

## Early Care and Education Bill Tracker: 2019

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Additional funding and opportunities for children aged birth to three created; programs and funding for prenatal care services, home visiting, early childhood education, and child care assistance governed; and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 1</a> <a href="#">Kotyza-Witthuhn</a>	1/10/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 1/10 Referred to Health and Human Services Finance. 1/24 Referred by Chair to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/7 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 820</a> <a href="#">Wiklund</a>	2/4/19 Introduction and first reading, Referred to Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.
Funding for school-linked mental health service grants increased, funding for full-service community schools provided, funding for support our students grants extended, the homework starts with home program funded, the collaborative urban educator program funding increased, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 2</a> <a href="#">Edelson</a>	1/10/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 1/10 Referred to Education Finance.	<a href="#">SF 1059</a> <a href="#">Kent</a>	2/11/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.
Paid family, pregnancy, bonding and applicant's serious medical condition benefits, regulation of certain employment leaves required, certain data classified, rulemaking authorized, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 5</a> <a href="#">Halvorson</a>	1/10/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Labor. 1/31 Committee report to adopt and re-refer to Commerce. 2/21 Bill adopted as amended and re-referred to Government Operations Division. 2/26 Bill adopted as amendment ad re-referred to Ways and Means Committee. 3/4 Referred to Judiciary and Civil Law. <b>3/12 bill heard in committee and referred to Ways and Means. 3/15 bill referred to Jobs and Economic Development Finance</b>	<a href="#">SF 1060</a> <a href="#">Kent</a>	2/11/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Jobs and Economic Growth Finance and Policy.

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Increasing funding for school-linked mental health services grants; providing funding for full-service community schools; extending funding for support our students grants; funding the homework starts with home program; increasing funding for the collaborative urban educator program; appropriating	<a href="#">HF 26</a> <a href="#">Kunesh-Podein</a>	1/10/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 1/10 Referred to Education Finance.	<a href="#">SF 369</a> <a href="#">Cwodinski</a>	1/22/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.
Creating additional funding and opportunities for children ages birth to three; governing certain programs and funding for prenatal care services, home visiting, early childhood education, and child care assistance; appropriating money	<a href="#">HF 30</a> <a href="#">Moran</a>	1/10/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 1/10 referred to Health and Human Services Finance. 1/24 Referred by Chair to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division.	<a href="#">SF 671</a> <a href="#">Wiklund</a>	1/31/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging.
Education programs; legislative grants awarded to organizations for education programs evidence-based grant standard established, and report required.	<a href="#">HF 125</a> <a href="#">Bennett</a>	1/17/19 Introduction and first reading. referred to Education Policy. <i>1/31 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill. Included in HF 1711-Education Policy Omnibus bill.</i>	<a href="#">SF 2282</a> <a href="#">Rosen</a>	3/11/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.
Statewide parent-to-parent programs for families of children and youth with special health care needs funding provided, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 190</a> <a href="#">Zerwas</a>	1/17/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. Referred to Health and Human Services Finance Division.	<a href="#">SF 215</a> <a href="#">Hoffman</a>	1/17/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy. <b>2/4 Bill heard in committee and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill</b>
Paid family, pregnancy, bonding, and serious medical condition benefits provided, employment leaves regulated and required, data classified, rulemaking authorized, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 256</a> <a href="#">Koegel</a>	1/22/2019 Introduction and first reading, referred to Labor.		

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Human services background studies disqualification of individuals with expunged criminal records prohibited.	<a href="#">HF 290</a> <a href="#">Noor</a>	1/22/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Public Safety and Criminal Justice Reform Finance and Policy Division.	<a href="#">SF 405</a> <a href="#">Champion</a>	1/24/19 Referred to Family Care and Aging.
Minnesota family investment program (MFIP) and general assistance (GA) cash grants increase and appropriation	<a href="#">HF 309</a> <a href="#">Kunesh-Podein</a>	1/24/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. Referred by Chair to Health and Human Services Finance Division. <b>3/6 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 167</a> <a href="#">Laine</a>	1/17/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.
School districts authorized to transfer community education reserve funds.	<a href="#">HF 337</a> <a href="#">Davnine</a>	1/24/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 1/24 Referred to Education Finance Division.	<a href="#">SF 871</a> <a href="#">Dziedzic</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy. <b>2/20 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill</b>
Public assistance and child care programs counted income for eligibility determinations clarification	<a href="#">HF 380</a> <a href="#">Scott</a>	1/28/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Policy.	<a href="#">SF 447</a> <a href="#">Benson</a>	1/24/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging.
Child care in rural Minnesota funding provided, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 422</a> <a href="#">Brand</a>	1/28/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. Referred to Jobs and Economic Development Finance Division. 2/14 bill recalled by Ways and Means and re-referred to Health and Human Services Finance Division. 2/25 Bill referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. 3/5 Bill given informational hearing in House Jobs & Economic Development Committee. <b>3/14 bill heard in Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division and referred to Health and Human Services</b>	<a href="#">SF 537</a> <a href="#">Nelson</a>	1/28/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. 2/12 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill. <b>Included in SF 2- omnibus child care bill.</b>

