 An Act to Prohibit Carriers and Pharmacy Benefits Managers from Using Spread Pricing

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 291 prohibits so-called spread pricing, which means amounts charged by a pharmacy benefits manager in excess of the ingredient cost for a dispensed prescription drug and the dispensing fee paid to the pharmacy or pharmacist less any pharmacy benefits management

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fee. This prohibition applies to contracts entered into or renewed on or after January 1, 2026 and is repealed January 1, 2031.

LD 1615 Resolve, to Expand Access to Oral Health Care by Studying Alternative Pathways for Obtaining a License to Practice Dentistry

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Resolve 2025, chapter 107 establishes the Commission to Expand Access to Oral Health Care by Studying Alternative Pathways for Obtaining a License to Practice Dentistry. To address potential workforce shortages, the commission is directed to study integrating foreign-trained dentists and out-of-state dentists into the dental care workforce in a way that best reflects their level of skills and training and reducing barriers to licensing for foreign-trained dentists and dentists from other states. The commission is required to submit its report to the Joint Standing Committee on Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services no later than December 10, 2025.

Resolve 2025, chapter 107 was finally passed as an emergency measure effective July 1, 2025.

LD 1687 An Act to Clarify and Increase Access to HIV Prevention Medications

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 483 clarifies that pharmacists are by law allowed to dispense HIV preventive oral medication and allows pharmacists to dispense injectable medication of any duration in certain circumstances. The law clarifies that health insurance carriers must authorize pharmacists that dispense HIV prevention drugs in accordance with the law to bill the carrier and receive payment directly. The law clarifies that health insurance carriers must provide coverage with no out-of-pocket cost for HIV prevention drugs for the prevention of the acquisition of HIV infection in accordance with a rating of A or B in the recommendations of the United States Preventive Services Task Force or equivalent rating from a successor organization and guidelines issued by the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services. A carrier may not require prior authorization or step therapy requirements for those HIV prevention drugs.

Public Law 2025, chapter 483 also requires that, no later than January 1, 2027, the Department of Health and Human Services must provide reimbursement under the MaineCare program to pharmacists for prescribing, dispensing and administering HIV prevention drugs.

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LD 1727 An Act to Ensure Transparency in Consumer Transactions Involving Artificial Intelligence

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 294 prohibits a person from using an artificial intelligence chatbot to engage in trade or commerce with a consumer in a manner that may mislead or deceive a reasonable consumer into believing that the consumer is engaging with a human being unless the consumer is notified that the consumer is not engaging with a human being. A violation of this prohibition is a violation of the Maine Unfair Trade Practices Act.

LD 1757 An Act to Update the Laws Governing Osteopathic Physician Licensing

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 220 makes the following changes to the laws governing osteopathic physicians.

1. It removes the provision that requires the Board of Osteopathic Licensure to meet in June of each year and replaces it with a requirement that the board hold regular monthly meetings and any additional special meetings.
2. It removes the provision that provides that a license to practice osteopathic medicine may not be granted except on an affirmative vote of a majority of the Board of Osteopathic Licensure.
3. It requires applicants for licensure to meet minimum qualifications, including, for applicants who graduate from an accredited osteopathic medical school after 2025, graduation from an osteopathic medical school accredited by the Commission on Osteopathic College Accreditation, completion of at least 36 months in a graduate educational program approved by the Accreditation Council on Graduate Medical Education, achievement of a passing score on each component of the National Board of Osteopathic Medical Examiners' COMLEX-USA examination and payment of a license fee of up to \$600.
4. It eliminates the outdated term “fellow” from the laws governing temporary licensure.

LD 1785 An Act to Require Health Insurance Carriers to Provide Contact Information for Employees Responsible for Negotiating Health Care Provider Contracts

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 295 requires that, upon a health care provider's request, a health insurance carrier must provide the health care provider with contact information for the carrier's employee responsible for negotiating contract terms with the provider, including the fee schedule,

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at the time the contract is offered to the provider. The law also requires a carrier to keep this information updated on the carrier's electronic portal for providers or, if the carrier does not have an electronic portal, by other means of electronic notification.

LD 1789 An Act to Amend the Education Requirements in the Certified Public Accountant Licensure Laws

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 297 provides that, in order to take the licensing examination as a certified public accountant, an individual must have completed at least 120 semester hours of education, including basic courses in accounting and auditing determined acceptable by the Board of Accountancy. In order to be licensed, the law clarifies that an applicant must have completed at least 150 semester hours of education, including a minimum 4-year baccalaureate or higher degree conferred by a college or university acceptable to the Board of Accountancy.

