



**May 8, 2017**  
**1:00p.m. - 2:30p.m**

**Pharmacy Advocacy Group**  
**Texas Legislative Associates - 13<sup>th</sup> and Lavaca Street**

Key Issues	Senate	House	Lead	Status
<b>1. Adherence</b>				
a. Medication Synchronization	SB697 (Buckingham)	HB1296 (Fruzzo)	NACDS/TFDS	SB Rec. in House, HB Passed the House
<b>2. Dispensing</b>				
a. Physician Dispensing		HB1482 (Shaheen)	Various	Referred to Public Health
b. Physician Dispensing All Dangerous Drugs	SB1818 (Burton)		Various	Referred to HHS
c. Physician Dispensing Aesthetic	SB1606 (Creighton)	HB2420 (Oliverson)	Various	SB Referred HHS, HB to Public Health
d. Optometrist Dispensing Therapeutic	HB3480 (Shaheen)		Various	Referred to Public Health
<b>3. Injectables</b>				
a. Immunization (7-14 Years of Age)	SB2042 (Zaffarini)		NACDS/TFDS	Referred to HHS
b. Epinephrine Day-Care	SB1101 (Taylor)	HB3893 (Klick)		SB Voted Fav.as Sub, HB to Public Health
c. Epinephrine Higher Ed	SB1367 (Menendez)	HB3851 (Howard)		SB Ref. Higher Ed., HB 5/8 Set House Calendar
d. Admin. of Epinephrine by Certain Entities	SB1684 (Lucio)			Referred to HHS
<b>4. Medicaid</b>				
a. NADAC		HB1133 (Sheffield)	TIPA	Passed the House
b. Medicaid Payment Disclosure	SB1567 (Kolkhorst)	HB3288 (Klick)	TIPA	SB Referred Bus. & Comm., HB to Approp.
c. Administrative and Judicial Review		HB335 (Collier)	TrueCare	Referred to Human Services
d. Late Payment Penalty MCOs		HB1420 (Martinez)		Left Pending in Human Services
e. Medicaid Rate-setting Transparency		HB1524 (Munoz)		Left Pending in Human Services
f. Transparency Prescription Drug Coverage	SB895 (Seliger)	HB1127 (Smithee)		SB Left Pending Bus. & Comm., HB in Calendars
g. MCO Formulary Maintaining with the State		HB1917 (Raymond)	Various	Rec. in Senate
h. MCO to the Plans	SB1922 (Schwertner)			Rec. in House
i. MCO Audit Strategy	SB894 (Buckingham)	HB3596 (Munoz)	AIP	SB Ref. Human Services , HB Ref. Human Services
j. MCO Drug Formularies		HB1206 (Shaheen)		Referred Approp.
k. MCO Cost Saving Report		HB2375 (Munoz)		Left Pending in Human Services
l. Filing a claim for reimbursement under the Medicaid program		HB2373 (Miller)		Passed House
m. Termination by an insurer of a contract with a preferred provider.		HB2397 (Munoz)		Reported Fav. As Sub.
n. Admin. and Operation, Medicaid MCO	SB1776 (Hinojosa)	HB3982 (Raymond)		SB Ref. HHS, HB In Calendars

