

Mental Health Legislation for 2024

April 25, 2024

<u>Bill</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	<u>Status</u>
House Bills			
HB4425	Increases Personal Needs Allowance to \$90	Hammond	App-HS ¹
HB4460	Provides mental health services for spouses of of police and and firemen	Gill (+25) Cunnigham	Insurance Passed 15-0 Passed 109-0 Executive 5/1–2:30pm Capitol 212
HB4475	Strengthenng MHSU Parity Act Am #1 & 2 Adopted	LaPointe (+28) Villa	MH Passed 17-0 Passed 86-20 Assignments
HB4486	Requries Medicaid to reimburse for music theapy Deadline extended to 5/24/24 (Am #1 pending)	Howard	M&MC ²
HB4498	Requires that 5-day notice be filed and served with commitment petition when triggered by such a notice	Meyers-Martin (+3) Stadelman	MH Passed 21-0 Passed 112-0 Assignments
HB4586	Requires schools to notify students and parents twice a year about the availability of mental health services in the school and in the community	Stava-Murray (+10) Johnson	E&S Ed ³ Passed 14-0 Passed 67-38 Assignments
HB4666	Appropriates \$40 million to support MHSU Professional Support Grant program	LaPointe	App-HS

¹ Appropriations–Human Services Committee

² Medicaid & Managed Care Subcommittee

³ Elementary and Secondary Education Committee

HB4739	Requies DHFS to give providers 45 days advance of any fees schedule changes	Howard (+1)	App-HS
HB4758	Requires DCFS to report on the number of youth who remain in temporary facilities because DCFS cannot locate an appropriate placement (Am #1 adopted)	Howard Collins	Adoption ⁴ Passed 13-0 Passed 113-0 Assignments
HB4806	Provides a rate increase for intellectual disability providers	Mussman (+22)	App-HS
HB4816	Creates Pre-trial Success Act authorizing DHS to give grants to support mh/su services for pre-trial releases. (Deadlined extended: 5/24/24)	West (+4)	App-PS ⁵
HB4961	Sets out timeline for notice of appointment of successor guardians for disabled adults	Williams Halpin	Jud-Civ Passed 14-0 Passed 111-0 Assignments
HB4962	Provides for increased wages for “frontline” staff in dd facilities	West (+1)	App-HS
HB5022	Requires an APRN to observe interactions between residents and staff in SMRFs at least weekly	LaPointe Feigenholtz	HC Lic Passed 11-0 Passed 109-0 HHS 4/30–3pm Capitol 400
HB5045	Appropriates \$5 million for Collaborative Care Demonstration Grant program	Douglass (+9)	App-HS
HB5094	Creates the Behavioral Health Administrative Burden Work Group to address workforce utilization House Floor Am # 2 adopted	LaPointe (+2) Fine	MH Passed 20-0 Passed 108-0 Assignments

⁴ Adoption & Child Welfare Committee

⁵ Appropriations-Public Safety Committee

HB5139	Requires DHFS to reimburse nursing homes and SMHRFs for any increase in property taxes	Hernandez (+1)	App-HS
HB5227	Increases the asset limitation for eligibility for Home Services from DHS	Moeller (+9)	App-HS
HB5267	Increases the amount of aid provided under the AABD program	Lilly (+10)	App-HS
HB5269	Requires that all youth in the custody of DCFS be monitored for mental health needs	Kifowit	Adoption Passed 13-0 Passed 106-0 1 st rdg
HB5289	Requires Medicaid to cover clinical supervision for students and interns (Deadline extended to 5/24/24)	Muhl (+1)	M&MC
HB5351	Amendments to MHDDCode to facilitate outpatient commitment	LaPointe (+3) Fine	Jud-Civ Passed 10-4 Passed 99-13 Judiciary 4/30–1:30pm Capitol 409
HB5353	Streamlines provisions for licensing mental health professionals (Am #1 adopted)	Morgan (+8) Hilton (+1)	HC Lic Passed 11-0 Passed 113-0 Lic. Act. 5/1–2:30pm Capitol 400
HB5395	Improves network adequacy requirements for health insurance (am #1 & 4 adopted)	Moeller (+43) Peters (+4)	HS Passed 6-3 Passed 81-25-2 Assignments
HB5457	Changes to the licensing of professionals to increase access for persons whose first language is not English (Am #1 adopted)	Hernandez (+3) Villa	Labor ⁶ Passed 17-10 Passed 73-39 Lic. Act.

