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2024 SUPPORT SUMMARY

CO-SPONSORED



SB 782 Limón Gubernatorial Appointments
Requires the Governor to publish demographic information for gubernatorial appointments.

SUPPORTED



SB 953 Menjivar Period Equity Now
This bill would add menstrual products to the schedule of covered benefits under Medi-Cal.



SB 959 Menjivar Gender Affirming Care
This bill will create a website modeled after abortion.ca.gov for access to gender affirming care resources and information.



SB 1137 Smallwood Cuevas Recognizing Intersectional Discrimination
Recognizes discrimination based on one or more protected characteristics, such as race and gender, under our discrimination laws.



SB 1245 Ochoa Bogh Streamlining IHSS Paramedical Forms
Streamlines the process of obtaining paramedical services by allowing licensed healthcare professionals to sign the form simultaneously with those authorized through In-Home Supportive Services.



AB 1808 Nguyen Childcare and Development Services: Eligibility
This bill will align the eligibility period for childcare support under the CalWORKs program with other subsidized programs, extending it from 12 to 24 months.



AB 1846 Bauer-Kahan Judicial Officers Training: Sexual Abuse/Assault
This bill directs the Judicial Council to create training for judges on sexual assault with an emphasis on appropriate treatment and trauma.



AB 1863 Ramos Emergency Services Act: Notification Systems
The California Highway Patrol, in collaboration with tribal nations, will be required to create policies and procedures for handling missing persons, and the issuance of a Feather Alerts.

2024 SUPPORT SUMMARY - CONTINUED

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AB 1908 Schiavo Department of Veterans Affairs: Internal Audits
Requires Veterans Affairs to submit a report on significant problems discovered by the department's internal auditor during the previous year.



AB 2099 Bauer-Kahan Crimes: Reproductive Health Services
This bill creates new penalties to deter funded and organized anti-choice extremists at reproductive health care centers.



AB 2319 Wilson and Weber CA Dignity in Pregnancy and Childbirth
Requires evidence-based implicit bias training to perinatal or prenatal care providers to ensure all birthing people have access to health care.



AB 2515 Papan Menstrual Products: PFAS
The bill mandates the Department of Toxic Substances Control and State Department of Public Health to assess and publicize the hazards of chemicals in menstrual products that could impact vulnerable populations.



AB 3031 Lee and Low LGBTQ+ Commission
Would establish an LGBTQ+ Commission in state government.



AB 3106 Schiavo Infectious Diseases: Excluded Workers
This bill would require an employer to make certain accommodations to employees who have tested positive for COVID-19.

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This guide is designed to provide you with a quick overview of the bills that the California Commission on the Status of Women and Girls is supporting through our 2024 policy efforts. For more information on the Commission, and how we've been getting things done for women and girls, please visit:

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