



































# 2017 DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES BILLS OF INTEREST - FINAL







Bill #	Title	Description	Sponsor	Status	Sched	Position
<b>BUDGET BILLS</b>						
<a href="#">SB 5883</a>	Operating Budget	Senate Biennial Budget Appropriations Proposal	Sen Braun	Governor Signed		 
<a href="#">SB 5965</a>	Capital Budget	Funds required Lakeland Village Code upgrades and Fircrest electrical (Budget is for only one year)	Sen Honeyford	Governor Signed		 
<b>RESIDENTIAL</b>						
<a href="#">SB 5647</a>	Home rehabilitation	Loans for low income homeowners in rural areas, priority for seniors and those with disabilities	Sen Honeyford	Governor Signed		
<b>EDUCATION</b>						
<a href="#">HB 1115</a>	Paraeducators	Setting employment standards for paraeducators to get a paraeducator associate of arts degree	Rep Bergquist	Governor Signed Partial Veto		 
<a href="#">SHB 1719</a>	Early Learning (DEL request)	Update early learning advising and contracting, add DD representative to Early Learning Advisory Council	Rep Lovick	Governor Signed		 
<a href="#">SHB 2037</a>	Higher education obstacles	Reconvene workgroup to look at obstacles for people with disabilities in higher education	Rep Frame	Governor Signed		 
<b>MEDICAL/MEDICAID</b>						
<a href="#">SB 5976</a>	Overtime hours	Exceptions provided for payment of overtime hours up to 65 hours a week extended through 2018	Sen Rivers	Governor Signed		 
<a href="#">SB 5867</a>	Self-directed services	Joint Legislative Committee on Aging & Disability to develop recommendations on consumer-directed approaches	Sen Braun	Governor Signed		 
<a href="#">SHB 1671</a>	Activities of Daily Living (ADL)	Expands definition of ADLs to include medication assistance (DSHS request)	Rep Cody	Governor Signed		 
<a href="#">SB 5118</a>	Personal needs allowance	Provide increases to personal needs allowance for Medicaid eligible elderly & people w/disabilities	Sen Rolfes	Governor Signed		 
<b>TRAINING</b>						
<a href="#">HB 1322</a>	Respite providers	Reduce training hours for respite provider caring for a person with DD & working less than 300 hrs a year	Rep Kilduff	Governor Signed		 
<a href="#">SHB 1258</a>	People w/disabilities at an accident	Design statewide training for first responders & 911 personnel, assess 911 system to add disability info	Rep McCabe	Governor Signed		 
<a href="#">SB 5177</a>	LTC worker training	Require long term care workers to be trained to recognize hearing loss	Sen Bailey	Governor Signed		 
<b>TRANSPORTATION</b>						

<a href="#">HB 1262</a>	Accessible parking	Van accessible spaces must have at least 96" access aisle with a sign prohibiting parking there	Rep McBride	Governor Signed		 
<a href="#">HB 1515</a>	Special parking privileges	Doctor must write authorization on prescription pad, office letterhead or electronically	Rep Graves	Governor Signed		 
<a href="#">SSB 5018</a>	Wheelchair accessible taxicabs	Study of whether wheelchair accessible taxicabs having access to HOV lanes causes excessive traffic in them	Sen Hasegawa	Governor Signed		 
<a href="#">HB 2003</a>	Special parking privileges for taxis	Allow special parking privileges for organizations that dispatch taxicabs for persons with disabilities	Rep Kloba	Governor Signed		



### PROTECTIONS






<a href="#">SHB 1153</a>	Protection of vulnerable people	Increase penalties for financial exploitation and financial abuse of vulnerable people (AG request)	Rep Goodman	Governor Signed		 
<a href="#">HB 1676</a>	Service dogs in training	Includes service dogs in training to the state regarding crimes against service dogs	Rep Sullivan	Governor Signed		 

### GUARDIANSHIP

<a href="#">HB 1401</a>	Guardian ad litem	Removal for making a false statement under oath, match child with special needs with trained GAL	Rep Ortiz-Self	Governor Signed		 
<a href="#">HB 1402</a>	Guardian isolation	Guardian cannot restrict contact for an individual from others without good cause and court approval	Rep Jenkins	Governor Signed		 
<a href="#">SB 5691</a>	Changing a guardianship	Court may modify or terminate guardianship if less restrictive option is better	Sen Bailey	Governor Signed		 

### OTHER

<a href="#">SB 5646</a>	Yakima Valley RHC	Close Yakima Valley when 8 residents left, offer crisis stabilization/respite as needed in catchment area or emergencies; develop community respite	Sen Honeyford	Governor Signed		 
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S = Senate, H = House of Representatives, WS = Work Session, PH = Public Hearing, Exec = Executive Session, NTIB = Necessary To Implement the Budget

Bills in green highlight have passed the Legislature and await the Governor's signature. All other bills have been reintroduced for the special session.