

Childcare Bills					
Bill No.	Introduced By	Subject	Summary	Status	CAPPA Position
AB - 1	Speaker John A. Pérez	CalWORKs Stage 3 Funding/ Reimbursement	AB-1 reappropriates a total of \$233,534,000 \$60,000,000 from the Budget Act of 2009, the federal Child Care and Development Block Grant and the General Fund to the State Department of Education specifically for CalWORKs Stage 3 child care services taking immediate effect under Article IV of the Constitution and reimbursing families who would have otherwise been eligible to receive Stage 3 funding after October 31, 2010.	LAST HIST. ACTION : Ordered to inactive file at the request of Assemblymember John A. Pérez.	Support
AB -101	Speaker John A. Pérez	Child Care: Family Child Care Providers: Bargaining	Authorizes family child care providers to form, join and participate in "provider organizations" for purposes of negotiating with state agencies on specified matters.	Vetoed By Governor	Strong Concerns
AB - 245	Assemblymember Portantino	Direct Deposit Funding	This bill would require the state Controller to pay any public or private agency for the delivery of child care and development services via direct deposit by electronic fund transfer into the contractor's account at the financial institution of the contractor's choice.	Senate Appropriations- Held Under Submission (2-Year Bill)	Sponsor/Support
AB - 419	Assemblymember Mitchell	Renewal Fees and Annual Inspections	This bill would replace the current \$200 correction fee with a \$100 inspection fee. This bill would also require mandatory unannounced inspections of child care centers and biannual inspections of family child care homes.	Asm Appropriations -Held Under Submission (2-year bill)	Support
AB - 596	Assemblymember Carter	CalWORKs Due Process	This bill would require the State Department of Education to collaborate with legal advocates to develop and adopt regulations provided to CalWORKs recipients of child care the same level of due process and procedural protections afforded to public assistance recipients.	Asm Appropriations - Set for 1st Hearing but Cancelled by Author. 2-year bill	Watch

AB - 823	Assemblymember Dickinson	Children's Cabinet of California	To the extent that sufficient federal or private funds are deposited with the State and appropriated by the Legislature this bill establishes the Children's Cabinet of California until Jan 1, 2019. The goal of the Children's cabinet is to coordinate and collaborate among agencies that provide services to children and youth of the State. The cabinet would be comprised of the Supt, Sect of CDSS, Chief Justice of CA or his/her designee and various specified state agencies. This bill would require a report to the Gov and Leg every odd numbered year. Meetings shall be held quarterly and be public. The cabinet may establish committees to help with their work.	Senate Appropriations Committee- Held Under Submission	Support
AB 889	Assemblymember Ammiano and V. Manuel Perez	Domestic Worker Employees	Defines "domestic work employee" as an individual who performs domestic work (including live-in domestic work employees and personal attendants). The term does not include In-Home Supportive Services program employees, specified family members, or minor babysitters. (Note: CAPP has submitted and the Author/Sponsors have accepted an amendment to specify that in-home child care providers reimbursed by APPs are exempt.	Senate Appropriations- Held Under Submission	Watch
AB - 1199	Assemblymember Brownley	CEL Lists	This bill would require the state Department of Education to conduct an evaluation of the centralized eligibility list collected by alternative payment agencies in each county. The reports would be used to determine the success of the agencies in enabling families with child care needs.	Assembly Education - 2-year bill	Watch
AB - 1312	Assemblymember Smyth	Child Care - Licensure	Expands the number of authorized hours that unlicensed public recreation programs can operate their programs for children ages zero to 18 years.	Assembly Human Services (2-year bill)	Watch

