

Bill Number	Author	<b>Bill Summary</b> Text of Bills, Status and Additional Analysis can be read at <a href="https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/">https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/</a>	<b>Council Position or LPPC Recommendation as of May 23, 2018</b>	<b>Bill Status as of May 29, 2018</b>
<p><b>Goal 1 (Self-Advocacy): Californians with I/DD and their families reflecting the diversity of the state will have increased information and supports to advocate for civil and service rights to achieve self-determination, integration and inclusion in all areas of community life.</b></p> <p>Note: Objectives and expected outcomes related to policy are included under other goals since we work on self-advocacy across every issue area.</p>				
<p><b>Goal 2 (Employment): Californians with I/DD and their families reflecting the diversity of the state will have increased information to obtain competitive, integrated employment.</b></p>				
AB 2171	Frazier (D)	Would require the Superintendent, the Director of Developmental Services, and the Director of Rehabilitation to develop, or amend an existing, interagency agreement to ensure the seamless and coordinated delivery of services and supports to individuals with disabilities who are eligible for special education services or who are eligible for services provided by the State Department of Education, the State Department of Developmental Services, or the Department of Rehabilitation for individuals with developmental disabilities. The bill would require the interagency agreement to include specified components and to be submitted to the Legislature on or before January 1, 2020.	Council Sponsored	From Assembly Appropriations committee: Amend, and do pass as amended. (Ayes 16. Noes 0.) (May 25).   Read second time and amended. Ordered returned to second reading. (May 25)   Read second time. Ordered to third reading. (May 29)
AB 3074	Frazier (D)	Would authorize a consumer in a supported employment program or work activity program who has the stated goal of integrated competitive employment in his or her IPP to request to use tailored day services in conjunction with his or her existing program to achieve that goal, if specified criteria are met, including that the type, amount, and provider of tailored day service allowed under these provisions is determined through the IPP process. The bill would specify the maximum hours of tailored day services that may be authorized in conjunction with existing services under these provisions.	<b>LPPC Recommending Support, Delegated Authority Used to Support</b>	In Assembly Appropriations committee: Held under submission.*

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SB 1274	McGuire (D)	Current law generally prohibits county welfare departments and the State Department of Social Services from disclosing records and information concerning the administration of public social services for which grants-in-aid are received from the United States government, such as CalWORKs and CalFresh, and requires that those records and information be kept confidential, except as prescribed. Current law establishes the Employment First Policy, which is the policy that opportunities for integrated, competitive employment be given the highest priority for working-age individuals with developmental disabilities, regardless of the severity of their disabilities. This bill would, notwithstanding the general prohibition above, require the State Department of Social Services to disclose eligibility and enrollment data for the CalWORKs and CalFresh programs to the State Department of Developmental Services to assist that department in the implementation of the Employment First Policy, as specified, to the extent permitted under federal law and regulations.	Council Sponsored	Referred to Assembly Committee on Human Services and Privacy and Consumer Protection Committee.
AB 2253	Irwin (D)	Current law requires that an ABLE account only be established for a designated beneficiary who is a resident of the United States, and that the board market the program to residents of the United States to the extent funds are available. Current law also provides that moneys in, contributions to, and any distribution for qualified disability expenses from, an ABLE account, not to exceed \$100,000, do not count toward determining eligibility for a state or local means-tested program. This bill would repeal the \$100,000 limitation on moneys in, contributions to, and distributions for qualified disability expenses from, an ABLE account, for purposes of determining eligibility for a state or local means-tested program.	<b>LPPC Recommending Support</b>	In Assembly Appropriations committee: Held under submission.*
<p align="center"><b>Goal 3 (Housing): Californians with I/DD and their families reflecting the diversity of the state will have increased access to affordable, accessible, safe, and fully integrated housing that provides choice and flexibility regarding where and with whom they live.</b></p>				

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**Goal 4 (Health & Safety): Californians w/ I/DD and their families reflecting the diversity of the state will have increased information to access health, public safety, and related services that meet their needs and health care choices.**

***Health-Related***

AB 2331	Weber (D)	Current law requires an individual to disclose to a regional center during an assessment whether he or she is eligible to receive health benefits, including under Medi-Cal. Current law requires the State Department of Developmental Services to maintain the confidentiality of information and records obtained in the course of providing intake, assessment, and services, as specified. This bill would require a consumer of services provided by a regional center to disclose during the initial intake whether he or she is enrolled in the Medi-Cal program. The bill would authorize the department to disclose to the county or DHCS information for the purposes of enabling the county or DHCS to perform determinations or redeterminations of eligibility for Medi-Cal beneficiaries.	Support, As Introduced	In Assembly Appropriations committee: Held under submission.*
AB 2430	Arambula (D)	Current law requires the department to exercise its option under federal law to implement a program for aged and disabled persons, as described. Current law requires an individual under these provisions to satisfy certain financial eligibility requirements, including, among other things, that his or her countable income does not exceed an income standard equal to 100% of the applicable federal poverty level, plus an income disregard of \$230 for an individual, or \$310 in the case of a couple, except that the income standard determined shall not be less than the SSI/SSP payment level for a disabled individual or couple, as applicable. This bill would instead require, upon receipt of federal approval, all countable income over 100% of the federal poverty level, up to 138% of the federal poverty level, to be disregarded, after taking all other disregards, deductions, and exclusions into account for those persons eligible under the program for aged and disabled persons.	Support	From Assembly Appropriations committee: Do pass. (Ayes 14. Noes 1.) (May 25).   Read second time. Ordered to third reading. (May 25)   Read third time. Passed. Ordered to the Senate. (May 29)
SB 1011	Roth (D)	Would authorize a petition to establish a limited conservatorship for a person with developmental	<b>LPPC Recommending</b>	April 24 set for first hearing canceled at the request of author.*