⁶ Labor & Commerce Committee

5/1–2:30pm
Capitol 400

HB5530	Changes the rules governing the injection of long-acting psychotropic medications by pharmacists (Am #1 Adopted)	West (+1) Villivalam	HC Lic Passed 11-0 Passed 109-0 Lic. Act 5/1–2:30pm Capitol 400
HB5553	Provides that DHS shall provide grants to establish crisis walk-in centers for persons with mental illnesses (Am #1 pending) (Deadline extended to 5/24/24)	Chung	Approp-HS
HB5817	Amends the MHDDCode to require that the local police be notified (not just the state police) if it is determined that someone presents a clear and present danger	Ugaste	Rules

Senate Bills

SB726	Unrelated bill becomes bill requiring schools to create a mental health screening program for public elementary and high schools (Am #1 pending) Deadline extended to 5/3/24	Harmon/Feigenholtz	3 rd rdg Assignments
SB2606	Requires public colleges to provide wellness days for students (am #1 and #2 adopted) Deadline extended to 5/3/24	Koehler (+2)	Higher Educ. Passed 11-0
SB2626	RESET Act would facilitate prompt expungents for persons successfully completing court-mandated treatment in a problem solving court (Am #1 adopted)	Peters (+19) Buckner (+6)	SCCLPS ⁷ Passed 10-0 Pased 54-0 Jud-Crim 4/30–4pm Stratton–D-1
SB2644	Creates a voluntary registry for POLST forms directives (Am #1 and #2 adopted)	Morrison (+8)	Judiciary Passed 9-0 Passed 55-0

⁷ Senate Special Committee on Criminal Law and Public Safety

		Delgado	Pub Health 5/2-9am Stratton-D-1
SB2950	Creates veteran's case manager to improve the mental health services provided to veterans	Tracy	Approp-HHS ⁸
SB3112	Changes to the rules governing the operation of the Long Term Care Facility Advisory Board	Cunningham (+1) Delgado	HHS ⁹ Passed 13-0 Passed 59-0 Upb Health 5/2-9am Stratton-D-1
SB3137	Requires a facility to promptly notify the personal representative of the death of a patient in a mental health facility (Am #1 & 3 passed) (Personal rep. defined by reference to fed. rule)	Fine (+7) Gong-Geershowitz	B & MH ¹⁰ Passed 9-0 Passed 59-0 MH 5/2-10 am Capitol 114
SB3288	Amends Confidentiality Act to permit disclosures for research without patient consent and to remove the requirement that the patient's signature be witnessed Am #1 (adopted) restores witness requirement	Peters (+2) Guzzardi	Judiciary Passed 9-0 Passed 56-0 MH 5/2-10am Capitol 114
SB3297	Lowers the eligibility age for the "Housing is Recovery" program from 21 to 18	Simmons (+2) West	HHS Passed 13-0 Passed 57-2 Hum Ser 5/1-9am Stratton-D-1
SB3316	See HB4922--school screening for mental health	Feigenholtz(+4)	B&MH Passed 9-0

⁸ Appropriations--Health & Human Services Committee

⁹ Health & Human Services Committee

¹⁰ Behavioral & Mental Health Committee

	Am # 1 pending		Approp
SB3405	Allows funding for transportation for persons in problem solving courts	Rose Miller	SCCLPS Passed 10-0 Passed 59-0 Jud. Crim 4/30-4pm Stratton-D-1
SB3413	Creates the MHSU Disorder Professional Support Grant Program to respond to workforce shortages	Fine (+1)	Approp-HHS
SB3432	Delays by one year the implementation of the Direct Support Professional Credential pilot program	Murphy Howard	B&MH Passed 9-0 Passed 59-0 Higher Ed 5/1-3pm Capitol 122B
SB3433	Creates task force to upgrade the DHS community reporting system (ROCS) Deadline extended to 5/3/24	Gillespie	HHS Passed 9-0 2 nd rdg
SB3470	Pretrial Success Act	Sims (+7)	App-HHS
SB3522	Increases Medicaid rates for psychiatric evaluations and medication monitoring	Villa (+2)	App-HHS
SB3538	Requires local governments to provide coverage to first responders for mental health services without a copay or deductible	Hastings (+23) Guerero-C(+61)	Local Govt Passed 7-3 Passed 55-0 Insurance 4/30-3pm Stratton-C-1
SB3648	Makes changes to the procedures governing the Regional Advisory Committees implementing CESSA Am #1 adopted	Peters Cassidy	Energy & Utilities Passed 15-0 Passed 59-0 MH 5/2-10am Capitol 114
SB3661	Requires background checks for persons working	Murphy(+1)	HHS

