

2013 LEGISLATIVE SCORECARD

Each year, Planned Parenthood Affiliates of California (PPAC) tracks and advocates on dozens of measures before the California Legislature that affect women's health care services and the lives of millions of Californians. Our elected officials make decisions about access to comprehensive reproductive health care, sexual health education, healthcare services and much more through the votes they cast. This scorecard is designed to educate the public and help hold elected officials accountable on the issues that matter to you. Below are the bills that were most critical to PPAC during the 2013 legislative year. To keep up on the latest information about PPAC's public policy program, go to our website at www.PPActionCA.org.

Description of Scored Legislation

Access to Early Abortion Care

AB 154 (Atkins): Authorizes Nurse Practitioners (NPs), Certified Nurse Midwives (CNMs) and Physicians Assistants (PAs) to provide early and safe abortion care. PPAC sponsored AB 154, which passed and was signed into law.

Removing Abortion Restrictions from Building Standards

AB 980 (Pan): Requires all primary care clinics in California to be held to the same building standards, even those providing abortion services. PPAC sponsored AB 980, which passed and was signed into law.

Reproductive Rights Law Enforcement Act

SB 340 (Jackson): Eliminates the sunset clause in the Reproductive Rights Law Enforcement Act, providing an enforcement mechanism for anti-reproductive rights crimes. PPAC supported SB 340, which passed and was signed into law.

Confidential Medical Services

SB 138 (Hernandez): Clarifies state law and regulations to help protect the confidentiality of health services accessed by insured dependants. PPAC supported SB 138, which passed and was signed into law.

Medi-Cal Provider Rates

SB 640 (Lara) and AB 900 (Alejo): Would have eliminated reductions in payments to Medi-Cal providers that were passed in June 2011. PPAC supported SB 640, and AB 900 before it was amended. SB 640 and AB 900 were both held in committee.

Medi-Cal Eligibility

ABx1 (Perez) and SBx1 (Hernandez): Expand Medi-Cal eligibility for low-income, childless adults and simplifies Medi-Cal eligibility rules as required under the Affordable Care Act. PPAC supported ABx1 and SBx1, which passed and were signed into law.

Parental Consent and Notification

AB 599 (Donnelly) and SB 312 (Knight): AB 599 would have required parental consent for minors seeking medical care for the prevention of sexually transmitted diseases. SB 312 would have prevented teens under the age of 16 from leaving school to seek confidential medical services without parental notification. PPAC opposed AB 599 and SB 312 and both failed passage.

Anti-Abortion State Budget Amendments

Three amendments were proposed to two state budget health "trailer" bills (two in the Assembly on SB 77 and one in the Senate on AB 82) that would have: 1) required parental consent before a minor can access abortion care; and 2) prohibited use of state funds if an abortion is intended for sex selection. PPAC opposed these budget amendments. All three amendments failed.