SB - 12	Senator Corbett	Stage 3 Funding/ Reimbursement	SB-12 restores the usual current expenses of the state for CalWORKs Stage 3 child care as stated in the Budget Act of 2010. The sum of \$250,000,000 would be appropriated on a one-time basis from the General Fund and take effect immediately under Article IV of the Constitution.	LAST HIST. ACT. DATE: 01/20/2011 LAST HIST. ACTION : Referred to Com. on ED. COMM. LOCATION : SEN EDUCATION	Support
SB - 30	Senator Simitian	Kindergarten Age of Admission	This bill extends by one year the date by which the final report to the Kindergarten Readiness Pilot Program is to be submitted.	Assembly Appropriations - Hearing postponed by committee	Watch
SB- 174	Senator Emmerson	Community Care Licensing: Senate Rules	Spot Bill	Senate Rules Committee	Watch
SB - 309	Senator Liu	Child Care Facilities/ Disabled Children	This bill would fix the inconsistencies between State Education and Health and Safety codes. This bill would grant CDSS the ability to grant waivers under specified circumstances for individuals seeking exemptions to the statutory age limits for child day care facilities.	Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter 470, Statutes of 2011.	Support
SB-429	Senator DeSaulnier	ASES:Supplemental Grants	This bill authorizes an After School Education Safety (ASES) program to receive a supplemental grant to operate the program in excess of 180 regular schooldays or during any combination of summer, intersession, or vacation periods for a maximum of 30% of its grant amount for the school year. It is the legislature's intent that a grantee who serves additional students by operating a longer day program not receive additional funding for this purpose. Priority for enrollment should go to children in the district and the school that gets the grant.	Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter 626, Statutes of 2011.	Watch
SB - 486	Senator Dutton	First 5	Would eliminate First 5's and redirect all money back to Healthy Families and Medi-Cal	Senate Health Committee - Set for first hearing- Cancelled by Author (2-year bill)	
SB - 575	Senator DeSaulnier	Smoking in the workplace	Prohibits smoking in licensed as family day care homes during the hours of operation as a family day care home. This bill sets out a fine structure for first, second, third and more offenses per year.	Assembly Governmental Organization Committee - Heard but held with no recommendation	Watch

SB - 634	Senator Runner	Transitional Kindergarten	This bill would amend the Education Code relating to transitional kindergarten. This bill would prohibit any school district to offer transitional kindergarten unless all schools have it in the district.	Dead - Failed in committee	Watch
SB - 737	Senator Walters	Organized After School Programs Licensing	This bill requires the Department of Public Health to obtain the input and advice from organizations in the organized camp and day camp field. This bill would also allow ASES programs operated by a city, county or nonprofit organization to operate for up to 60 hours per week without obtaining a license or special permit under 3.4 or 3.5 of the Health and Safety code. However a child shall not be in the program for more than 30 hrs. per week. This bill defines "organized camp" and "organized day camp." All employees shall have a criminal background check. Organized camp or day camps must develop a written operating plan and file the plan with the local health dept. at least 30 days prior to operation. The plan shall be posted with an acknowledgement letter from the local health dept. in a conspicuous location and on any internet website associated with the camp.	In Senate. Consideration of Governor's veto pending	Watch
SB-842	Senator Rubio	CalWORKs: Military Families	This bill, notwithstanding any other law, would make the spouse or domestic partner, or a dependent natural or adopted child or stepchild, of a member of the Armed Forces of the United States stationed in this state who is, or was, on active duty at any time on or after January 1, 1991, eligible to apply for and receive defined state and local public social services benefits to the same extent as any other applicant or recipient, regardless of the individual's immigration status, as specified.	Senate Appropriations- Held Under Submission	Watch

SB-885	Senator Simitian	Longitudinal Education System	Authorizes the California Department of Education (CDE), California's three public higher education systems, California Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC), Employment Development Department (EDD), State Board of Education (SBE), and California School Information Services (CSIS) to enter into a joint powers agreement for the purpose of implementing the preschool through higher education (P-20) statewide educational data system.	Assembly Third Reading	Watch
SCR - 19	Senator Price	Promote Early Education	A resolution promoting Preschool and Early Education	Senate Rules Committee	Watch