	at community mental health centers		Passed 9-0 Passed 55-4 Hum Ser 5/1–9am Stratton–D-1
		Mussman	
SB3695	Creates a program to authorize psilocybin Deadline extended to 5/3/24	Ventura (+13)	Assignments
SB3713	Expands coverage of crime victims compensation act including funds for mh services	Peters	Judiciary Passed 5-1 Passed 57-0 A[[-Gen Ser
		West (+1)	
SB3732	Prevents health insurance providers for state employees from imposing prior authorization for medications that have been prescribed for a chronic condition longer than 6 months Deadline extended to 5/3/24	Castro	Insurance Passed 8-0 3 rd rdg
SB3753	Allows DHS to impose progressive sanctions on providers for violations (am #1 adopted) Creates criteria for admission to state dd facilities	Fine (+6)	HHS Passed 9-0 Passed 57-0 Hum Ser. 5/1–9am Stratton–D-1
		LaPointe	
SR912	Resolution endorses a bill of rights for people with mental illnesses	Fine	Assignments

- Bold** Bills supported by MH Summit
- & Bills opposed by MH Summit
- # Bills supported by MHAI–no Summit position
- * Bills opposed by MHAI–no Summit position

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Inactive Bills

House Bills

HB1	Creates a program to allow psilocybin for the treatment of mental illnesses	Ford (+8) ¹¹	Rule 19a
HB2456	Prohibits Medicaid managed care entities from requiring prior authorization for psychotropic medication—See SB1636	LaPointe (+8)	MH ¹²
HB2838	Creates a fund to support behavioral health scholarships (Am #1 pending)	LaPointe (+5)	MH Passed 20-0 Rule 19a
HB4200	Requires that all interviews and testing for mental health technician applicants for state DD facilities be conducted in one day	Meier (+1)	Rules
HB4234	Amends MHDDCode to require the Illinois Attorney General rather than county prosecutors to pursue commitment and treatment hearings	Friess	Rules
HB4275	Expands the Supportive Decision-Making Agreement Act	LaPointe	Rule 19a ¹³
HB4303&	Creates Task Force to repurpose the minimum security unit at Tamms Correctional Center to consider using it to provide mental health services	Jacobs	Rules
HB4358	Requires public colleges to create a mental health and suicide prevention plan	Avelar	Rules
HB4444	Creates rules regarding marriage for persons under guardianship	Ness	Rules

¹¹ Number of co-sponsors

¹² Mental Health & Addiction Committee

¹³ Returned to Rules—missed legislative deadline

HB4454	Requires public schools to notify students about the availability of mental health services	Avelar (+1)	Rules
HB4665	Creates fund to provide support to community behavioral health providers to hire and retain professional staff	LaPointe (+3)	MH Passed 14-5 Rule 19a
HB4470	Property tax reduction for CILAs	Yang Rohr (+1)	Rule 19a
HB4472	Creates Health Care Availability and Access Board Act to set maximum price for drugs (2 am. pending)	Syed (+27)	Rule 19a
HB4482	Allows persons with mental illness to be detained indefinitely prior to trial until community mental health services can be arranged	Jacobs	Rule 19a
HB4506#	Allows Dept of Financial and Prof.Reg. to obtain mental health records as part of an investigation of psychiatric misconduct	West	Rule 19a
HB4541	Makes change regarding election of members of community mental health boards	Ness	Rules
HB4613	Allow person under guardianship to get married without prior consent of guardian. Guardian may contest marriage	Hirschauer	Rule 19a
HB4632	Requires Secretary of State to create an online registry of Physicians Orders for Life Sustaining Treatment (POLST) forms	Delgado (+7)	Rules
HB4642	Creates Counseling Compact Act to allow Illinois to join with other states to permit multi-state licensing of counselors	LaPointe	Rule 19a
HB4643	Delays implementation of the creation of a direct support professional program to help persons with developmental disabilities	Howard (+7)	Higher Ed Passed 12-0 Rule 19a
HB4667	Subject to appropriation, authorizes DHFS to provide grants of up to \$1.5 million to selected community behavioral health clinics to hire and retain staff	LaPointe	Rules