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		disabilities to be additionally supported by the most recent individual program plan (IPP) regarding the proposed limited conservatee and provide this plan with similar protections from disclosure as the supplemental information provided in support of a petition.	<b>Opposition, Delegated Authority Used to Oppose</b>	
SB 1190	Skinner (D)	Would establish the Eugenics Sterilization Compensation Program, to be implemented by the California Victim Compensation Board for the purpose of providing victim compensation to any survivor of state-sponsored sterilization conducted pursuant to eugenics laws that existed in the State of California between 1909 and 1979. The bill would require the board, in consultation with community-based organizations, to conduct outreach to locate any qualified recipient, as defined, notify that person of the process to apply for victim compensation, and review and verify all applications for victim compensation, as specified.	<b>LPPC Recommending Support</b>	From Assembly Appropriations committee: Do pass as amended. (Ayes 7. Noes 0.) (May 25).   Read second time and amended. Ordered to second reading. (May 25)   Read second time. Ordered to third reading. (May 29)
<b><i>Safety-Related</i></b>				
AB 1985	Ting (D)	Current law requires the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST) to develop guidelines for instruction and training of law enforcement officers addressing hate crimes. Current law requires state law enforcement agencies to adopt a framework or other formal policy on hate crimes created by POST. This bill would clarify that a disability is protected under the law regardless of whether it is temporary, permanent, congenital, or acquired by heredity, accident, injury, advanced age, or illness.	<b>LPPC Recommending Support</b>	In Assembly. Concurrence in Senate amendments pending. May be considered on or after May 23 pursuant to Assembly Rule 77.
AB 3006	Stone (D)	Would require each county welfare department and any other county entity that provides child welfare services, as defined, to ensure that a recipient of child welfare services who is deaf or hard of hearing has equal access to those services at no cost to the recipient. The bill would require each county welfare department to designate one staff person to serve as the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Coordinator, as described, for the delivery of child welfare services in the county to children who are deaf and hard of hearing.	<b>LPPC Recommending Support , Delegated Authority Used to Support</b>	From Assembly Appropriations committee: Amend, and do pass as amended. (Ayes 16. Noes 0.) (May 25)   Read second time and amended. Ordered returned to second reading. (May 25)   Read second time. Ordered to third reading. (May 29)
<b>Goal 5 (Early Intervention, Education, Transition &amp; Post-Secondary Education): Californians with I/DD and their families reflecting the diversity of the state will have increased information, in order to obtain inclusive education services throughout the lifespan.</b>				

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AB 2291	Chiu (D)	Current law provides that school districts and county offices of education are responsible for the overall development of a comprehensive school safety plan for each of its schools, and requires the plans to include, among other elements, appropriate strategies that will address the school's procedures for complying with current laws related to school safety, including a discrimination and harassment policy, as specified. Current law provides that the Legislature encourages, as comprehensive school safety plans are reviewed and updated, all plans, to the extent that resources are available, to include policies and procedures aimed at the prevention of bullying. This bill would delete the statement encouraging comprehensive school safety plans to include policies and procedures aimed at the prevention of bullying.	Support	Referred to Senate Committee on Education.
AB 2657	Weber (D)	Would authorize an educational provider, as defined, to use behavioral restraints, which includes physical and mechanical restraints, or seclusion, as defined, only if a pupil's behavior presents an imminent danger of serious physical harm to the pupil or others, and if other specified conditions are met. The bill would prohibit an educational provider from using a behavioral restraint or seclusion in certain circumstances, including, but not limited to, using seclusion or a behavioral restraint for the purpose of coercion, discipline, convenience, or retaliation, and would prohibit the use of certain restraint and seclusion techniques.	Support	From Assembly Appropriations committee: Do pass. (Ayes 12. Noes 2.) (May 25)   Read second time. Ordered to third reading. (May 25)
SB 354	Portantino (D)	Would revise the definition of "parent" to specify that it also includes the educational rights holder and the conservator of a child. The bill would instead require that a person who meets the definition of "parent," including all categories of people included in that definition, be determined to be the "parent" for purposes of these provisions if there is a judicial decree or order identifying that person, as specified.	Support (2-yr bill supported in 2017)	From committee with author's amendments. Read second time and amended. Re-referred to Assembly Committee on Education.
AB 2704	O'Donnell (D)	Would revise and recast provisions related to Family Empowerment Centers on Disability, including requiring the Department of Education to give priority, determined by the Superintendent of Public Instruction, as specified, to grant applicants in underserved or high-need regions, increasing the minimum base rate for	<b>LPPC Recommending Support</b>	Coauthors revised.   From Assembly Appropriations committee: Do pass. (Ayes 16. Noes 0.) (May 25)   Read second time. Ordered to third reading. (May 25)   Read third time and