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Greater Minnesota child care facility capital grant program bond issue and appropriation	<a href="#">HF 423 Brand</a>	1/28/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. Referred to Jobs and Economic Development Finance Division. 2/14 bill recalled by Ways and Means and re-referred to Health and Human Services Finance Division. 2/25 bill referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. 3/5 Bill given informational hearing in House Jobs & Economic Development Committee. 3/14 bill heard in Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division and referred to Health and Human Services Finance Division. <b>3/21 bill received an informational hearing in the House Jobs and Economic Development Committee.</b>	<a href="#">SF 538 Relph</a>	1/28/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. <b>2/12 Bill heard in committee; bill passed and referred to Capital Investment Committee.</b>
Teacher candidates of color financial aid provided, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 434 Noor</a>	1/28/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. Referred by Chair to Higher Education Finance and Policy Division.		
Child care facilities property tax exemption provided.	<a href="#">HF 441 Gruenhagen</a>	1/28/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Taxes. 1/31 Referred to Property and Local Taxes.	<a href="#">SF 702 Newman</a>	1/31/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Taxes. <b>3/12 bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Office of Inspector General created.	<a href="#">HF 445 Franson</a>	1/28/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Policy.		

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Temporary immediate license suspensions modified, eligibility verification required, theft offenses penalties established, and report required	<a href="#">HF 446</a> <a href="#">Franson</a>	1/28/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Policy.		
Community solutions funds for healthy child development grant program established, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 459</a> <a href="#">Hassan</a>	1/28/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. Referred to Health and Human Services Finance Division. 2/1 Referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division.		
Legal nonlicensed child care provider definition modified.	<a href="#">HF 481</a> <a href="#">Swedzinski</a>	1/28/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division.		
Child care assistance program maximum reimbursement rates modified, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 496</a> <a href="#">Hassan</a>	1/28/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. Referred to Health and Human Services Finance Division. 2/1 Referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division.		
Child care providers prohibited from receiving child care assistance program reimbursements for dependents of employees.	<a href="#">HF 497</a> <a href="#">Franson</a>	1/28/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/21 Bill heard in committee and laid over for consideration in the omnibus bill.</b>		
Child care assistance program disqualifications due to wrongfully obtaining assistance modified.	<a href="#">HF 498</a> <a href="#">Franson</a>	1/28/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division.		
Background checks required on all first-time teaching applicants, and mandatory reporting expanded	<a href="#">HF 532</a> <a href="#">Erickson</a>	1/31/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy. 2/1 Bill heard in committee and referred to Ways and Means. <b>3/7 bill referred to Judiciary and Civil Law Division.</b>		

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Student loan debt counseling grant funding provided, report required, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 550 Pryor</a>	1/31/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. Referred to the Higher Education Finance and Policy Division. <b>2/27 Bill heard in committee and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 306 Draheim</a>	1/22/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Higher Education Finance and Policy. <b>2/21 Bill heard in committee and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Pregnant and parenting pupils transportation to certain qualifying educational programs requirement and appropriation	<a href="#">HF 681 Tabke</a>	2/4/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy. 2/21 Bill heard in committee. Bill passed and re-referred to Ways and Means. 2/21 Bill referred to Education Finance. <b>2/27 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 340 Draheim</a>	1/22/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy. <b>2/27 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Child care training requirements streamlining by commissioner of human services requirement	<a href="#">HF 711 Zerwas</a>	2/4/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division.	<a href="#">SF 789 Goggin</a>	2/4/19 Introduction and first reading, Referred to Family Care and Aging. 3/6 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill. <b>Included in SF 2- omnibus child care bill.</b>
Child care licensing requirements modified	<a href="#">HF 740 Quam</a>	2/4/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/5 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2560 Nelson</a>	3/18/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging.
Children's and parent's mental health provisions modified, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 742 Morrison</a>	2/4/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Policy. <b>2/27 Bill was heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1437 Mathews</a>	2/18/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy. <b>3/7 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Kindergarten readiness assessment requirement	<a href="#">HF 757 Her</a>	2/4/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy.	<a href="#">SF 33 Wiger</a>	1/10/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.

