

2019 LEGISLATION CONSIDERED BY THE BOARD OF BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES

The bills listed below were considered by the Board in 2019. Detailed bill information may be found by clicking links in the "Bill Number" column below.

Bill No.	Author(s)	Sponsor	Title	Bill Version Considered	Board Position	Status	Effective Date
AB 8	Chu	Mental Health America of California	Pupil Health: Mental Health Professionals	March 19, 2019	Support	2-Year Bill	N/A
AB 613	Low	Author	Professions and Vocations: Regulatory Fees	February 14, 2019	Support	2-Year Bill	N/A
AB 630	Low	Board of Behavioral Sciences	Board of Behavioral Sciences: Marriage and Family Therapists: Clinical Social Workers: Educational Psychologists: Professional Clinical Counselors: Required Notice	September 5, 2019	Sponsor	Signed; Chapter 229, Statutes of 2019	July 1, 2020
AB 769	Smith	California Association for Licensed Professional Clinical Counselors (CALPCC)	Federally Qualified Health Centers and Rural Health Clinics: Licensed Professional Clinical Counselor	February 19, 2019	Support	2-Year Bill	N/A
AB 1145	Garcia	Author	Child Abuse: Reportable Conduct	February 21, 2019	Support	2-Year Bill	N/A
AB 1651	Medina	California Association of School Psychologists (CASP)	Licensed Educational Psychologists: Supervision of Associates and Trainees	March 27, 2019	Support if Amended	Signed; Chapter 321, Statutes of 2019	January 1, 2020

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SB 10	Beall	Steinberg Institute; Mental Health Services Oversight & Accountability Commission; Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors	Mental Health Services: Peer, Parent, Transition-Age, and Family Support Specialist Certification	January 23, 2019	Support if Amended	Vetoed	N/A
SB 163	Portantino	DIR/Floortime Coalition of California	Health Care Coverage: Pervasive Developmental Disorder or Autism	April 9, 2019	Support	Vetoed	N/A
SB 425	Hill	Author	Health Care Practitioners: Licensee's File	April 30, 2019	No Position	Signed; Chapter 849, Statutes of 2019	January 1, 2020
SB 601	Morrell	R Street Institute	State Agencies: Licenses: Fee Waiver	March 28, 2019	Support	Signed; Chapter 854, Statutes of 2019	January 1, 2020
SB 660	Pan	California Faculty Association	Postsecondary Education: Mental Health Counselors	February 22, 2019	Support	2-Year Bill	N/A
SB 679	Bates	Board of Behavioral Sciences	Healing Arts: Therapists and Counselors: Licensing	September 27, 2019	Sponsor	Signed; Chapter 380, Statutes of 2019	January 1, 2020
SB 786	Senate Committee on Business, Professions, & Economic Development	Board of Behavioral Sciences	Healing Arts	October 2, 2019	Sponsor	Signed; Chapter 456, Statutes of 2019	January 1, 2020

