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| LB5 | M | Provide immunity for administration of naloxone or other federally approved opioid antagonists | Bosn | Judiciary | 1/23/2025 | | | | | |
| LB10 | M | Change requirements relating to wholesale drug distributors and dispensing of certain prescription drugs | Hughes | HHS | 1/22/2025 | 1/29/2025 | 2/5/2025 | 2/19/2025 | | |
| LB22 | S | Require the Department of Health and Human Services to file a state plan amendment for evidenced-based nurse home-visitation services | Dungan | HHS | 1/23/2025 | 2/5/2025 | 2/10/2025 | | | letter |
| LB26 | S | Include certain hospital and health clinic employees within statutes protecting health care professionals from assault | Ballard | Judiciary | 1/23/2025 | | | | | NHA Priority Bill |
| LB27 | M | Change provisions of the Rural Health Systems and Professional Incentive Act | Ballard | HHS | 1/22/2025 | | | | | |
| LB29 | M | Create a review process for agency rules and regulations | Conrad | Government | 2/12/2025 | | | | | |
| LB41 | S | Change blood test requirements for pregnant women | Riepe | HHS | 1/23/2025 | 2/5/2025 | 2/10/2025 | | | letter |
| LB42 | M | Provide for employment of nurse aides in intellectual and developmental disability facilities | Riepe | HHS | 1/23/2025 | 1/29/2025 | 2/5/2025 | 2/19/2025 | | |
| LB45 | M | Provide for grants for job programs for historically underserved youth | McKinney | Business | 2/10/2025 | | | | | |
| LB55 | M | State intent regarding appropriations for medicaid rates for mental health providers | Dorn | Approps | 3/11/2025 | | | | | |
| LB56 | M | Require medical facilities and mortuaries to comply with requests for blood draws relating to certain deceased persons | Dorn | Judiciary | 3/19/2025 | | | | | |
| LB57 | M | State intent regarding appropriations for medicaid assisted-living facilities | Dorn | Approps | 3/11/2025 | | | | | |
| LB64 | S | Change eligibility requirements for medicare supplement policies | Fredrickson | BCI | 2/24/2025 | | | | | |
| LB66 | M | Adopt the Uniform Health-Care Decisions Act | DeBoer | Judiciary | 2/4/2025 | 3/19/2025 | | | | |
| LB67 | M | Adopt the Sexual Assault Emergency Care Act | Raybould | HHS | | | | | | |
| LB68 | M | Provide insurance and medicaid coverage for certain contraceptives | Raybould | BCI | 2/24/2025 | | | | | |
| LB77 | S | Adopt the Ensuring Transparency in Prior Authorization Act | Bostar | BCI | 2/10/2025 | | | | | NHA Priority Bill |
| LB104 | M | Adopt the Family Home Visitation Act | Raybould | HHS | 2/7/2025 | | | | | |
| LB109 | S | Prohibit certain provisions in insurance policies and health plans relating to clinician-administered drugs and change provisions relating to pharmacy benefit managers | Bostar | BCI | 2/10/2025 | | | | | NHA Priority Bill |
| LB110 | N | Provide requirements for pelvic examinations | Hughes | HHS | 1/31/2025 | | | | | letter |
| LB115 | S | Increase the income tax credit and change the qualification criteria under the Volunteer Emergency Responders Incentive Act | Ballard | Revenue | 1/24/2025 | | | | | letter |