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Early learning scholarship age eligibility amended.	<a href="#">HF 760</a> <a href="#">Urdahl</a>	2/4/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Education Policy.	<a href="#">SF 1619</a> <a href="#">Eken</a>	2/21/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy. <b>3/4 Bill heard in committee and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Child age range increased for school-age care programs, funding for school-age care programs increased, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 768</a> <a href="#">Edelson</a>	2/7/09 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy. <b>3/8</b> Bill heard and re-referred to Ways and Means. <b>3/11 Bill re-referred to Education Finance.</b>	<a href="#">SF 920</a> <a href="#">Cwodzinski</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.
Day care initial licensure requirement modified; commissioner of human services directed to implement child care provider communication process, develop plain-language handbook and a uniform family day care provider application; child care tax credits modified; report required; and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 770</a> <a href="#">Franson</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/7 Referred to Health and Human Services Finance Division. 2/8 Referred by Chair to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division.		
Criminal penalties for failing to cooperate in child care assistance program fraud investigations established.	<a href="#">HF 791</a> <a href="#">Franson</a>	2/7 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/7 Referred to Health and Human Services Finance. 2/8 Referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy.		
Increase Teachers of Color Act funding provided, seeking to double American Indian teacher and teachers of color, reports required, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 824</a> <a href="#">Kunesh-Podein</a>	2/7 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy. <b>2/28 Bill heard and re-referred to Ways and Means. 2/28 Bill re-referred to Education Finance.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1012</a> <a href="#">Torres-Ray</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.

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Child care businesses in low-income urban areas run by two women pilot program funding provided, reports required, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 825</a> <a href="#">Kotzya-Witthuhn</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/7 Referred to Health and Human Services Finance Division. 2/8 Referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. 2/11 Bill heard in committee; bill passed and referred to Health and Human Services Finance Committee. <b>3/12 bill heard and referred to Ways and Means. 3/13 bill referred to Jobs and Economic Development Finance Division.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1052</a> <a href="#">Wiklund</a>	2/11/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging.
Minnesota reads task force creation and appropriation	<a href="#">HF 835</a> <a href="#">Christensen</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy.	<a href="#">SF 81</a> <a href="#">Wiger</a>	1/10/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.
Early childhood screening funding provided, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 837</a> <a href="#">Sandstede</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/7 Referred to Education Finance Division. 2/8 Referred by Chair to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>2/12 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1435</a> <a href="#">Cwodzinski</a>	2/18/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.
After-school community learning program funding provided, report required, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 907</a> <a href="#">Lee</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/7 Referred to Education Finance Division. <b>2/14 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1428</a> <a href="#">Eichorn</a>	2/18/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.



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Child care business training funding provided, reports required, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 908</a> <a href="#">Kotzya-Witthuhn</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/7 Referred to Health and Human Services Finance Division. 2/8 Referred by Chair to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. 2/12 Bill heard in committee; bill passed and referred to Health and Human Services Finance. <b>3/12 bill heard and referred to Ways and Means. 3/13 bill referred to Jobs and Economic Development Finance Division.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1051</a> <a href="#">Wiklund</a>	2/11/19 Introduction and first reading, Referred to Family Care and Aging.
Prenatal care service programs and funding governed, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 909</a> <a href="#">Morrison</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Policy. <b>2/27/19 Bill passed and re-referred to Ways and Means. 2/28 Bill referred to Health and Human Services Finance.</b>	<a href="#">SF 855</a> <a href="#">Abeler</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.
Full-service community schools grants appropriation	<a href="#">HF 1013</a> <a href="#">Murphy</a>	2/11/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Ways and Means. Referred to Education Finance Division. <b>2/13 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 37</a> <a href="#">Wiger</a>	1/10/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.
Refundable tax credit for certain qualified child care expenses, professionals, and providers established	<a href="#">HF 1034</a> <a href="#">Pryor</a>	2/11/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes. <b>2/20 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1110</a> <a href="#">Anderson, P.</a>	2/11/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Taxes. <b>3/5 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Education partnership program modification and appropriation	<a href="#">HF 1056</a> <a href="#">Moran</a>	2/11/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/11 Referred to the Education Finance Division.	<a href="#">SF 939</a> <a href="#">Nelson</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy. <b>3/20 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>

