

2014 LEGISLATIVE SCORECARD

Planned Parenthood Affiliates of California advocates on a number of legislative and regulatory issues that impact reproductive health, women's health and rights, sexual health education, access to affordable and quality health care. The PPAC Legislative Scorecard is designed to provide the public with information about how their state legislators voted on bills on these important issues. Below are the bills that represented PPAC's highest priorities in 2014 and the rating for each legislator based on their votes.

Description of Scored Legislation

Privacy Breach Notification

AB 1755 (Gomez): improves notification requirements for breaches in medical information. PPAC sponsored AB 1755, which passed and was signed into law.

Medical Assistants

AB 1841 (Mullin): allows Medical Assistants to hand over pre-labeled, pre-packaged medications. PPAC sponsored AB 1841, which passed and was signed into law.

Medi-Cal Reimbursement Rate Restoration

AB 1805 (Skinner/Pan): would have repealed the 10 percent cut in Medi-Cal provider reimbursements, which were enacted in 2011 and went into effect in 2014. PPAC supported AB 1805, which failed passage.

Streamlining the Medi-Cal Enrollment Process

AB 2051 (Gonzalez/Bocanegra): streamlines the Medi-Cal provider enrollment process by requiring DPH to issue a license to an affiliate clinic within 30 days of receiving a completed application. PPAC supported AB 2051, which passed and was signed into law.

Contraceptive Equity Act

SB 1053 (Mitchell): requires health insurance plans to provide coverage for all FDA approved contraceptive drugs, devices, and products beginning in January 2016. PPAC supported SB 1053, which passed and was signed into law.

Hospital Mergers – Preservation of Reproductive Health Services

SB 1094 (Lara): SB 1094 would have extended the amount of time (from 60 to 90 days) that the Attorney General has to review the documents associated with hospital mergers. PPAC supported SB 1094, which passed by the Legislature but was vetoed by the Governor.

Repeal of the CalWORKs Maximum Family Grant

SB 899 (Mitchell): would have repealed the maximum family grant rule in the state's "welfare to work" program, thereby increasing a family's CalWORKs monthly aid grant with any additional children born. PPAC supported SB 899, which failed passage.

Health Care for All

SB 1005 (Lara): would have extended access to health coverage for all Californians, regardless of immigration status. PPAC supported SB 1005, which failed passage.

Abortion: Sex Selection

AB 2336 (Grove): would have restricted access to abortion services under the guise of "sex selection." PPAC opposed AB 2336, which failed passage.

Anti-Abortion State Budget Amendments

SB 857 (Senate Budget Committee): Three amendments were proposed to the state budget health 'trailer' bill that would have: 1) restricted Medi-Cal funding of abortions; 2) prohibited abortions for the purposes of sex selection; and, 3) prohibited taxpayer funded abortions for minors without parental consent. PPAC opposed all three amendments, which were laid on the table.