LD 1794 An Act to Provide Protection from Unfair Parking Tickets on Lots Accessible to the Public

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 350 requires that the amount of any fine, fee or charge to any person for the violation of any parking rule applicable to property accessible to the public must be reasonable and be conspicuously and prominently posted within the property so that it is visible at any entrance and exit of a parking lot or parking structure within the property by a person entering and exiting in a motor vehicle. The law requires that written notice of a parking violation be provided to the registered owner of the motor vehicle and specifies the minimum information that must be included in the notice. The law also prohibits the use of an automated license plate recognition system at a property accessible to the public for the parking of motor vehicles except as specifically provided under current law. A violation of these provisions is a violation of the Maine Unfair Trade Practices Act.

LD 1800 An Act to Prohibit Health Care Entities Providing Dental Plans from Requiring a Dental Provider to Charge Fees for Uncovered Dental Services

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 298 prohibits insurers and health maintenance organizations that issue dental insurance or health insurance that covers dental services from requiring dentists and other dental professionals to obtain approval for services that are not covered services or to provide services that are covered services for a fee set by the insurer or health maintenance organization. The law also provides that any fee for a covered dental service must be set by the insurer or health maintenance organization in good faith and may not be nominal.

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LD 1830 Resolve, to Expand the Recipients of the Report on the Public Safety Health and Wellness Grant Pilot Program and Authorize Legislation to Be Submitted in Response to the Report

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Resolve 2025, chapter 91 directs the Department of Public Safety, no later than January 10, 2026, to submit the report on the public safety health and wellness grant pilot program required to be completed pursuant to Public Law 2023, chapter 643, Part T, section 5 to the Joint Standing Committee on Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services. The law also authorizes the Joint Standing Committee on Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services, the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services or the Joint Standing Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Safety to report out legislation to the Second Regular Session of the 132nd Legislature in response to the report.

LD 1834 An Act to Clarify the Availability of Alternative Claims Payment Methods to Dental Care Providers

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

By law, a health insurance carrier must provide a health care provider a method for making claims payments using an electronic funds transfer through the automated clearinghouse network. Public Law 2025, chapter 300 provides that, for the purposes of that requirement, a health care provider includes a person licensed to provide dental services under the Maine Revised Statutes, Title 32, chapter 143, subchapter 3 and a carrier includes an insurer that provides dental insurance.

LD 1837 An Act to Amend the Laws Affecting Insurance

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 348 makes the following changes to the laws governing insurance.

1. It extends the prohibition on cost-sharing for screening mammograms to nonprofit hospital and medical care service organizations.
2. It updates the civil penalty laws and eliminates a fine.
3. It adds language regarding voting securities.
4. It eliminates the requirement for manual execution of an annual statement.
5. It eliminates the \$100 annual report fee for self-insurers and incorporates it into the existing renewal fee.

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6. It changes the phrase “unauthorized insurer” to “nonadmitted insurer” and “broker” to “producer.”
7. It prohibits workers' compensation insurance from export in the surplus lines market.
8. It eliminates a provision requiring surplus lines insurers to establish satisfactory evidence of good repute and financial integrity.
9. It updates the notice on surplus lines contracts and adds a notice to applications for surplus lines insurance.
10. It clarifies an ambiguity regarding surplus lines coverage in response to the opinion of the Maine Supreme Judicial Court in *Corinth Pellets, LLC v. Arch Specialty Insurance Co. et al.*, 2021 ME 10, 246 A.3d 586.
11. It requires that a person who is licensed, required to be licensed or otherwise authorized to operate pursuant to the insurance laws of the State must require that a contracted 3rd-party service provider notify that person when the 3rd-party service provider becomes aware of any cybersecurity event affecting nonpublic information obtained from the person that has occurred in an information system maintained by the 3rd-party service provider or an ancillary service provider if the event has a reasonable likelihood of materially harming any consumer or any material part of the normal operations of the person. It defines “ancillary service provider” as a person, not licensed under the insurance laws of this State, that contracts with a 3rd-party service provider or another ancillary service provider to maintain, process or store nonpublic information obtained from a person licensed under the insurance laws of this State or is otherwise permitted access to that information through its services to the 3rd-party service provider or other ancillary service provider.
12. It makes changes regarding covered claims and cybersecurity insurance.
13. It eliminates a reference to the insurability of an employer group.
14. It allows for a raw number to be reported instead of a percentage in reporting enrollee and carrier disenrollments.
15. It provides confidentiality for independent dispute resolution in the same manner as for external review.