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

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| LB252 | M | Prohibit disadvantaging insurance and Medicaid coverage for nonopioid drugs | Bostar | BCI | 2/24/2025 | | | | | |
| LB253 | S | Provide for insurance and medicaid coverage of biomarker testing | Bostar | BCI | 2/24/2025 | | | | | NE Med testifier |
| LB260 | M | Provide, change, and eliminate provisions relating to appropriations | Arch | Approps | 2/18/2025 | | | | | |
| LB261 | M | Appropriate funds for the expenses of Nebraska State Government for the biennium ending June 30, 2027, and appropriate Federal Funds allocated to the State of Nebraska pursuant to the federal American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 | Arch | Approps | 2/18/2025 | | | | | testify |
| LB264 | M | Provide, change, and eliminate transfers from the Cash Reserve Fund and various other funds and change, terminate, and eliminate various statutory programs | Arch | Approps | 2/18/2025 | | | | | letter |
| LB273 | M | Change provisions relating to a power of attorney for health care | Hunt | Judiciary | 3/19/2025 | | | | | |
| LB278 | S | Change requirements for certain insurance policies and contracts | von Gillern | BCI | 2/25/2025 | | | | | |
| LB281 | M | Change provisions relating to the Board of Nursing and eliminate the Board of Advanced Practice Registered Nurses | Quick | HHS | 2/19/2025 | | | | | |
| LB283 | M | Require the Department of Health and Human Services to implement express lane eligibility | Spivey | HHS | | | | | | |
| LB305 | S | Adopt the Preceptorship Tax Credit Act | Ibach | Revenue | 1/30/2025 | | | | | letter |
| LB308 | S | Adopt the Health Care Staffing Agency Registration Act | Ibach | Business | 1/27/2025 | | | | | testimony |
| LB310 | O | Provide an exemption from newborn screening for certain diseases or conditions | Hansen | HHS | 1/30/2025 | | | | | testifier |
| LB312 | S | Provide for student loans to students in nurse anesthesia practice programs and loan repayments for nurse anesthetists under the Rural Health Systems and Professional Incentive Act | Strommen | HHS | 2/7/2025 | 2/10/2025 | | | | |
| LB322 | S | Prohibit assault on a frontline behavioral health staff and clarify provisions relating to assault on officers, emergency responders, certain employees, and health care professionals | Clouse | Judiciary | 2/12/2025 | | | | | |
| LB326 | M | Change provisions relating to the Unfair Insurance Trade Practices Act, the Nebraska Property and Liability Insurance Guaranty Association Act, and mutual insurance holding companies and eliminate the provisions of the Health Insurance Access Act and the Health Care Purchasing Pool Act | Jacobson | BCI | 1/21/2025 | 2/18/2025 | | | | |
| LB331 | O | Adopt the Nebraska EPIC Option Consumption Tax Act and terminate tax provisions | Hardin | Revenue | | | | | | |
| LB332 | M | Require medicaid coverage for psychology services provided by certain practitioners | Hardin | HHS | 2/19/2025 | | | | | |

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| LB338 | S | Prohibit the use of genetic information for life insurance, disability insurance, and long-term care insurance | Wordekemper | BCI | 2/11/2025 | | | | | |
| LB361 | M | Changes to the Nebraska Fair Employment Practice Act to provide for jury trials and prohibit discrimination for exercise of rights under the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act | Conrad | Business | 2/7/2025 | | | | | |
| LB369 | M | Allow persons eighteen years of age to make health care decisions and persons under nineteen years of age in correctional facilities to consent to medical and mental health care | Hunt | Judiciary | 2/7/2025 | | | | | |
| LB374 | O | Adopt the Licensed Midwives Practice Act | Hansen | HHS | 2/5/2025 | | | | | |
| LB376 | M | Change and eliminate programs and services administered by the Department of Health and Human Services and eliminate various reporting requirements | HHS Committee | HHS | 2/19/2025 | | | | | |
| LB380 | S | Establish requirements for Department of Health and Human Services' contractors providing medical assistance services | Fredrickson | HHS | 2/26/2025 | | | | | letter |
| LB382 | M | Provide for use of the Medicaid Managed Care Excess Profit Fund to reimburse designated area agencies on aging and state intent regarding appropriations | Meyer | HHS | 2/19/2025 | | | | | letter |
| LB386 | M | Adopt the Regional Mental Health Expansion Pilot Program Act, provide for videoconferencing of hearings under the Nebraska Mental Health Commitment Act and the Sex Offender Commitment Act, provide for detention of certain persons at mental health beds in jails, and change provisions relating to hearings and rights of confrontation | Storer | Judiciary | 3/28/2025 | | | | | |
| LB410 | M | Require insurance coverage of prosthetics and orthotics | J. Cavanaugh | BCI | 3/10/2025 | | | | | |
| LB415 | M | Change provisions of the Nebraska Healthy Families and Workplaces Act | Ballard | Business | 2/24/2025 | | | | | |
| LB436 | S | Change provisions of the Nebraska Regulation of Health Professions Act | HHS Comm | HHS | 2/20/2025 | | | | | letter |
| LB437 | O | Repeal the Nebraska Health Care Certificate of Need Act | Riepe | HHS | | | | | | |
| LB446 | S | Change provisions relating to release of health data and statistical research information | Guereca | HHS | 2/27/2025 | | | | | |
| LB455 | M | Provide for confidentiality of and access to certain injury reports under the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act | Hallstrom | Business | | | | | | |
| LB456 | M | Provide for a patient's waiver for the release of employee hospital and medical records under the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act | Hallstrom | Business | | | | | | |