ASSEMBLY

Office Holder	District	Rating	Office Holder	District	Rating
Katcho Achadjian (R)	35	55%	Diane Harkey (R)	73	50%
Luis Alejo (D)	30	100%	Roger Hernández (D)	48	100%
Travis Allen (R)	72	55%	Chris Holden (D)	41	100%
Tom Ammiano (D)	17	100%	Brian Jones (R)	71	53%
Toni Atkins (D)	78	100%	Reggie Jones-Sawyer (D)	59	100%
Frank Bigelow (R)	5	50%	Marc Levine (D)	10	91%
Richard Bloom (D)	50	100%	Eric Linder (R)	60	50%
Raul Bocanegra (D)	39	100%	Dan Logue (R)	3	55%
Susan Bonilla (D)	14	100%	Bonnie Lowenthal (D)	70	100%
Rob Bonta (D)	18	100%	Brian Maisenschein (R)	77	56%
Steven Bradford (D)	62	100%	Allan Mansoor (R)	74	46%
Cheryl Brown (D)	47	91%	Jose Medina (D)	61	100%
Joan Buchanan (D)	16	91%	Melissa Melendez (R)	67	55%
Ian Calderon (D)	57	100%	Kevin Mullin (D)	22	100%
Nora Campos (D)	27	100%	Al Muratsuchi (D)	66	100%
Ed Chau (D)	49	100%	Adrin Nazarian (D)	46	100%
Rocky Chávez (R)	76	53%	Brian Nestande (R)	42	50%
Wesley Chesbro (D)	2	100%	Kristin Olsen (R)	12	55%
Connie Conway (R)	26	45%	Richard Pan (D)	9	100%
Ken Cooley (D)	8	91%	Jim Patterson (R)	23	47%
Matthew Dababneh (D)	45	91%	Henry Perea (D)	31	91%
Brian Dahle (R)	1	55%	John A. Pérez (D)	53	100%
Tom Daly (D)	69	91%	V. Manuel Pérez (D)	56	100%
Roger Dickinson (D)	7	100%	Bill Quirk (D)	20	93%
Tim Donnelly (R)	33	36%	Sharon Quirk-Silva (D)	65	100%
Susan Talamantes Eggman (D)	13	100%	Anthony Rendon (D)	63	100%
Paul Fong (D)	28	100%	Sebastian Ridley-Thomas (D)	54	90%
Steve Fox (D)	36	64%	Freddie Rodriguez (D)	52	100%
Jim Frazier (D)	11	91%	Rudy Salas (D)	32	100%
Beth Gaines (R)	6	45%	Nancy Skinner (D)	15	100%
Cristina Garcia (D)	58	100%	Mark Stone (D)	29	100%
Mike Gatto (D)	43	100%	Philip Ting (D)	19	100%
Jimmy Gomez (D)	51	100%	Donald Wagner (R)	68	55%
Lorena Gonzalez (D)	80	100%	Marie Waldron (R)	75	59%
Richard Gordon (D)	24	100%	Shirley Weber (D)	79	100%
Jeff Gorell (R)	44	55%	Bob Wieckowski (D)	25	100%
Adam Gray (D)	21	91%	Scott Wilk (R)	38	58%
Shannon Grove (R)	34	45%	Das Williams (D)	37	100%
Curt Hagman (R)	55	58%	Mariko Yamada (D)	4	100%
Isadore Hall III (D)	64	100%	Vacancy	40	

SENATE

Office Holder	District	Rating	Office Holder	District	Rating
Joel Anderson (R)	36	33%	Stephen Knight (R)	21	29%
Jim Beall (D)	15	100%	Ricardo Lara (D)	33	100%
Tom Berryhill (R)	14	33%	Mark Leno (D)	11	100%
Marty Block (D)	39	100%	Ted Lieu (D)	28	100%
Ron Calderon (D)	30	SUSPENDED	Carol Liu (D)	25	100%
Anthony Canella (R)	12	43%	Holly Mitchell (D)	26	100%
Ellen M. Corbett (D)	10	100%	Bill Monning (D)	17	100%
Lou Correa (D)	34	71%	Mike Morrell (R)	23	25%
Kevin de León (D)	22	100%	Jim Nielsen (R)	4	25%
Mark DeSaulnier (D)	7	100%	Alex Padilla (D)	20	100%
Noreen Evans (D)	2	100%	Fran Pavley (D)	27	100%
Jean Fuller (R)	18	29%	Richard Roth (D)	31	71%
Ted Gaines (R)	1	25%	Darrell Steinberg (D)	6	100%
Cathleen Galgiani (D)	5	75%	Norma Torres (D)	32	100%
Loni Hancock (D)	9	100%	Andy Vidak (R)	16	44%
Ed Hernandez (D)	24	100%	Mimi Walters (R)	37	33%
Jerry Hill (D)	13	100%	Lois Wolk (D)	3	70%
Ben Hueso (D)	40	100%	Roderick Wright (D)	35	SUSPENDED
Bob Huff (R)	29	29%	Mark Wyland (R)	38	44%
Hannah-Beth Jackson (D)	19	100%	Leland Y. Yee (D)	8	SUSPENDED