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LD 1854 An Act to Require the Board of Counseling Professionals Licensure, Board of Dental Practice, Board of Speech, Audiology and Hearing, Board of Occupational Therapy Practice, State Board of Social Worker Licensure, Board of Osteopathic Licensure and Board of Licensure in Medicine to Obtain Fingerprint-based Federal Bureau of Investigation Criminal Background Checks for Initial Applicants and Licensees Seeking Compact Privileges

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 366 requires the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, Office of Professional and Occupational Regulation, Board of Counseling Professionals Licensure, Board of Dental Practice, Board of Speech, Audiology and Hearing, Board of Occupational Therapy Practice and State Board of Social Worker Licensure and the department-affiliated Board of Licensure in Medicine and Board of Osteopathic Licensure to obtain national and state fingerprint-based criminal history record information for certain applicants for initial licensure and licensure by endorsement and applicants seeking a compact privilege or multistate license pursuant to an interstate compact.

LD 1905 An Act Regarding the Authority of the Office of Professional and Occupational Regulation and the Licensing Boards and Commissions Within That Office to Pursue Complaints

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 304 allows the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, Office of Professional and Occupational Regulation, including any licensing boards or commissions within the office, to delegate to staff the authority to determine whether a pending complaint is not within the jurisdiction of the Department of Professional and Financial Regulation, Office of Professional and Occupational Regulation or the licensing boards or commissions within the office to enforce.

LD 1906 An Act to Improve Accountability and Understanding of Data in Insurance Transactions

ENACTED LAW SUMMARY

Public Law 2025, chapter 487 requires administrators and pharmacy benefits managers that provide health coverage or prescription drug coverage under a contract with a plan sponsor, including any person that offers health coverage or prescription drug coverage to its employees or members through a self-funded health benefit plan, to provide certain claims information to a plan sponsor upon request. The law also gives a plan sponsor the right to request an audit to ensure compliance with a contract at least once every calendar year as long as the request is at least six months after a previously requested audit.

Public Law 2025, chapter 487 also does the following.

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1. It clarifies that claim forms or electronic claims transactions may be modified only as necessary to comply with the federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 and the federal Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health Act of 2009.
2. It clarifies that data to be provided to a plan sponsor must be in the possession of the administrator or its agents.
3. It authorizes a plan sponsor to request information related to a high-cost claim that exceeds \$100,000 and provides that a high-cost claim is any claim that exceeds the threshold.
4. It requires a plan sponsor or its designee to request high-cost claims data within two business days of receiving the high-cost claim and requires an administrator to respond to a request within 30 business days.
5. It requires an administrator to provide claims data received by the administrator via electronic claims transactions.
6. It requires an administrator to provide itemized billing statements and medical records associated with specific high-cost claims if requested by a plan sponsor.
7. It specifies that a request for an audit must be made within 24 months of the end of each plan year to be audited and requires the plan sponsor to certify that its choice of auditor has adequate conflict of interest protection provisions to prevent conflicts of interest from adversely affecting the outcome of the audit.
8. It authorizes an administrator or pharmacy benefits manager to require that the plan sponsor and its auditor execute a nondisclosure and data use agreement that reasonably restricts the auditor's use of data to the sole purpose of conducting an audit on behalf of the plan sponsor. It also limits the amount of cybersecurity or liability insurance that can be required in the nondisclosure and data use agreement to no more than the administrator's or pharmacy benefits manager's limit of liability under the service agreement between the plan sponsor and the administrator or pharmacy benefits manager. It also states that an administrator or pharmacy benefits manager is not required to share data with an auditor that has previously breached a nondisclosure and data use agreement with that administrator or pharmacy benefits manager.
9. It provides that rebate amounts to be reported are those generated by claims processed through the plan administered by the pharmacy benefits manager.
10. It provides that an administrator or pharmacy benefits manager may not enter into any contract or network service agreement that would violate the provisions of this law.
11. It places the enforcement of the law's provisions exclusively with the Attorney General under the Maine Unfair Trade Practices Act.

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ANALYST NOTES

This section includes additional information relating to certain LDs as noted in a committee digest. This is information staff found useful and may provide useful information to users of this digest. Please note that most LDs do not have a note and lack of a note should not be interpreted as having any significance.

LD 1018 An Act to Protect Health Care for Rural and Underserved Areas by Prohibiting Discrimination by Participants in a Federal Drug Discount Program

Though this bill was not enacted, the substance of the bill was incorporated into the budget. See Appropriations and Financial Affairs, Enacted Law Summary, LD 210, Public Law 2025, chapter 388, Part P.