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		each center awarded a grant from \$150,000 to \$223,000 commencing with the 2019–20 fiscal year, and, commencing with the 2020–21 fiscal year, providing for an annual cost-of-living adjustment of the grant amount, as specified.		amended. Ordered to third reading. (May 29)
<b>Goal 6 (Formal &amp; Informal Community Supports): Formal &amp; Informal Community Supports: Californians with I/DD and their families reflecting the diversity of the state will have increased information and supports to access community-based services available to the general population.</b>				
AB 1909	Nazarian (D)	Would clarify that the State Department of Social Services is required to provide translations of written content, as defined, in languages spoken by a substantial number of providers of in-home supportive services. The bill would permit the department to work with counties and the County Welfare Directors Association to repurpose existing, county-produced translations of written content.	Support	Referred to Senate Committee on Human Services.
AB 2244	Acosta (R)	Current law prohibits a regional center from paying a greater rate to a provider of certain services or supports, as specified, or from approving a service level for a residential service provider that would result in an increase in state costs, unless the regional center demonstrates that the approval is necessary to protect the consumer's health or safety and the department has granted prior written authorization or, in certain circumstances, unless the increase is required by a contract between the regional center and the vendor, as specified. This bill would deem a request from a regional center for prior written authorization approved by the State Department of Developmental Services if the department does not act on the request within 30 calendar days of receipt of the request, unless the director, in his or her discretion, determines that additional time is reasonably necessary to fully and fairly evaluate the request, as specified.	Support	In Assembly Appropriations committee: Held under submission.*
AB 2587	Levine (D)	Would delete that application of vacation leave to the waiting period, consistent with the removal of the 7-day waiting period for these benefits on and after January 1, 2018. This bill contains other existing laws.	Support	Referred to Senate Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.
AB 2623	Holden (D)	Current law authorizes the State Department of Developmental Services to contract with regional	Support	In Assembly Appropriations committee: Held under submission.*

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		centers to provide various services and supports to persons with developmental disabilities. Current law sets forth the department's and the regional center's authority to establish provider rates. Current law prohibits certain provider rate increases, but authorizes increases to those rates as necessary to adjust employee wages to meet the state minimum wage law. Current law further requires the department to adopt regulations that specify rates, calculated on the basis of a cost model, including, among other things, changes in the state or federal minimum wage, for community care facilities serving persons with developmental disabilities, as specified. This bill would require the cost model described above to also include changes in local minimum wage.		
AB 3158	Mathis (R)	Current law imposes civil liability upon any person or persons, firm, or corporation who denies or interferes with admittance to or enjoyment of public facilities or otherwise interferes with the rights of an individual with a disability, as specified. This bill would prohibit a cause of action on the basis of a construction-related access barrier in an existing public accommodation by an individual who alleges to have been aggrieved by the existence of the access barrier from accruing unless specified conditions are met, including that a written notice has been sent to the owner and operator, as specified.	Oppose	From committee: Without further action pursuant to Joint Rule 62(a).*
AB 3200	Kalra (D)	Under current law, benefit payments under SSP are calculated by establishing the maximum level of nonexempt income and federal SSI and state SSP benefits for each category of eligible recipient, with an annual cost-of-living adjustment, effective January 1 of each year. Current law prohibits, for each calendar year, commencing with the 2011 calendar year, any cost-of-living adjustment from being made to the maximum benefit payment unless otherwise specified by statute, except for the pass along of any cost-of-living increase in the federal SSI benefits. Current law continuously appropriates funds for the implementation of SSP. This bill would reinstate the cost-of-living adjustment beginning January 1 of the 2019 calendar year.	Support	From Assembly Appropriations committee: Amend, and do pass as amended. (Ayes 12. Noes 0.) (May 25)   Read second time and amended. Ordered returned to second reading. (May 25)   Read second time. Ordered to third reading. (May 29)

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AB 3002	Grayson (D)	Existing law also requires each city, county, or city and county to provide applicants for a business license or equivalent instrument or permit with certain information regarding compliance with disability access provisions under federal and state law, including information on legal obligations from specified state agencies. This bill would require the above local jurisdictions issuing building permits for commercial construction to make available a notice containing specified information regarding disability access. The bill would also require a local building inspector or planning department to provide the informational notice to an applicant for a commercial building permit, as specified.	<b>LPPC Recommending Support</b>	Referred to Senate Committee on Judiciary.
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