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| LB462 | M | Change reporting requirements relating to child abuse or neglect, parental rights, and juvenile court jurisdiction | McKinney | Judiciary | 2/7/2025 | | | | | |
| LB467 | M | Provide a duty to implement a prior authorization application programming interface under the Utilization Review Act | Riepe | BCI | 2/10/2025 | | | | | |
| LB512 | M | Adopt the Chemical Abortion Safety Protocol Act | Holdcroft | HHS | 2/13/2025 | | | | | |
| LB515 | M | Provide requirements for certain prescription refills | Quick | HHS | 2/21/2025 | | | | | |
| LB527 | S | Adopt the Medicaid Access and Quality Act, redefine health benefit plan under the Nebraska Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Association Act, and change provisions relating to taxes on health maintenance organizations, prepaid limited health service organizations, and insurance companies | Jacobson | BCI | 2/4/2025 | 2/6/2025 | 2/11/2025 | | | |
| LB532 | M | Require employers to use E-Verify, prohibit knowingly hiring an unauthorized alien, and provide for discipline against employers' licenses | Kauth | Business | 3/3/2025 | | | | | |
| LB533 | O | Provide requirements relating to clinician-administered drugs under the Pharmacy Benefit Manager Licensure and Regulation Act | Kauth | Banking | 3/3/2025 | | | | | |
| LB535 | S | Prohibit assault on a frontline behavioral health provider or health care worker and clarify provisions relating to assault on officers, emergency responders, certain employees, and health care professionals | Kauth | Judiciary | 2/12/2025 | | | | | |
| LB553 | M | Change provisions of the Rural Health Systems and Professional Incentive Act | Riepe | HHS | 2/28/2025 | | | | | |
| LB554 | S | Create the Nebraska Health Professions Commission | Riepe | HHS | 2/20/2025 | | | | | letter |
| LB565 | M | Provide and change requirements relating to agency guidance documents | Quick | Government | 2/12/2025 | | | | | |
| LB569 | S | Change duties of the Board of Emergency Medical Services | HHS Committee | HHS | 2/20/2025 | | | | | |
| LB570 | S | Provide for scholarships for nursing students | J. Cavanaugh | HHS | 2/20/2025 | | | | | |
| LB577 | M | Change licensure requirements for remote dispensing pharmacies and verification requirements for pharmacists | Dorn | HHS | | | | | | |
| LB581 | M | Appropriate funds to the Department of Health and Human Services | M. Cavanaugh | Approps | 3/17/2025 | | | | | |

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| LB583 | M | Change provisions relating to the rate and disbursement of the documentary stamp tax, the Child Care Grant Fund, child care grants, the Military Installation Development and Support Fund, the Affordable Housing Trust Fund, the Innovation Hub Cash Fund, the Economic Recovery Contingency Fund, and the Health Care Homes for the Medically Underserved Fund | Spivey | Revenue | 2/21/2025 | | | | | |
| LB610 | S | Change provisions relating to supplemental reimbursement for ground emergency medical transport under the Medical Assistance Act | Bostar | HHS | 2/27/2025 | | | | | |
| LB621 | M | State legislative intent regarding appropriations and provide for transfers from the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund | Dover | Approps | 3/17/2025 | | | | | |
| LB627 | M | Provide for a capital construction project for the University of Nebraska | Dover | Approps | 2/25/2025 | | | | | |
| LB630 | M | Provide and change scope of practice requirements under the Occupational Therapy Practice Act | Hansen | HHS | | | | | | |
| LB632 | M | Require a health care facility to dispose of the remains of aborted unborn children | Hansen | HHS | | | | | | |
| LB642 | M | Adopt the Artificial Intelligence Consumer Protection Act | Bostar | Judiciary | 2/6/2025 | | | | | |
| LB651 | M | Change provisions of the Nebraska Medical Cannabis Patient Protection Act and the Nebraska Medical Cannabis Regulation Act and provide for regulation of medical cannabis | Conrad | General Affairs | 3/3/2025 | | | | | |
| LB655 | O | Provide for medical conscience-based objections | Murman | HHS | 2/21/2025 | | | | | |
| LB664 | M | Change the Administrative Procedure Act to require agencies to allow for public comment and submissions on proposed rules and regulations and change permissible venue for civil actions challenging rules and regulations | Storer | Government | 2/12/2025 | | | | | |
| LB676 | O | Change and eliminate provisions relating to certified nurse midwives and provide for applicability of the Nebraska Hospital-Medical Liability Act | Hansen | HHS | 2/20/2025 | | | | | |
| LB697 | M | Change requirements relating to compounding and delegated dispensing permits under the Pharmacy Practice Act | Strommen | HHS | 2/21/2025 | | | | | |
| LB698 | M | Change provisions of the Nebraska Healthy Families and Workplaces Act | Strommen | Business | 2/3/2025 | | | | | |
| LB701 | S | Provide for reimbursement of doula services by the Department of Health and Human Services | McKinney | HHS | 2/28/2025 | | | | | |