

Bill Numbers	Author	<p style="text-align: center;">Bill Summary</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Text of Bills, Status and Additional Analysis can be read at https://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/</u></p>	State Plan Goal	LPPC Recommendation from March 7, 2019
Bills to Consider Taking a Position				
AB 365	Garcia, Cristina (D)	<p>Summary: Existing law requires the Department of Human Resources to administer the Limited Examination and Appointment Program (LEAP) to provide an alternative to the traditional civil service examination and appointment process to facilitate the hiring of persons with disabilities in the state civil service. Until January 1, 2021, the program includes persons with a developmental disability, as defined. Existing law, until January 1, 2021, specifies that LEAP is a voluntary, additional method of applying for state employment and is not a mandate on any state agency employer or job applicant, except as specified that include persons with developmental disabilities in the LEAP program. This bill would instead repeal the above-described provisions on January 1, 2025.</p>	Employment	<p>SUPPORT WITH POSSIBLE AMENDMENTS</p> <p>DRC Sponsored Expect revised version to be introduced</p>
AB 192	Mathis (R)	<p>Summary: Existing law, the Lanterman Developmental Disabilities Services Act (Lanterman Act), establishes the State Department of Developmental Services, which is responsible for providing various services and supports to persons with developmental disabilities, and for ensuring the appropriateness and quality of those services and supports. The Lanterman Act requires the department to enter into contracts with private nonprofit corporations to operate regional centers, which are required to provide, or arrange for the provision of, services and supports for persons with developmental disabilities. Under existing law, the state is responsible for developing and implementing a statewide program encouraging the establishment of sufficient numbers and types of living arrangements, both in communities and state hospitals, as necessary, to meet the needs of persons with disabilities. This bill would establish the California Integrated Community Living Program in the State</p>	Housing	<p>SUPPORT</p>

		<p>Department of Developmental Services. The program would provide deferred payment loans to finance capital and other specified costs for permanent supportive housing for individuals who are regional center clients in order to maximize affordable integrated community living opportunities within communities for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. The bill would require the department and the DHCD to enter into an interagency agreement to administer the Integrated Community Living Program Fund, which would be created by, and continuously appropriated to the department for the purposes described in, the bill. The bill would prescribe the moneys to be deposited into the fund, including all moneys received by the department through the sale, lease, or other revenue-generating agreement for any state developmental center property, except as specified. The bill would prohibit moneys in the fund from being used to supplant or backfill any existing program budget within either department. By creating a continuously appropriated fund, the bill would make an appropriation. The bill would require the department to convene an advisory committee to advise and assist in establishing funding priorities, with an emphasis on funding priorities for this program, as specified. This bill contains other related provisions and other existing laws.</p>		
AB 536	Frazier (D)	<p>Summary: Existing law, the Lanterman Developmental Disabilities Services Act, requires the State Department of Developmental Services to contract with regional centers to provide services and supports to individuals with developmental disabilities and their families, and requires regional centers to identify and pursue all possible sources of funding for consumers receiving those services. Existing law defines a “developmental disability” as a disability that originates before an individual attains 18 years of age, continues, or can be expected to continue, indefinitely, and constitutes a substantial disability for the individual. This bill would modify that definition to mean a disability that originates before an individual attains 22 years of age, continues, or can be expected to continue, indefinitely, and</p>	Health and Safety	SUPPORT

		constitutes a substantial disability for the individual. The bill would make various technical and non-substantive changes.		
SB 398	Durazo (D)	Summary: Existing law prescribes, in accordance with federal law, the powers of the protection and advocacy agency, which is a private, nonprofit corporation, charged with protecting and advocating for the rights of persons with developmental disabilities and mental disorders. This bill would make various changes to the protection and advocacy agencies access to facilities, program, and records by, among other things, authorizing the protection and advocacy agency to monitor a facility, program, or service providers compliance with respect to the rights and safety of individuals with disabilities, requiring a facility, program, or service provider to provide immediate access to interview any individual with a disability unless providing immediate access would interfere with treatment or therapy to be provided to the individual, and providing the protection and advocacy agency with additional access to the records of persons with a disability if the protection and advocacy agency determines that there is probable cause to believe that the health or safety of an individual is in serious and immediate jeopardy. The bill would also require the protection and advocacy agency to obtain written consent from specified individuals before releasing information concerning them to a person not otherwise authorized to receive it. This bill contains other existing laws.	Health & Safety	SUPPORT DRC Sponsored
AB 261	Mathis (R)	Summary: Existing law, the Lanterman Developmental Disabilities Services Act, requires the State Department of Developmental Services to contract with regional centers to provide services and supports to individuals with developmental disabilities and their families. Existing law requires the department, in consultation with stakeholders, to develop an alternative service delivery model that provides an Individual Choice Budget and suspends a regional center's authority to purchase certain services, including, camping services and associated travel expenses, social recreation activities, educational services, and nonmedical therapies, as specified, pending implementation of the	Formal and Informal Community Supports	SUPPORT

		Individual Choice Budget and certification that the Individual Choice Budget has been implemented and will result in state budget savings, as specified. This bill would repeal the above-described suspension of a regional center's authority to purchase camping services and associated travel expenses, or social recreation activities.		
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