ASSEMBLY

Office Holder	District	Rating	Office Holder	District	Rating
<i>Katcho Achadjian (R)</i>	35	21%	<i>Diane Harkey (R)</i>	73	0%
<i>Luis Alejo (D)</i>	30	100%	<i>Roger Hernández (D)</i>	48	100%
<i>Travis Allen (R)</i>	72	0%	<i>Chris Holden (D)</i>	41	100%
<i>Tom Ammiano (D)</i>	17	100%	<i>Brian Jones (R)</i>	71	0%
<i>Toni Atkins (D)</i>	78	100%	<i>Reggie Jones-Sawyer (D)</i>	59	100%
<i>Frank Bigelow (R)</i>	5	0%	<i>Marc Levine (D)</i>	10	100%
<i>Richard Bloom (D)</i>	50	100%	<i>Eric Linder (R)</i>	60	0%
<i>Bob Blumenfield (D)</i>	45	100%	<i>Dan Logue (R)</i>	3	5%
<i>Raul Bocanegra (D)</i>	39	100%	<i>Bonnie Lowenthal (D)</i>	70	100%
<i>Susan Bonilla (D)</i>	14	100%	<i>Brian Maienschein (R)</i>	77	4%
<i>Rob Bonta (D)</i>	18	100%	<i>Allan Mansoor (R)</i>	74	5%
<i>Steven Bradford (D)</i>	62	100%	<i>Jose Medina (D)</i>	61	100%
<i>Cheryl Brown (D)</i>	47	100%	<i>Melissa Melendez (R)</i>	67	0%
<i>Joan Buchanan (D)</i>	16	100%	<i>Holly Mitchell (D)</i>	54	100%
<i>Ian Calderon (D)</i>	57	100%	<i>Mike Morrell (R)</i>	40	0%
<i>Nora Campos (D)</i>	27	100%	<i>Kevin Mullin (D)</i>	22	100%
<i>Ed Chau (D)</i>	49	100%	<i>Al Muratsuchi (D)</i>	66	100%
<i>Rocky Chávez (R)</i>	76	0%	<i>Adrin Nazarian (D)</i>	46	100%
<i>Wesley Chesbro (D)</i>	2	100%	<i>Brian Nestande (R)</i>	42	5%
<i>Connie Conway (R)</i>	26	0%	<i>Kristin Olsen (R)</i>	12	0%
<i>Ken Cooley (D)</i>	8	86%	<i>Richard Pan (D)</i>	9	100%
<i>Brian Dahle (R)</i>	1	0%	<i>Jim Patterson (R)</i>	23	0%
<i>Tom Daly (D)</i>	69	100%	<i>Henry Perea (D)</i>	31	100%
<i>Roger Dickinson (D)</i>	7	100%	<i>John A. Pérez (D)</i>	53	100%
<i>Tim Donnelly (R)</i>	33	0%	<i>V. Manuel Pérez (D)</i>	56	100%
<i>Susan Talamantes Eggman (D)</i>	13	100%	<i>Bill Quirk (D)</i>	20	100%
<i>Paul Fong (D)</i>	28	100%	<i>Sharon Quirk-Silva (D)</i>	65	100%
<i>Steve Fox (D)</i>	36	43%	<i>Anthony Rendon (D)</i>	63	100%
<i>Jim Frazier (D)</i>	11	100%	<i>Rudy Salas (D)</i>	32	57%
<i>Beth Gaines (R)</i>	6	0%	<i>Nancy Skinner (D)</i>	15	100%
<i>Cristina Garcia (D)</i>	58	100%	<i>Mark Stone (D)</i>	29	100%
<i>Mike Gatto (D)</i>	43	100%	<i>Philip Ting (D)</i>	19	100%
<i>Jimmy Gomez (D)</i>	51	100%	<i>Donald Wagner (R)</i>	68	4%
<i>Lorena Gonzalez (D)</i>	80	100%	<i>Marie Waldron (R)</i>	75	0%
<i>Richard Gordon (D)</i>	24	75%	<i>Shirley Weber (D)</i>	79	100%
<i>Jeff Gorell (R)</i>	44	0%	<i>Bob Wieckowski (D)</i>	25	100%
<i>Adam Gray (D)</i>	21	100%	<i>Scott Wilk (R)</i>	38	5%
<i>Shannon Grove (R)</i>	34	0%	<i>Das Williams (D)</i>	37	100%
<i>Curt Hagman (R)</i>	55	0%	<i>Mariko Yamada (D)</i>	4	100%
<i>Isadore Hall III (D)</i>	64	100%			

SENATE

Office Holder	District	Rating	Office Holder	District	Rating
<i>Joel Anderson (R)</i>	36	29%	<i>Hannah-Beth Jackson (D)</i>	19	100%
<i>Jim Beall (D)</i>	15	100%	<i>Stephen Knight (R)</i>	21	0%
<i>Tom Berryhill (R)</i>	14	14%	<i>Ricardo Lara (D)</i>	33	100%
<i>Marty Block (D)</i>	39	100%	<i>Mark Leno (D)</i>	11	100%
<i>Ron Calderon (D)</i>	30	100%	<i>Ted Lieu (D)</i>	28	100%
<i>Anthony Canella (R)</i>	12	30%	<i>Carol Liu (D)</i>	25	100%
<i>Ellen M. Corbett (D)</i>	10	100%	<i>Bill Monning (D)</i>	17	100%
<i>Lou Correa (D)</i>	34	45%	<i>Jim Nielsen (R)</i>	4	7%
<i>Kevin de León (D)</i>	22	100%	<i>Alex Padilla (D)</i>	20	100%
<i>Mark DeSaulnier (D)</i>	7	100%	<i>Fran Pavley (D)</i>	27	100%
<i>Bill Emmerson (R)</i>	23	9%	<i>Curren Price (D)</i>	26	100%
<i>Noreen Evans (D)</i>	2	100%	<i>Richard Roth (D)</i>	31	100%
<i>Jean Fuller (R)</i>	18	0%	<i>Darrell Steinberg (D)</i>	6	100%
<i>Ted Gaines (R)</i>	1	8%	<i>Norma Torres (D)</i>	32	100%
<i>Cathleen Galgiani (D)</i>	5	100%	<i>Andy Vidak (R)</i>	16	0%
<i>Loni Hancock (D)</i>	9	100%	<i>Mimi Walters (R)</i>	37	0%
<i>Ed Hernandez (D)</i>	24	100%	<i>Lois Wolk (D)</i>	3	100%
<i>Jerry Hill (D)</i>	13	100%	<i>Roderick Wright (D)</i>	35	100%
<i>Ben Hueso (D)</i>	40	92%	<i>Mark Wyland (R)</i>	38	9%
<i>Bob Huff (R)</i>	29	20%	<i>Leland Y. Yee (D)</i>	8	100%