	CalWORKs				
Bill No.	Introduced By	Subject	Summary	Status	CAPPA Position
AB- 6	Assemblymember Fuentes	CalWORKs/ CalFresh Fingerprinting	This bill would repeal the requirement of that recipients of CalWORKs and CalFresh be fingerprint imaged. This bill would also require recipients be redetermined on a semiannual basis instead of a quarterly basis. This bill would also require CDSS to provide a nominal HEAP benefit to those who qualify for CalFresh benefits.	Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter 501, Statutes of 2011.	Watch
AB- 373	Assemblymember Garrick	CalWORKs/Time Limit for Aid	This bill would allow recipients of CalWORKs to only be eligible for benefits for 24 months.	Failed in Committee	Watch
AB-493	Assemblymember Perea	CalFresh: EBT Cards	This bill would prohibit CalFresh EBT cards to be used at automated located in gambling establishments or adult entertainment establishments.	Senate Human Services - Hrg. Postponed by Committee	Watch
AB - 728	Assemblymember Grove	CalWORKs Work Placement/Internship	This bill would state the intent of the legislature to enact legislation to adopt a work-placement or internship program	Spot Bill (2-year bill)	Watch
AB-729	Assemblymember Grove	Welfare time limits	This bill would state the intent of the legislature to enact legislation to limit the amount of time a recipient may receive public welfare benefits.	Spot Bill (2-year bill)	Watch
AB -730	Assemblymember Grove	CalWORKs Drug Testing	This bill would require that any CalWORKs aid recipients undergo periodic drug testing. Failure of the drug test would result in a mandatory one-year drug rehabilitation program. Failure to complete the program would result in discontinued CalWORKs benefits.	Assembly Human Services - (2-year bill)	Watch
AB 808	Assemblymember Skinner	Transitioning CalWORKs Families/CalFresh Application	This bill would require County welfare departments to provide each household receiving transitional CalFresh benefits a notice for recertification to receive regular CalFresh benefits. This notice shall be sent out within the first 5 days of business of the last month of eligibility of transitional CalFresh benefits.	Senate Human Services	Watch

AB 833	Assemblymember Yamada	CalWORKs: Maximum Aid Payments (Disabled child)	This bill would amend the Welfare and Institutions code, which states that the number of needy persons in a family does not increase with the birth of a child for a family that has received continuous funding for 10 months prior to the birth. This bill revises the exceptions to the maximum aid payment provisions for a family that has received CalWORKs benefits for the 10 months prior to the birth of a child and states that the number of need persons in a family may increase by one if the child is born disabled.	Assembly Human Services - (2-year bill)	Watch
AB-924	Assemblymember Logues	CalWORKs eligibility and administration	he bill would require a parent or caregiver relative who has reached that time limit, as well as an unaided parent or caregiver relative, to satisfy federal work requirements in order for his or her child to continue to receive CalWORKs aid, except as specified.	Assembly Human Services - (2-year bill)	Watch
AB-949	Assemblymember Gorell and coauthors: Asm Jeffries and Smyth	CalWORKs Fraud/Fines	This bill would require that the fine applicable under existing law concerning CalWORKs benefits fraud be doubled and the additional amount collected be paid to the county treasurer, where then half the money would go towards the county general fund and half would be used to fund the Special Investigative Unit responsible for investigating welfare fraud.	Failed in Committee	Watch
AB-959	Assemblymember Jones	CalWORKs Discontinuance Notices	AB 959 would provide a one-month extension to participants in the CalWORKs and CalFresh programs for filing required reports in order to avoid re-application. This bill provides that its provisions will not be implemented until the Department of Social Services (DSS) obtains all necessary federal approvals.	Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter 506, Statutes of 2011.	Watch
AB 1140	Assemblymember Donnelly	CalWORKs Time Limits	This bill seeks to amend the CalWORKs time limit to 6 months.	Assembly Human Services - (2-year bill)	Watch

AB 1173	Assemblymember Huber	CalWORKs: Fraud (Spot Bill)	This bill states that the intent of the legislature is to establish a pilot program that would reimburse counties for the operation of a county program if it shows that it reduces or prevents welfare fraud can demonstrate that the savings are more than the cost of the program.	Read first time- at Assembly desk	Watch
AB 1182	Assemblymember Hernandez	CalWORKs Eligibility: Excluding motor vehicles	AB 1182 would exclude the value of a motor vehicle from consideration when determining or redetermining CalWORKs eligibility. This bill deletes existing requirements on county welfare departmentns for assessing the value of a motor vehicle for the purposes of CalWORKs eligibility.	Vetoed by Governor	Watch
SB-480	Senator Vargas	CalWORKs: Domestic Violence	This bill requires that counties shall proactively seek information at the time of application or redetermination of aid to determine whether or not the applicant/recipient is or has been a victim of domestic violence.	Senate Appropriations - Held Under Submission	Watch
SB-842	Senator Rubio	CalWORKs: Military Families	This bill, notwithstanding any other law, would make the spouse or domestic partner, or a dependent natural or adopted child or stepchild, of a member of the Armed Forces of the United States stationed in this state who is, or was, on active duty at any time on or after January 1, 1991, eligible to apply for and receive defined state and local public social services benefits to the same extent as any other applicant or recipient, regardless of the individual's immigration status, as specified.	Senate Appropriations- Held Under Submission	Watch
SB 925	Assemblymember Anderson	Spot Bill - CalWORKs Welfare Fraud	This bill would declare the intent of the legislature to create legislation relating to the prosecution of persons who engage in welfare fraud in connection with the CalWORKs program.	Senate Rules (2-year bill)	Watch