HB4684	Limits what assets may considered in determining whether someone is eligible for state disability rehabilitation services	Ozinga	Rule 19a
HB4706	Require a facility to promptly notify the personal representative of any patient who dies in that facility	Gong-Gershowitz(+1)	Rule 19a
HB4713	Requires DHFS to pay for telehealth services for persons with intellectual disabilities in CILAs	Moeller	Rules
HB4826	Requires the State Board of Education (subject to appropriation) to create a unit of instruction on mental health for grades 9-12	Olicka	Rules
HB4884	Requires that a public guardian be appointed if a petition is filed by someone not related to the subject of the petition (amend # 1 and 2)	Howard	Jud-Civ ¹⁴ Passed 13-0 Passed 14-0 Rule 19a
HB4922	Requires Board of Education, and others to create plan to implement state-wide mental health screening in schools	LaPointe (+3)	Rule 19a
HB4923	Creates a Medical Legal Partnership Grant Program to provide free legal services to persons who have legal problems which affect their health	Flowers	Rules
HB4963	Amends the provisions in the Probate Act concerning the report which must accompany a petition for guardianship of a disabled adult	West	Rule 19a
HB5019	Creates the Art Therapy Licensing Act	Rohr	Rule 19a
HB5046	Requires DPH to create Collaborative Care Demonstration Grant program	Douglass (+10)	Rule 19a
HB5052	Requires state facilities (including state mh facilities) to buy locally grown and organic food	Harper (+8)	State Gov Passed 6-3 Rule 19a

¹⁴ Judiciary-Civil Committee

HB5129	Requires notice to local police if someone presents a “clear and present danger” to self or others	Ugaste (+5)	Rule 19a
HB5133	Creates the County Co-Responder Pilot Program to assist defendants and victims with mental health conditions	Grant (+5)	Rule 19a
HB5377	Makes changes to the procedures governing the functioning of the Regional Advisory Committees implementing CESSA (am # 1 pending)	Cassidy	Police Passed 12-0 Rule 19a
HB5570	Creates the Employment Choice for All Act to intergrate persons with disabilities into the workforce	Meier	Rule 19a
HB5631	Amends MHDDCode to prohibit the use of “lethal” restraint	Stava-Murray	Rule 19a
HB5649	Prohibits the use of AI in providing mental health services without the patient’s consent	Rashid	Rule 19a

Senate Bills

SB1348	Exempts affordable housing projects from local zoning laws	Gillespie	Assignments
SB1636	Access to psychotropic meds (See HB2456)	Feigenholtz (+8)	Assignments
SB2663	Provides that a guardian cannot be appointed for a person with a disability if that person can be supported using a supported decision-making agreement	Feigenholtz	Rule 3-9(a)
SB2758	Allow a person under guardianship to get married without court approval if the ward understands the nature of marriage. The guardian may contest such a marriage. Am #1 adopted	Villa	Judiciary Passed 7-0 2 nd rdg Rule 3-9(a)
SB2896	Strengthening Mental Health and Substance Use Parity Act requires improvement in insurance networks	Villa	Rule 3-9a

SB2926	Requires a personality test prior to hiring any police officer. Requires annual mental health screening of all officers	Toro	Assignments
SB2657#	Allow Dept of Prof Reg. To obtain psychiatric records as part of an investigation of psychiatric misconduct (Am #1 pending) (Deadline extended to 5/3/24)	Turner	Assignments Rule 3-9a
SB3072	Requires the DHFS and DHS to publish a report listing every state-fund mental health and substance use provider in the state and information about each provider	Syverson	Rule 3-9a
SB3080	Creates the Health Data Privacy Act	Villanueva	Assignments
SB3085	Miscellaneous changes to the criminal law governing the financial exploitation of seniors and persons with disabilities	Tracy	Rule 3-9a
SB3281	Requires contined coverage of prescribed medication for state employees if they have been on the medication succesfully for more than 6 months	Feigenholtz	Rule 3-9a
SB3376	Creates Commission on Disability Access within DHS to assist government and private entities to understand and comply with ADA requirements	McConchie	Assignments
SB3444#	Numerous changes to the law governing the confinement of unfit criminal defendants designed to streamline the treatment of these individuals	Gillepie	Assignments
SB3562	Creates the “Including Families in Mental Health Recovery Act which requires DHS to create rules and do training about how mental health records may be shared with family members	Ellman	HHS