

## Reproductive Health and Rights Bill Chart • 2008 General Assembly Session

**Key to Bill Status Column:**

Underlined = bill has been defeated  
PBI= Passed-by-Indefinitely (bill has been killed)

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BILL NO. CHIEF PATRON	BILL SUMMARY	BILL STATUS
<b>SUPPORT</b>		
<b>HB 283</b> Del. Toscano (D-57)	<b>Parents Right to Know:</b> Requires school districts to notify parents and distribute summary of Family Life Education program before instruction begins. If curriculum is abstinence-only, the notice must indicate that the Board of Education's Family Life Education Guidelines will not be met.	<u>Referred to House Education Committee. Left in Education.</u>
<b>HB 1071</b> Del. Amundson (D-44)	<b>Birth Control Protection Act:</b> Defines birth control as FDA-approved methods of contraception. Protects birth control from regulation under Virginia's abortion laws (mandatory 24 hour delay, state-scripted counseling, refusal protection, and parental consent).	<u>Referred to House Courts of Justice Committee. Left in Courts of Justice.</u>
<b>HB 1227</b> Del. Vanderhye (D-34)	<b>Breast and Cervical Cancer Coverage:</b> Increases access to Medicaid treatment services by allowing referrals from additional health care providers.	<u>Referred to Committee on Health, Welfare and Institutions. Reported from HWI with a substitute (22-Y, 0-N) Referred to House Appropriations Committee Health and Human Resources Subcommittee. Left in Appropriations.</u>
<b>HB 1403</b> Del. McClellan (D-71)	<b>Contraception in Family Life Education:</b> Adds FDA-approved methods of contraception to section of state code governing Family Life Education.	<u>Referred to House Education Committee. Left in Education.</u>
<b>SB 155</b> Sen. McEachin (D-9)	<b>Contraception in Family Life Education:</b> Adds FDA-approved methods of contraception to section of state code governing Family Life Education.	<u>Referred to Senate Education and Health Committee. Reported from Senate Education and Health Committee (9-Y, 6-N). Defeated by Senate (18-Y, 22-N).</u>
<b>Budget Item 293 #2</b> Del. O'Bannon (R-73)	<b>HIV Prevention Funding:</b> Provides funding to develop two to four HIV prevention programs targeted at people under 25 years of age.	<u>Referred to House Appropriations Committee. Left in Appropriations Committee.</u>
<b>Budget Item 296 #1</b> Del. Vanderhye (D-34)	<b>Breast and Cervical Cancer Coverage:</b> Provides funding for the fiscal impact of House Bill 1227 which would increase access to Medicaid treatment services by allowing referrals from additional health care providers.	<u>Referred to House Appropriations Committee. Left in Appropriations Committee.</u>
<b>OPPOSE</b>		
<b>HB 81</b> Del. R. Marshall (R-13)	<b>Abortion Ban:</b> Provides that if the United States Supreme courts overturns <i>Roe v. Wade</i> , Virginia would revert to pre- <i>Roe</i> status in which abortions were illegal. This bill further provides that any person who publicizes, lectures or advertises information about getting an abortion would be guilty of a misdemeanor.	<u>Referred to House Rules Committee. Left in Rules.</u>
<b>HB 89</b> Del. R. Marshall (R-13)	<b>HPV Vaccination Repeal:</b> Removes the HPV vaccine from the Board of Health's list of required immunizations for attendance at public or private schools. Note: Current law has a parental opt out provision.	<u>Referred to House Health, Welfare and Institutions Health Subcommittee. 1/14/07: Tabled in Subcommittee (4-Y, 2-N)</u>
<b>HB 188</b> Del. R. Marshall (R-13)	<b>HPV Vaccination Delay:</b> Delays addition of the HPV vaccine to the Board of Health's list of required immunizations for attendance at public or private schools from October 1, 2008, to October 1, 2011. Note: Current law has a parental opt out provision.	<u>Referred to House Health, Welfare (HWI) and Institutions Committee. Reported from HWI (13-Y, 9-N). Passed the House (57-Y, 39-N). Referred to Senate Education and Health Committee. Passed by Indefinitely (10-Y, 5-N).</u>