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<b>5. PBM Reform</b>				
a. PBM Regulation	SB1564 (Kolkhorst)	HB1881 (Munoz)	AIP	SB Ref. Bus. & Comm., HB Ref. Insurance
b. PBM Contracting Fix	SB1413 (Schwertner)	HB3218 (Phillips)	AIP	SB Rec. House., HB Passed to Third Reading
<b>7. Provider Initiative</b>				
a. Pharmacists as Providers		HB2608 (Lozano)	TPA	Referred Public Health
b. Enhanced Patient Access to Services		HB2444 (Roberts)	TPA	Referred Public Health
<b>8. Opioid</b>				
a. Abuse-deterrent Opioid Analgesic (Tamper Resistant)	SB270 (Creighton)	HB3864 (Rodriguez)		SB Ref. Bus. & Comm., HB Ref. Insurance
b. Advance Practice Nurse Prescribing Schedule II	Sb433 (Rodriguez)	HB1846(Coleman)	TFDS	SB Referred to HHS, HB Voted Fav. As Sub.
c. Relating to guidelines for prescribing opioid antagonist	SB584 (West)	HB3313 (Rose)		SB 5/9 Set Public Health, HB Ref. Public Health
d. Controlled Substances Pregnant or May Become	SB1774 (Miles)			Referred to HHS
<b>9. Technician</b>				
a. Remote Technician – CVS		HB2389 (Burkett)		5/8 Set House Calendar (Lang. Deal Struck Amend. House Floor)
b. Second Technician Test		HB75 (Flynn)		Referred Public Health
c. Remote Pharmacy – Cardinal Health	SB1633 (Perry)	HB3886 (Oliverson)		SB 5/9 Hearing Set Public Health, HB Ref. Public Health
<b>10. PMP Legislation</b>				
a. PMP Requirements	SB1284 (Taylor)		Pharmacy Groups and TMA	Referred HHS
b. "		HB2859 (Coleman)		Left Pending Public Health
c. "	SB316 (Hinojosa)			5/9 Hearing Set Public Health
d. "	SB1412 (Schwertner)			Left Pending HHS
<b>11. TSBP Issues</b>				
a. Clean-Up Legislation		HB3273 (Roberts)		Voted Fav. As Sub.
b. Broadcasting of TSBP Meetings	SB124 (Huffines)			Referred Bus. & Comm.
<b>12. Sunset Bills</b>				
a. TBP	SB306 (Taylor)	HB2561 (Thompson)		SB Ref. HHS, HB Ref. HHS
b. TDB	SB313 (Schwertner)	HB2990 (Burkett)		SB Voted Fav. Public Health, HB Ref. Public Health
c. TMB	SB315 ((Hinojosa)	HB3040 (Burkett)		SB Voted Fav. As Sub. HHS, HB In Calendars
d. TVB	SB319 (Watson)	HB2967 (Raymond)		SB In Calendars, HB Voted Fav. As Sub. A&L

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e. TNB	SB305 (Hinojosa)	HB2950 (Burkett)		SB Ref. HHS, HB Rec. in Senate
<b>13. Other</b>				
a. Step Therapy	SB680 (Hancock)	HB1464 (Bonnen, G)		SB In Calendars, HB 5/8 Set House Calendar
b. Modification of Drug Benefits	SB 196 (Creighton)	HB2882 (Oliverson)		SB Ref. Bus. & Comm., HB Left Pending Insurance
c. Burglary and Theft of Controlled Substances	SB536 (Hinojosa)	HB1178 (Kuempel)	TPBC	SB Left Pending Criminal Justice, HB Ref. Criminal Justice
d. Clawback/Fees	SB1076 (Schwertner)	HB2360 (Bonnen)	TPBC	SB Rec. in House, HB in Calendars
e. Medical Marijuana	SB269 (Menendez)	HB2107 (Lucio)		SB Referred HHS, HB Voted Fav. As Sub. Public Health
f. Medication Donation	SB382 (Burton)			Rec. in House
g. Telemedicine and Telehealth Services	SB1107 (Schwertner)	HB2697 (Price)		SB Voted Fav. As Sub. Public Health, HB Postponed on 2 <sup>nd</sup> Reading till 5/9
h. Clinical Trial Medication for Chronic Diseases		HB661 (Parker)		5/8 Set House Calendar
i. Advanced Practice Nurse	SB681 (Hancock)	HB1415 (Klick)		SB Referred to HHS, HB Left Pending Public Health
j. Sale of Dextromethorphan To Minors	SB916 (Seliger)	HB1939 (Coleman)		SB Referred to HHS, HB Voted Fav. As Sub.
k. Required use of E-Prescribing Schedule II		HB2743 (Zedler)		Left Pending Public Health
l. Conscientious Refusal of a Health Care Service		HB2878 (Sanford)		Referred State Affairs
m. Psychologist's Prescriptive Authority	SB1240 (Rodriguez)	HB593 (Burrows)		SB Referred to HHS, HB to Public Health
n. Worker's Comp Closed Formulary Pharmaceutical Benefits		HB2830 (Oliveira)		Left Pending Bus. & Industry
o. Medical Supply Vehicles During an Emergency	SB908 (Creighton)	HB1816 (Metcalf)		SB 5/8 Intent Calendar, 5/8 Set House CCalendar
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