Health Bills					
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AB 301	Assemblymember Pan	California Children's Services	AB 301 would prohibit, until July 1, 2016, California Children's Services (CCS) program covered services from being incorporated into Medi-Cal managed care contracts, except for contracts within specified county organized health systems and regional health authorities.	Senate Appropriations- Suspense File	Watch
AB-1296	Assemblymember Bonilla	Healthcare Eligibility, Enrollment, and Retention Act	AB 1296 would establish the Health Care Eligibility, Enrollment, and Retention Act.	Chapters by Secretary of State. Chapter 641, Statutes of 2011.	Watch
AB-1319	Assemblymember Butler	Product safety: Bisphenol A	Prohibits Bisphenol A be in young children's food and drinking containers	Chapters by Secretary of State. Chapter 467, Statutes of 2011.	Watch
SB-36	Senator Simitian	County Health Initiative Matching Fund	This bill allows counties who apply to participate in the County Health Initiative Matching fund (CHIM) program to cover children in families with incomes of up to 400% of the federal poverty level (FPL), instead of 300% FPL as in current law. In addition, this bill modifies CHIM eligibility to account for enrollment freezes and other access issues created in the Healthy Families Program (HFP) due to budget shortfalls.	Chapters by Secretary of State. Chapter 416, Statutes of 2011.	Watch
SB-842	Senator Rubio	CalWORKs: Military Families	This bill, notwithstanding any other law, would make the spouse or domestic partner, or a dependent natural or adopted child or stepchild, of a member of the Armed Forces of the United States stationed in this state who is, or was, on active duty at any time on or after January 1, 1991, eligible to apply for and receive defined state and local public social services benefits to the same extent as any other applicant or recipient, regardless of the individual's immigration status, as specified.	Senate Appropriations- Held Under Submission	Watch

	Business- Nonprofit Bills				
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AB 1211	Assemblymember Silva	Nonprofit Organizations	This bill makes various technical changes to how nonprofit and unincorporated associations operate. More specifically the changes apply to how the board operates.	Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter 442, Statutes of 2011.	Watch
AB-1399	Committee on Labor and Employment	Employee rights re: personnel records	This bill amends provisions of existing law related to an employee's right to inspect or copy personnel records.	Assembly Appropriations- Held under submission	Watch
SB-24	Senator Simitian	electronic data	This bill provides guidelines and requirements of what businesses must do in the event that they have to issue a security breach of electronic information.	Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter 197, Statutes of 2011.	Watch
SB-459	Senator Corbett	Independent Contractors	This bill would penalize companies who willfully misclassify their employees as independent contractors. (This bill at one time also contained language that required anyone hiring an independent contractor to issue them a notice that they were an independent contractor. This provision was amended out of the bill on 8/15/2011)	Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter 706, Statutes of 2011.	Watch

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AB-493	Assemblymember Perea	CalFresh: EBT Cards	This bill would prohibit CalFresh EBT cards to be used at automated located in gambling establishments or adult entertainment establishments.	Senate Human Services - Hearing Postponed by Committee	Watch
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AB-828	Assemblymember Swanson	Food Stamps Eligibility: Drug felonies	This bill would end the lifetime ban on CalFresh Benefits for non-violent drug offenders.	Senate Appropriations - Held under submission	Watch
AB-959	Assemblymember Jones	CalWORKs Discontinuance Notices	AB 959 would provide a one-month extension to participants in the CalWORKs and CalFresh programs for filing required reports in order to avoid re-application. This bill provides that its provisions will not be implemented until the Department of Social Services (DSS) obtains all necessary federal approvals.	Sent to engrossing and enrollment	Watch