<b>HB 422</b> Del. R. Marshall (R-13)	<b>Double Ultrasound Requirement:</b> Requires that two physicians determine that a pregnancy is pre-viability before providing an abortion.	<u>Referred to House Courts of Justice Criminal Law Subcommittee. Left in Courts of Justice.</u>
<b>HB 670</b> Del. R. Marshall (R-13)	<b>Hospital zoning requirement for abortion providers:</b> Requires any medical facility providing abortions to operate in a location zoned for a hospital. Creates numerous Class 1 misdemeanors, including allowing a minor to enter the facility without parental permission.	<u>Referred to House Courts of Justice Committee. Left in Courts of Justice.</u>
<b>HB 894</b> Del. Lohr (R-26)	<b>Hospital licensing requirement for abortion providers:</b> Requires any medical facility providing 25 or more abortions a year to comply with the regulatory requirements of an ambulatory surgery center.	<u>Referred to House Health, Welfare and Institutions (HWI). Reported from HWI (17-Y, N-5). Passed the House (60-Y, 37-N). Referred to Senate Education and Health Committee. Passed by Indefinitely (10-Y, 5-N).</u>
<b>HB 1315</b> Del. Byron (R-22)	<b>Ultrasound Requirement:</b> Requires that ultrasound be performed before providing an abortion.	<u>Referred to House Courts of Justice Criminal Law Subcommittee. Reported from House Courts of Justice (17-Y, 5-N). Passed the House (62-Y, 37-N). Referred to Senate Education and Health Committee. Passed by Indefinitely (11-Y, 4-N).</u>
<b>HB 1538</b> Del. Pogge (R-96)	<b>Family Life Education Provider Restriction:</b> Prohibits public schools from allowing Family Life Education materials or instruction from persons or organizations that provide abortions or abortion referrals, which includes the Virginia Department of Health, most hospitals, health clinics and physician's offices, as well as Planned Parenthood. There is also a prohibition against school employees providing information or referrals for abortion.	<u>Referred to House Education Committee Teachers and Administrative Action Subcommittee. Continued to 2009 in House Education Committee by voice vote.</u>
<b>HB 1556</b> Del. Cline (R-24)	<b>Ultrasound Requirement and Biased Counseling:</b> Requires that ultrasound be performed before providing an abortion. If pregnancy is past 20 weeks, requires doctor to provide medically inaccurate information about fetal anesthesia.	<u>Referred to House Courts of Justice Criminal Law Committee. Reported from House Courts of Justice (18-Y, 4-N). Passed the House (68-Y, 31-N). Referred to Senate Education and Health Committee. Passed by Indefinitely (10-Y, 5-N).</u>
<b>SB 437</b> Sen. Vogel (R-27)	<b>Hospital licensing requirement for abortion providers:</b> Requires any medical facility providing 25 or more abortions a year to comply with the regulatory requirements of an ambulatory surgery center.	<u>Referred to Senate Education and Health Committee. Passed by Indefinitely (10-Y, 5-N).</u>
<b>SB 542</b> Sen. Obenshain (R-26)	<b>Family Life Education Provider Restriction:</b> Prohibits public schools from allowing Family Life Education materials or instruction from persons or organizations that provide abortions or abortion referrals, which includes the Virginia Department of Health, most hospitals, health clinics and physician's offices, as well as Planned Parenthood. There is also a prohibition against school employees providing information or referrals for abortion.	<u>Referred to Senate Education and Health Committee. Passed by Indefinitely (10-Y, 5-N).</u>
<b>SB 722</b> Sen. Cuccinelli (R-37)	<b>HPV Vaccination Repeal:</b> Removes the HPV vaccine from the Board of Health's list of required immunizations for attendance at public or private schools. Note: Current law has a parental opt out provision.	<u>Referred to Senate Education and Health Committee. Passed by Indefinitely (12-Y, 3-N).</u>
<b>SB 762</b> Sen. Smith (R-22)	<b>Prohibits forced or coerced abortion:</b> Makes it a Class 1 misdemeanor to force or coerce a pregnant female of any age to have an abortion against her will. The penalty is increased if the female is under 18 and the guilty party is the father or putative father.	<u>Referred to Senate Health and Education Committee. Passed by Indefinitely (10-Y, 5-N).</u>
<b>Budget Item 297 #7</b> Sen. Cuccinelli (R-37)	<b>Abstinence-only funding:</b> Reverses Governor Kaine's decision to eliminate \$275,098 of state funding for abstinence-only programs.	<u>Referred to Senate Finance Committee. Left in Senate Finance Committee. Raised on Senate floor and defeated (18-Y, 19-N).</u>
<b>Budget Item 297 #10s</b> Sen. Hanger (R-24)	<b>Abstinence-only funding:</b> Reverses Governor Kaine's decision to eliminate \$275,098 of state funding for abstinence-only programs.	<u>Referred to Senate Finance Committee. Left in Senate Finance Committee.</u>
<b>Budget Item 4-5.04#3h</b> Del. R. Marshall (R-13)	<b>Medicaid funding restriction:</b> Further restricts Medicaid funding for abortions to circumstances when the woman's life is at risk, or the pregnancy is a result of rape or incest. It prohibits funding for women whose health is at risk or have pregnancies with serious problems.	<u>Referred to House Appropriations Committee. Amendment accepted in House Budget Bill 30 (60-Y, 36-N). Removed from budget by Budget Conference Committee.</u>

<p><b>Floor Amendment HB30</b> Sen. Cuccinelli (R-37)</p>	<p><b>Planned Parenthood Funding Restriction:</b> Prohibits Planned Parenthood from receiving state funding to provide prevention health care, including low-cost gynecological care, cancer screenings, STI testing and treatment and birth control.</p>	<p><u>Amendment offered during Senate floor debate on the House Budget Bill 30. Amendment accepted (21-Y, 20-N). Removed from budget by Budget Conference Committee.</u></p>
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