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Early learning scholarships eligibility modified.	<a href="#">HF 1110</a> <a href="#">Zerwas</a>	2/14/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy.	<a href="#">SF 1367</a> <a href="#">Housley</a>	2/18/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy. 3/4 Bill heard in committee and re-referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy. <b>3/13 Bill heard and re-referred to Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy Committee.</b>
Licensure requirement provisions technical changes made.	<a href="#">HF 1116</a> <a href="#">Lee</a>	2/14/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy. <b>3/4 Bill heard in committee and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1499</a> <a href="#">Cwodzinski</a>	2/21/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy. <b>3/4 Bill heard in committee and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Head Start program governing requirements amended, and technical and clarifying changes made.	<a href="#">HF 1220</a> <a href="#">Koegel</a>	2/14/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/14 Bill referred to Education Finance Division.	<a href="#">SF 2191</a> <a href="#">Hoffman</a>	3/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.
Programs and funding for home visits; appropriating money	<a href="#">HF 1226</a> <a href="#">Bahner</a>	2/14/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/14 Bill referred to Health and Human Services Finance Division. <b>2/21 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1438</a> <a href="#">Relph</a>	2/18/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.
Child Care Assistance Program rates modified.	<a href="#">HF 1227</a> <a href="#">Kottlyza-Witthuhn</a>	2/14/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/14 Bill referred to Health and Human Services Finance Division.		
Forecasting the Basic Sliding Fee Child Care Assistance Program	<a href="#">HF 1228</a> <a href="#">Wazlawik</a>	2/14/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/14 Bill referred to Health and Human Services Finance Division. <b>2/25 Bill referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy.</b>		

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Modifying eligibility for early learning scholarships; expanding voluntary prekindergarten programs to five groups.	<a href="#">HF 1230</a> <a href="#">Pinto</a>	2/14/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy. 2/21 Motion to recall and re-refer to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. Motion prevailed. <b>2/28 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill. 3/21 Bill referred to the General Register.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1832</a> <a href="#">Anderson</a> , <a href="#">P.</a>	2/27/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy. <b>3/4 Bill heard in committee and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Child care assistance for homeless people.	<a href="#">HF 1238</a> <a href="#">Pryor</a>	2/14/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/14 Bill referred to Health and Human Services Finance Division. <b>2/19 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1111</a> <a href="#">Weber</a>	2/11/2019 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. <b>3/6 Bill heard and re-referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.</b>
Childhood trauma-informed policy and practices task force established, and reports required.	<a href="#">HF 1258</a> <a href="#">Moran</a>	2/14/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Policy. 3/8 Bill heard and re-referred to Government Operations Committee. 3/13 Bill heard and re-referred to Ways and Means. <b>3/18 Bill referred to Health and Human Services Finance Division.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1935</a> <a href="#">Abeler</a>	2/28/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy. <b>3/6 Bill heard and re-referred to State Government Finance and Policy Committee.</b>
Child care support notification requirement modified.	<a href="#">HF 1266</a> <a href="#">Scott</a>	2/14/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Judiciary Finance and Civil Law Division.	<a href="#">SF 1352</a> <a href="#">Relph</a>	2/18/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging.