	Government-Tax Bills				
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AB-669	Assemblymember Monning	Taxation: Sweetened Beverages: Children's Health Promotion Fund	Enacts the Sweetened Beverage Tax Law, which would impose a tax of \$0.01 per fluid ounce on "bottled sweetened beverages."	Assembly Revenue and Taxation (2-year bill)	Watch
AB-1130	Assemblymember Skinner	Tax Rates	This bill would establish a 10.3% personal income tax (PIT) bracket for taxable income in excess of \$500,000. It is estimated that this would bring in an additional 2.3 billion dollars into state revenues.	Assembly Appropriations	Watch
AB-1196	Assemblymember Allen	Tax Rates	This bill establishes a .7 % surcharge on the portion of a taxpayer's taxable income that exceeds \$1 million and, with the proceeds from that tax, allows a refundable tax credit equal to 15% of the federal Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC).	Assembly Appropriations- Suspense File	Watch
AB-1424	Assemblymember Perea	Franchise Tax Board: Delinquent Tax Debt	Requires FTB to update the Top 500 tax debtor list at least twice a year, suspend all licenses that the debtor holds, prohibit the state from contracting with the debtor, etc.	Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter 455, Statutes of 2011.	Watch
AB 1431	Committee on Accountability and Administrative Review	Government Reports	This bill would eliminate certain reports that State Agencies or the LAO have to submit to the legislature. Most reports were authorized years ago and are no longer needed.	Committee on Accountability and Administrative Review	Watch
ACA 3	Assemblymember Jeffries	Revised Biennial Session	This bill would require the legislature to convene in regular biennial session starting on December 3, 2012. In even numbered years it would be general sessions and in odd number years it would be budget sessions and only budget bills or related revenue or emergency bills could be taken up in budget sessions.	Assembly Rules Committee	Watch
ACA 20	Assemblymember Jeffries	Part-Time Legislature	This ACA would call for a part-time legislature	Introduced May 3, 2011	Watch

SB 103	Senator Liu	State Agencies: Meetings	This bill requires, upon the request of a member of a state body, a state body to hold open or closed meeting by teleconference, unless the chair of that state body determines that it is more costly to hold the meeting by teleconference than it would be to hold it in person. In addition, this bill requires state agencies that operate internet websites to provide a live audio or video feed on the website for any board meetings that are open to the public.	Assembly Appropriations- held under submission	Watch
SB 653	Senator Steinberg	Taxation	This bill authorizes counties, cities, any school district, county offices of education and community college districts to impose a local personal income tax, vehicle license fee, transactions and use tax, extractive business activities tax, oil severance tax, and excise tax, with voter approval	Ordered to Inactive file	Watch
SCA 5	Senator Simitian	Taxation: Parcel Taxes (Education)	Allows for a parcel tax to be raised by a counties voters if 55% of its voters voting on the proposition.	Senate Elections and Constitutional Amendments	Watch
SCA 15	Senator Hancock	Taxation: Majority vote	This bill would allow a majority of the legislative body approve a tax increase instead of the current 2/3 requirement.	Senate Rules	Watch

	Misc				
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AB-804	Assemblymember Yamada	Family Leave	This bill extends eligibility for the state's family leave act temporary disability insurance benefits to grandparents, grandchildren, siblings or parents-in-law.	Assembly Appropriations- Held under Submission	Watch
AB-844	Assemblymember Cook	Sex Offenders: Neighborhood Notification	Requires law enforcement agencies to notify enumerated individuals and entities within five days if a person required to register under the Sex Offender Registration Act for specified crimes registers in the jurisdiction. Included in this notification is administrators of all child care programs and preschool programs, etc.	Assembly Public Safety - 2 year bill	Watch
SB-299	Senator Evans	Employment: Pregnancy or Child Birth Leave	This bill requires that employer provided health insurance be continued while woman is on leave for pregnancy leave.	Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter 510, Statutes of 2011.	Watch
SB-377	Senator Wright	Paternity	This bill would invalidate a voluntary declaration of paternity by a minor parent if the parent or guardian of the minor parent does not also sign the declaration.	Senate Judiciary	Watch
SB-929	Senator Evans	Vehicles: Child Passenger Restraint Systems	Requires children up to age 8 to ride in a booster seat or reach 4 feet 9 inches tall.	Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter 474, Statutes of 2011.	Watch