

# 2020 DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES BILLS OF INTEREST

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Bill #	Title	Description	Sponsor	Status	Sched	Position
<b>BUDGET BILLS</b>						
<a href="#">HB 2325</a>	2020 Supplemental Operating budget	House Operating budget	Rep Ormsby		PH 1/13	
<a href="#">HB 2324</a>	2020 Supplemental Capital Budget	House Capital Budget	Rep Tharinger		PH 1/14	
<a href="#">SB 6168</a>	2020 Supplemental Operating budget	Senate Operating budget	Sen Rolfes		PH 1/14	
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<b>RESIDENTIAL</b>						
<a href="#">ESHB 1023</a>	Increase beds in AFH	Allow certain adult family homes (AFH) to increase capacity to 8 beds	Rep Macri	S Health & Long Term Care		Under Review
<a href="#">HB 1827</a>	Adult family homes	Admission requirements to protect adult family home (AFH) residents	Rep Kilduff	H Health Care & Wellness		😊
<a href="#">HB 2600</a>	Community residential <i>DSHS request</i>	Clarifies "community residential service business"	Rep Callan	H Human Services & Early Learning	Exec'd 1/31	Under Review
<a href="#">HB 2682</a>	Out-of-home services	Offer voluntary out-of-home services for a child needing it because of the child's developmental disability	Rep Senn	H Human Services & Early Learning	Exec'd 1/31	😊
<b>EMPLOYMENT</b>						
<a href="#">SB 5753</a>	Sub-minimum wage	Eliminate all sub-minimum wage for people with developmental disabilities	Sen Randall	S Labor & Commerce		Under Review
<b>EDUCATION</b>						
<a href="#">HB 2258</a>	Special education <i>OSPI request</i>	Increases funding for students in general education more than 80% of the time	Rep Dolan	H Appropriations		😊
<a href="#">HB 2436</a>	Allow student restraints	Allow school staff to restrain students intent on harming themselves and others	Rep Klippert	H Education		😞
<a href="#">HB 2556</a>	Early Learning	Provide instruction for early learning providers to meet child care licensure requirements, includes children with DD	Rep Dent	H Human Services & Early Learning	PH 1/28	😊
<a href="#">HB 2581</a>	Special Education cap	Remove the enrollment limit on special education funding	Rep Caldier	H Appropriations		😊
<a href="#">HB 2648</a>	Sexual health education	Sexual health education must be accurate, appropriate for students regardless of disability, involve parents	Rep Klippert	H Education		Under Review

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<a href="#">HB 2690</a>	Statewide infrastructure	OSPI must create a plan for development of a statewide MTSS infrastructure that is necessary for inclusive practices	Rep Callan	H Education	Exec 2/4 3:30	
<a href="#">HB 2787</a>	ESIT transfer <i>OFM request</i>	Completing transfer of the early support for infants and toddlers (ESIT) program from the OSPI to DCYF	Rep Callan	H Human Services & Early Learning	PH 2/5 1:30	
<a href="#">HB 2844</a>	Seizure disorder plans	Schools to provide individual health plans for students with epilepsy or other seizure disorders	Rep Kloba	H Education		
<a href="#">SB 5395</a>	Sex education	Requires sexual health education but does not mention appropriate curriculum for students with disabilities	Sen C. Wilson	H Education		
<a href="#">SB 6047</a>	Individualized Education Programs (IEP)	Prohibit retaliation against school district employees that report noncompliance with IEPs	Sen Hasegawa	S Early Learning & K12 Education	Exec'd 1/31	
<a href="#">SB 6117</a>	Special education <i>OSPI request</i>	Increases funding for students in general education more than 80% of the time	Sen Wellman	S Early Learning & K12 Education	PH 1/22	
<a href="#">SB 6253</a>	Early learners	Single point of entry for children based on individual need for services to help all children be ready to learn	Sen C. Wilson	S Ways & Means		
<a href="#">SB 6297</a>	Early Learning experience	Allow early learning providers to meet certificate requirements through experience demonstration	Sen Padden	S Early Learning & K12 Education	PH 2/3 1:30	
<a href="#">SB 6547</a>	ESIT transfer <i>OFM request</i>	Completing transfer of the early support for infants and toddlers (ESIT) program from the OSPI to DCYF	Sen Wellman	S Early Learning & K12 Education	PH 2/3 1:30	
<b>MEDICAL/MEDICAID</b>						
<a href="#">HB 2599</a>	Repeal services acts DSHS request	Repeal RCWs regarding services for children with multiple handicaps	Rep Eslick	H Human Services & Early Learning	Exec'd 1/31	
<a href="#">SB 5976</a>	Baby and child dentistry program	Clarifies in definition who is an eligible child as meeting clinical criteria	Sen Rolfes	S Ways & Means	PH 1/30	Under Review
<a href="#">SB 6362</a>	Repeal services acts DSHS request	Repeal RCWs regarding services for children with multiple handicaps	Sen Randall	S Human Services, Reentry & Rehab	Exec'd 1/30	
<a href="#">SB 6384</a>	Statewide tracking for difficult to discharge	New claims code for patients staying in hospital with no medical need, report to legislature	Sen Becker	S Health & Long Term Care	PH 1/27	
<a href="#">SB 6486</a>	Rare diseases	Expand Medicaid coverage & apply for a waiver to cover rare diseases of less than 300,000 cases in the US	Sen Fortunado	S Health & Long Term Care	Exec 2/3 1:30	
<a href="#">SB 6636</a>	Vaccines	Health care providers must notify the Dept. of Health with any adverse affects after a vaccine is administered	Sen Fortunado	S Health & Long Term Care		Under Review
<b>PROTECTIONS</b>						
<a href="#">HB 1422</a>	Vulnerable adults <i>DSHS request</i>	Maintain registry of substantiated abuse, allow autopsies to be released to DSHS, adds "stalking" of vulnerable adults	Rep Valdez	S Human Services, Reentry & Rehab		
<a href="#">2ESHB 1565</a>	Background checks <i>DSHS request</i>	Share background checks with in-home provider agencies, consumer directed employer & comm. Residential agencies	Rep Robinson	S Human Services, Reentry & Rehab		
<a href="#">HB 1651</a>	DD Rights	Identifies rights of people receiving state developmental disabilities services	Rep Kilduff	H Rules	2 Review	