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Parenting with disability support services pilot project established, report required, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 1287</a> <a href="#">Fischer</a>	2/18/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Policy. 3/8 Bill heard and re-referred to Government Operations Committee. 3/13 Bill heard in Government Operations Committee and re-referred to Ways and Means. <b>3/18 Referred by Chair to Health and Human Services Finance Division.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1555</a> <a href="#">Marty</a>	2/21/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.
Parenting time for child care modified, technical changes made, and redundant language removed.	<a href="#">HF 1309</a> <a href="#">Scott</a>	2/18/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Judiciary Finance and Civil Law Division.	<a href="#">SF 2159</a> <a href="#">Isaacson</a>	2/18/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Judiciary Finance and Civil Law Division
Community solutions for healthy child development grant program established, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 1381</a> <a href="#">Kunesh-Podein</a>	2/18/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Policy. 3/8 Bill heard and re-referred to Government Operations Committee. 3/13 Bill heard in Government Operations Committee and re-referred to Ways and Means. <b>3/18 Bill referred to Health and Human Services Finance Division.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2044</a> <a href="#">Hayden</a>	3/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.
Tribal organizations and Head Start programs background studies governed.	<a href="#">HF 1384</a> <a href="#">Her</a>	2/18/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/18 Referred to Health and Human Services Finance. 2/25 Referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/14 Bill heard in committee and laid over for possible inclusion in omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1436</a> <a href="#">Relph</a>	2/18/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.

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Background study provisions for minors modified.	<a href="#">HF 1395 Layman</a>	2/18/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Policy.	<a href="#">SF 1451 Eichorn</a>	2/18/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.
Working family tax credit modified.	<a href="#">HF 1465 Wazliwuk</a>	2/21/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes.	<a href="#">SF 623 Marty</a>	1/28/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Taxes.
Early education teacher licensure requirements established.	<a href="#">HF 1512 Sandell</a>	2/21/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/12 Bill heard and laid over for consideration in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1482 Kent</a>	2/21 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.
Child care funding priorities basic sliding fee and allocation formula modified.	<a href="#">HF 1536 Wazlawik</a>	2/21/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/21 Referred to Health and Human Services Finance Division.	<a href="#">SF 2323 Isaacson</a>	3/11/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging.
Child care centers required to provide proof of surety bond coverage.	<a href="#">HF 1541 Zerwas</a>	2/21/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division.	<a href="#">SF 1846 Jasinski</a>	2/28/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. 3/11 Bill withdrawn and re-referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/13 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Child care assistance provider payments modified.	<a href="#">HF 1548 Albright</a>	2/21/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/21 Referred to Health and Human Services Finance Division.		
School-linked mental health services grants modification and appropriation.	<a href="#">HF 1557 Edelson</a>	2/21/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. Referred by Chair to Health and Human Services Finance Division.	<a href="#">SF 89 Nelson</a>	1/10/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.

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Parent-child home program funding provided, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 1582</a> <a href="#">Yoakim</a>	2/21/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/21 Referred to Education Finance Division. 2/28 referred to Early Childhood Education Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/14 Bill heard and laid over for consideration in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1647</a> <a href="#">Anderson</a> , <a href="#">P.</a>	2/25/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy. <b>3/20 bill heard in committee and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Early education provisions modified, five regions for the voluntary prekindergarten program established, and school readiness plus program made permanent	<a href="#">HF 1590</a> <a href="#">Bernardy</a>	2/21/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/21 Referred to Education Finance Division. 2/28 referred to Early Childhood Education Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/12 Bill heard and laid over for consideration in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2078</a> <a href="#">Newton</a>	3/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.
Minneapolis YWCA job and career assistance appropriation	<a href="#">HF 1594</a> <a href="#">Richardson</a>	2/21/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/21 Referred to Education Finance Division. 2/28 Bill heard and re-referred to Jobs and Economic Development. <b>3/5 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 867</a> <a href="#">Hayden</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Jobs and Economic Growth Finance and Policy.
Working family tax credit calculation modified.	<a href="#">HF 1620</a> <a href="#">Gomez</a>	2/25/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes. <b>3/6 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2507</a> <a href="#">Rest</a>	3/14/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Taxes.

