

CACDC Legislative Tracking 2012 - December

BILL	TOPIC	STATUS
AB 1616	<p>(Gatto) Food safety: cottage food operations</p> <p>Defines a “cottage food operation” (CFO) as an enterprise operated in a private home and tiers those CFO’s as Class A (only required to register, and self-certify, with local env. health to engage in the direct sale of cottage food products) and Class B (required to obtain a permit from local env. health to engage in the direct and indirect sale of cottage food products). Limits the gross annual sales for any CFO; in 2013, the sales limit is \$35,000 per year; in 2014, the sales limit is \$45,000 per year. Starting in 2015, and each year thereafter, the sales limit is \$50,000 per year. Requires CDPH to establish a list of permissible non-potentially hazardous foods to be sold by a CFO. Allows the State Public Health Officer to add or delete any foods from the list. Requires the State Public Health Officer to provide technical assistance, and develop, maintain and provide commodity-specific training on the safe processing and packaging of CFO products to local enforcement agencies.</p>	<p>LAST HIST. ACT. DATE: 09/21/2012 LAST HIST. ACTION : Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 415, Statutes of 2012.</p> <p>COMM. LOCATION : SEN APPROPRIATIONS COMM. ACTION DATE : 08/16/2012 COMM. ACTION : Do pass as amended. COMM. VOTE SUMMARY : Ayes 07 Noes: PASS</p> <p>Environmental Health Directors will address implementation</p>
AB 2109	<p>(Principal coauthor: Senator Wolk) (Coauthor: Fuentes). Communicable disease: immunization exemption</p> <p>Requires a parent or guardian seeking an immunization personal belief exemption for their child to obtain a document signed by themselves and a licensed health care practitioner acknowledging that the parent or guardian has been informed by the health care practitioner of the benefits and risks of immunization as well as the health risks associated with communicable diseases. Also requires the parent or guardian to specify which vaccines that have and have not been given.</p>	<p>LAST HIST. ACT. DATE: 09/30/2012 LAST HIST. ACTION : Chaptered by Secretary of State - Chapter 821, Statutes of 2012.</p> <p>COMM. LOCATION : SEN APPROPRIATIONS COMM. ACTION DATE : 08/06/2012 COMM. ACTION : Do pass. COMM. VOTE SUMMARY: Ayes:05 Noes: 02 PASS</p> <p>Chaptered – 821 Monitor implementation. Specifies which health care practitioners can provide evaluation for PBE.</p>
SB 659	<p>(Negrete McCloud) Immunizations: disclosure of information: tuberculosis</p>	<p>LAST HIST. ACT. DATE: 09/07/2012 LAST HIST. ACTION : Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter 267, Statutes of 2012.</p>

	<p>This bill will allow TB screening results to be included in Immunization registries (replaces SB 922).</p>	<p>COMM. LOCATION : ASM APPROPRIATIONS COMM. ACTION DATE : 08/08/2012 COMM. ACTION : Do pass, to Consent Calendar. COMM. VOTE SUMMARY: Ayes:17 Noes:00 PASS</p> <p>Signed into law by Governor - Chapter 267 - Effective 01/01/13</p> <p>CTCA to develop a communication plan with input from other stakeholders.</p>
<p>SB 1318</p>	<p>(Wolk) Health facilities: influenza vaccinations.</p> <p>Beginning 1/1/15, requires each clinic and health facility to offer onsite influenza vaccinations to their employees, contractors, students, volunteers, persons with privileges on the medical staff and all other onsite health care workers affiliated with the clinic or health facility. For those employees that decline to be vaccinated, they must agree in writing to adhere to the most effective measures determined by the clinic/facility in preventing health care workers from contracting and transmitting the flu virus.</p> <p>Also requires each clinic/facility to annually document and maintain a record of their vaccination rates and make them available online or by request. Requires each clinic/facility to report the percentage of vaccinations to DPH. CDPH, in consultation with the CCLHO, shall develop a model mandatory vaccination policy, which has been determined to achieve the 90% or higher vaccination rate. Exempts a clinic and health facility with a 90% vaccination rate or higher from specified implementation and compliance requirements. Also requires clinics/health facilities to adopt a model mandatory vaccination policy to be created by DPH through a stakeholders' process. Allows clinics/health facilities or local jurisdictions to institute additional measures or policies to maximize influenza vaccination rates. Other provisions.</p>	<p>LAST HIST. ACT. DATE: 09/30/2012 LAST HIST. ACTION : In Senate. Consideration of Governor's veto pending. Ordered to engrossing and enrolling. COMM. LOCATION : ASM APPROPRIATIONS COMM. ACTION DATE : 08/16/2012 COMM. ACTION : Do pass. COMM. VOTE SUMMARY : Ayes: 16 Noes: 00 PASS</p> <p>Governor returned Bill without his signature See veto message.</p>
<p>SB 1481</p>	<p>(Negrete McLeod) Clinical laboratories: community pharmacies</p> <p>This bill would exempt a community pharmacy that solely provided certain tests classified as waived under CLIA from the clinical laboratory regulations, provided that the tests are performed by a pharmacist, as with all other requirements under CLIA.</p>	<p>LAST HIST. ACT. DATE: 09/30/2012 LAST HIST. ACTION : Chaptered by Secretary of State. Chapter 874, Statutes of 2012. COMM. LOCATION : ASM APPROPRIATIONS COMM. ACTION DATE : 08/16/2012 COMM. ACTION : Do pass, as amended, to Consent Calendar. COMM. VOTE SUMMARY: Ayes:17 Noes: 00 PASS</p> <p>Public Health Directors are addressing this Bill.</p>