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<a href="#">HB 2220</a>	School volunteers with a record	Requirements for background checks on parents, grandparents, guardians, etc. of students	Rep Dolan	H Education	Exec 2/4 3:30	
<a href="#">HB 2265</a>	PFAS chemicals	Remove exemption for PFAS in firefighting foam, use other less toxic options	Rep Doglio	H Environment & Energy	Exec'd 1/30	
<a href="#">HB 2294</a>	Assault	Makes a simple assault of a health care provider into a felony	Rep Kloba	H Public Safety	PH 1/27	
<a href="#">HB 2301</a>	Competency to stand trial	Reimbursement to counties for experts based on timely completion of competency evaluations	Rep Kilduff	H Appropriations	PH 1/30	
<a href="#">HB 2305</a>	Firearms with VAPO	Court may take firearms for those with a vulnerable adult protection order (VAPO) against them	Rep Doglio	H Civil Rights & Judiciary	Exec 2/5 8:00	Under Review
<a href="#">HB 2386</a>	Behavioral health ombuds	Create the state office of the behavioral health ombuds to advocate for and ensure quality services	Rep Cody	H Appropriations	PH 2/6 3:30	
<a href="#">HB 2437</a>	Voting accessibility	Update accessible voting using respectful language	Rep Kilduff	H State Gov't and Tribal Relations	Exec'd 1/31	Under Review
<a href="#">HB 2511</a>	In-home workers <i>Attorney Gen request</i>	Worker protections for those working in private homes including individual providers	Rep Stonier	H Labor & Workplace Standards	Exec 2/4 3:30	Under Review
<a href="#">HB 2681</a>	HAD It!	Protect Individual Providers from Harrassment, Abuse & Discrimination while working in clients' homes	Rep Stonier	H Labor & Workplace Standards	Exec 2/4 3:30	Under Review
<a href="#">HB 2884</a>	Travis Alert	Create two demonstration sites providing first responders with medical or disability information previously submitted	Rep Mosbrucker	H Housing, Community Development, Veterans	PH 2/4 10:00	
<a href="#">SB 5338</a>	Vulnerable adults <i>DSHS request</i>	Maintain registry of substantiated abuse, allow autopsies to be released to DSHS, adds "stalking" of vulnerable adults	Sen Darneille	S Human Services, Reentry & Rehab	PH 1/22	
<a href="#">SB 5843</a>	DD Rights	Identifies rights of people receiving state developmental disabilities services	Sen C. Wilson	S Health & Long Term Care		
<a href="#">SB 6045</a>	Vulnerable users of a public way	Clarifies who is protected as a vulnerable user of a public way	Sen Takko	S Rules		Under Review
<a href="#">SB 6169</a>	Preventing HDR	Training for prevention of harassment, discrimination, and retaliation (HDR) at a workplace	Sen Keiser	S Ways & Means	PH 1/29	Under Review
<a href="#">SB 6190</a>	DD community trust	Update and preserving the developmental disabilities community trust	Sen Braun	S Ways & Means	PH 2/4 1:30	
<a href="#">SB 6205</a>	HAD It!	Protect Individual Providers from Harrassment, Abuse & Discrimination while working in clients' homes	Sen Cleveland	S Health & Long Term Care	Exec 2/3 1:30	Under Review
<a href="#">SB 6247</a>	In-home workers <i>Attorney Gen request</i>	Worker protections for those working in private homes including individual providers	Sen Saldaña	S Labor & Commerce	PH 1/27	Under Review
<a href="#">SB 6287</a>	Guardianship	Modifying/clarifying the Uniform Guardianship Act	Sen Pedersen	S Rules		Under Review
<a href="#">SB 6360</a>	PFAS chemicals	Remove exemption for PFAS in firefighting foam, use other less toxic options	Sen Van De Wege	S Environment, Energy & Tech	PH 1/22	

