

TWO HOUSE BILLS

In 2023, three of the 43 bills referred to the Standing Committee on Alcoholism and Substance Use Disorders passed both houses of the Legislature. Of these bills, the Governor has signed two and vetoed one.

| Bill | Sponsor | Summary | Action |
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| S993A | Hoylman-Sigal | Relates to accessing substance use disorder services based on the individual's gender identity or expression and preference | Chapter 141 of 2023 |
| S2099C | Harckham | Enacts "Matthew's law" | Chapter 654 of 2023 |
| S5332 | Harckham | Requires written notice to a defendant of his or her right to complete court ordered alcohol or substance use treatment in a nonreligious treatment program | Veto 53 of 2023 |

SUMMARY OF COMMITTEE ACTIVITY

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| S993A | Hoylman-Sigal | Relates to accessing substance use disorder services based on the individual's gender identity or expression and preference | Chapter 141 of 2023 |
| S1976B | Ramos | Relates to judicial diversion programs; repealer | Reported from Committee |
| S2099C | Harckham | Enacts "Matthew's law" | Chapter 654 of 2023 |
| S3112A | Mannion | Requires public institutions and buildings to be equipped with opioid antagonists | Reported from Committee |
| S3347 | Fernandez | Relates to the availability of buprenorphine in opioid treatment programs | Reported from Committee |
| S3348 | Fernandez | Refers individuals to appropriate service providers for substance use disorders | Passed Senate Only |
| S3349A | Fernandez | Creates a certified recovery residences task force | Passed Senate Only |
| S3390A | Harckham | Relates to the payment for services at addiction treatment centers operated by the office of addiction services and supports | Reported from Committee |
| S3525 | Fernandez | Authorizes certain facilities to provide treatment for the mental health and health care needs of individuals admitted for a substance use disorder | Passed Senate Only |
| S4103 | Comrie | Relates to guidelines for onsite opioid overdose response capacity in community centers | Reported from Committee |
| S4321 | Lanza | Relates to the distribution of educational materials regarding the misuse of and addiction to prescription drugs in counties with the most prevalent abuse of prescription opioids | Reported from Committee |
| S4393 | Martinez | Requires information about fentanyl test strips and their uses on information cards or sheets | Passed Senate |
| S4536A | Harckham | Relates to reimbursement for non-medical transportation for individuals with a substance use disorder to receive peer support services | Reported from Committee |

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| S5163 | Harckham | Designates services to be provided by a jail-based substance use disorder treatment, peer led recovery support services, and transition services program as essential medical care services | Passed Senate Only |
| S5332 | Harckham | Requires written notice to a defendant of his or her right to complete court ordered alcohol or substance use treatment in a nonreligious treatment program | Veto 53 of 2023 |
| S5396 | Harckham | Directs the commissioner of the office of addiction services and supports to promulgate rules and regulations for providers operating in rural locations | Passed Senate Only |
| S5671 | Fernandez | Establishes the fentanyl test strip program | Reported from Committee |
| S5797A | Fernandez | Provides that the results of urine tests conducted pursuant to a judicial diversion program shall be private and confidential | Reported from Committee |
| S5970 | Harckham | Relates to the construction of facilities for chemical dependence services that promote the privacy of individuals | Passed Senate Only |
| S6499 | Kennedy | Establishes an intensive addiction recovery and mental health integrated services pilot program | Reported from Committee |
| S6701 | Fernandez | Establishes the problem gambling advisory council | Passed Senate Only |



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