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Commissioner of health grant to low-income families of color doula support, childbirth, and postpartum services funding provided, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 1664</a> <a href="#">Gomez</a>	2/25/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Ways and Means. Referred by Chair to Health and Human Services Finance Division. <b>3/14 bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>		
Ombudsperson for child care providers creation and appropriation.	<a href="#">HF 1665</a> <a href="#">Demuth</a>	2/25/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/28 Referred by Chair to Health and Human Services Finance Division. 3/1 Bill referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Committee. <b>3/5 Bill heard and re-referred to Health and Human Services Finance (with recommendation to be referred to Judiciary).</b>	<a href="#">SF 1452</a> <a href="#">Howe</a>	2/18/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. 3/6 Bill heard in committee and re-referred to State Government Finance and Policy. 3/13 Bill heard and re-referred to Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy. <b>3/20 bill heard in committee and re-referred to the Finance Committee. Also Included in SF 2- omnibus child care bill.</b>
Child care authorizations for parenting time clarification; child care reimbursements for parenting time clarification; child care reporting requirements clarification; parenting time presumptions modification; parenting time schedules findings requirement.	<a href="#">HF 1666</a> <a href="#">Scott</a>	2/25/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. 2/28 Bill re-referred to Judiciary Finance and Civil Law Committee. <b>3/5 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1295</a> <a href="#">Housley</a>	2/14/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. 2/28 Bill heard in Committee. <b>2/28 Bill passed and re-referred to Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy.</b>
Prekindergarten program funded participants for fiscal year 2020 and later increase and appropriation.	<a href="#">HF 1676</a> <a href="#">Richardson</a>	2/25/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 2/25 referred to Education Finance. 2/28 referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division.	<a href="#">SF 1057</a> <a href="#">Kent</a>	2/11/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.

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Child care assistance program record-keeping requirements clarified.	<a href="#">HF 1680</a> <a href="#">Demuth</a>	2/25/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/21 bill heard in committee and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>		
Child care licensing and background study record requirements streamline authorization.	<a href="#">HF 1684</a> <a href="#">Wazlawik</a>	2/25 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/5 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1035</a> <a href="#">Relph</a>	2/11/2019 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. 2/20 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill. <b>Included in SF 2- omnibus child care bill.</b>
Child care substitute length of time to provide care modification.	<a href="#">HF 1685</a> <a href="#">Wazlawik</a>	2/25 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/18 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1034</a> <a href="#">Relph</a>	2/11/2019 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. 2/20 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill. <b>Included in SF 2- omnibus child care bill.</b>
Family and group family child day care initial licensure modification; plain-language handbook, uniform family day care provider application, and child care provider communication process development requirement; appropriation.	<a href="#">HF 1701</a> <a href="#">Pinto</a>	2/25/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Ways and Means. Referred by Chair to Health and Human Services Finance Division.	<a href="#">SF 2</a> <a href="#">Housley</a>	1/10/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. 3/14 Bill heard and referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy Committee. <b>3/20 Bill heard and re-referred to Jobs and Economic Growth Finance and Policy. 3/21 Bill heard and re-referred to Finance Committee.</b>
Low-income workers increased child care assistance and child care assistance reimbursement rates; basic sliding fee child care assistance program forecasting.	<a href="#">HF 1703</a> <a href="#">Richardson</a>	2/25/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Ways and Means. Referred by Chair to Health and Human Services Finance Division.	<a href="#">SF 625</a> <a href="#">Marty</a>	1/28/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Jobs and Economic Growth Finance and Policy.



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Child care assistance program eligibility restrictions extended.	<a href="#">HF 1724</a> <a href="#">Zerwas</a>	2/25/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division	<a href="#">SF 1845</a> <a href="#">Jasinski</a>	2/28/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. 3/11 Bill withdrawn and re-referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/13 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Voluntary prekindergarten program participation limits increased.	<a href="#">HF 1742</a> <a href="#">Kotzya-Witthun</a>	2/27/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division.	<a href="#">SF 1831</a> <a href="#">Anderson, P.</a>	2/27/2019 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy. <b>3/4 Bill heard in committee and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Pupil Fair Dismissal Act amended, and pupil dismissals limited.	<a href="#">HF 1785</a> <a href="#">Richardson</a>	2/27/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/14 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1874</a> <a href="#">Kent</a>	2/28/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.
Working family tax credit calculation modified.	<a href="#">HF 1795</a> <a href="#">Brand</a>	2/27/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes. <b>3/6 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2503</a> <a href="#">Rest</a>	3/14/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Taxes
Day care facilities licensing statutes recodification requirement.	<a href="#">HF 1801</a> <a href="#">Pinto</a>	2/27/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/5 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1030</a> <a href="#">Kiffmeyer</a>	2/11/2019 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. 2/20 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill. <b>Included in SF 2- omnibus child care bill.</b>
Working family tax credit calculation modified.	<a href="#">HF 1825</a> <a href="#">Loeffler</a>	2/28/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes. <b>3/6 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2506</a> <a href="#">Rest</a>	3/14/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Taxes