<a href="#">SB 6590</a>	DD Rights	Identifies rights of people receiving state developmental disabilities services	Sen C. Wilson	S Health & Long Term Care		Under Review
<b>OTHER</b>						
<a href="#">HB 2197</a>	License plates	Exempts visibility required for rear license plate from a wheelchair lift or wheelchair carrier	Rep Thai	H Rules		😊
<a href="#">HB 2380</a>	Agency parity rules <i>DSHS request</i>	AP parity calculation must reflect changes to the IP rate for health benefits, retirement and include travel time	Rep Tharinger	H Rules		😊
<a href="#">HB 2390</a>	Respectful language	Revises language in a variety of statutes to use respectful language regarding people with DD	Rep Kilduff	H Rules	2 Review	😊
<a href="#">HB 2440</a>	Medical alert	Voluntary designation on driver's license of disability that could affect law enforcement interaction	Rep Kilduff	H Transportation	PH 2/3 3:30	😊
<a href="#">HB 2463</a>	DD designation	Person with DD can have designation on driver's license or identicard at no cost	Rep Schmick	H Transportation		😊
<a href="#">HB 2572</a>	Ruckleshaus group Governor's request	Implement the recommendations of the workgroup from the Rethinking I/DD Policy report	Rep Robinson	H Human Services & Early Learning	Exec'd 1/29	😊
<a href="#">HB 2591</a>	Foster youth	Expand waiver slots for foster youth with DD exiting foster care through caseload forecasting	Rep Senn	H Human Services & Early Learning	Exec'd 1/29	😊
<a href="#">HB 2607</a>	Music therapy	Licensing clinical and evidence-based use of music interventions in therapy by a music therapist	Rep Kirby	H Health Care & Wellness		Under Review
<a href="#">HB 2737</a>	Children's mental health work group	Adds an organization representing those with DD to the children's mental health work group	Rep Callan	H Human Services & Early Learning	Exec'd 1/31	😊
<a href="#">HB 2738</a>	Budget process for DD services	Add all DD services to caseload forecasting; reinstate case managers for the No Paid Services caseload at 500 to 1	Rep Frame	H Appropriations		😊
<a href="#">HB 2831</a>	Behavior technicians	Remove the certification requirement for behavior technicians to increase access to providers	Rep Stonier	H Health Care & Wellness		Under Review
<a href="#">SB 6040</a>	Budget process for some DD waivers	Add Individual & Family Services waiver and Basic Plus waiver to caseload forecasting	Sen Braun	S Ways & Means	PH 1/30	😊
<a href="#">SB 6056</a>	Budget process for DD services	Add all DD services to caseload forecasting; reinstate case managers for the No Paid Services caseload at 500 to 1	Sen Randall	S Ways & Means		😊
<a href="#">SB 6419</a>	Ruckleshaus group Governor's request	Implement the recommendations of the workgroup from the Rethinking I/DD Policy report	Sen Keiser	S Human Services, Reentry & Rehab	PH 1/28	😊
<a href="#">SB 6429</a>	DD designation	Person with DD can have designation on driver's license or identicard at no cost	Sen Brown	S Transportation	PH 2/3 3:30	😊
<a href="#">SB 6532</a>	Behavior technicians	Remove the certification requirement for behavior technicians to increase access to providers	Sen Dhingra	S Behavioral Health Subcommittee		😞
<a href="#">SB 6658</a>	DD waitlist	Caseload forecast the individual and family services waiver and the basic plus waiver, eliminate CDE	Sen Braun	S Health & Long Term Care		Under Review

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S = Senate, H = House of Representatives, WS = Work Session, PH = Public Hearing, Exec = Executive Session,  
2nd Reading = Eligible for a Floor vote, NTIB = Necessary To Implement the Budget, Color-coding are companion bills

Cut-off dates: 1st Policy cut-off Feb 7th (except fiscal & Transportation committees); 1st fiscal committee cut-off Feb 11th; House of Origin Feb 19th; 2nd Policy cut-off Feb 28th; 2nd fiscal committee cut-off March 2nd; Opposite House March 6th (except initiatives and alternatives to initiatives, budgets and matters necessary to implement budgets, differences between the houses, and matters incident to the interim and closing of the session). March 12th is the last day of session.