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Minimum wage phased-in increase; federal social security tax loophole closure; child care assistance expansion; Minnesota family investment program (MFIP) cash grant increase; working family tax credit program increase; basic sliding fee child care assistance program forecasting	<a href="#">HF 1836</a> <a href="#">Mariani</a>	2/28/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Labor.	<a href="#">SF 622</a> <a href="#">Marty</a>	1/28/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Jobs and Economic Growth Finance and Policy.
Child care programs water bottles requirements modification	<a href="#">HF 1841</a> <a href="#">Olson</a>	2/28/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/5 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 1919</a> <a href="#">Simonson</a>	2/28/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Health and Human Services Finance and Policy. <b>Included in SF 2- omnibus child care bill.</b>
Child care providers reporting requirement non-compliance penalty added.	<a href="#">HF 1874</a> <a href="#">Albright</a>	2/28/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. Referred by Chair to Health and Human Services Finance Division.		
Commissioner of human services directed to provide child care assistance program billing form notices, child care assistance program provider requirements modified, and criminal penalties provided	<a href="#">HF 1881</a> <a href="#">Heintzman</a>	2/28/2019 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. Referred by Chair to Health and Human Services Finance Division.		
Family child care emergency preparedness plan requirements modifications.	<a href="#">HF 1924</a> <a href="#">Pryor</a>	3/4/2019 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/18 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 982</a> <a href="#">Kiffmeyer</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. 3/6 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill. <b>Included in SF 2- omnibus child care bill.</b>

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Human services licensing provisions modifications.	<a href="#">HF 1925 Pryor</a>	3/4/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/18 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 978 Kiffmeyer</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy. <b>3/14 Committee report to pass as amended. Second reading. Also Included in SF 2- omnibus child care bill.</b>
Human services child care background studies and training exemption authorization	<a href="#">HF 1926 Pryor</a>	3/4/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/18 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 882 Koran</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. 2/20 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill <b>Included in SF 2- omnibus child care bill.</b>
Prekindergarten through grade 12 education policy changes made including general education, education excellence, nutrition, and facilities; and reports required.	<a href="#">HF 1954 Youakim</a>	3/4/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy. <b>3/5 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2116 Nelson</a>	3/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy. <b>3/18 bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Child care provider licensing requirement interpretation dispute department of human services clarification consultation requirement	<a href="#">HF 2047 Pryor</a>	3/4/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/18 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 886 Weber</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. 2/12 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill. <b>Included in SF 2- omnibus child care bill.</b>
Child care training timelines extension and clarification.	<a href="#">HF 2048 Pryor</a>	3/4/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/18 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 979 Kiffmeyer</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. 2/12 Bill heard in committee; bill passed and referred to the Senate floor. <b>2/14 Second reading.</b>
Child care training requirements clarification.	<a href="#">HF 2049 Pryor</a>	3/4/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/18 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 980 Kiffmeyer</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. 3/6 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill. <b>Included in SF 2- omnibus child care bill.</b>

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Reach Out and Reach Minnesota program grant funding provided, and money appropriated	<a href="#">HF 2111</a> <a href="#">Kotzya-Witthuhn</a>	3/7/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 3/8 Referred by Chair to Education Finance Division. 3/12 referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/14 bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2298</a> <a href="#">Nelson</a>	3/11/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.
Governor's Tax Bill	<a href="#">HF 2125</a> <a href="#">Marquart</a>	3/7/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes. <b>3/12 bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2411</a> <a href="#">Rest</a>	3/11/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.
Governor's Health and Human Services Bill	<a href="#">HF 2184</a> <a href="#">Liebling</a>	3/7/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 3/7 Referred by Chair to Health and Human Services Finance Division. 3/21 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.	<a href="#">SF 2302</a> <a href="#">Marty</a>	3/11/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.
Early care and education program requirements governed including quality rating and improvement system, implementation outreach, universal identified requirements, and data practices evaluation; early care and education coordination task force established.	<a href="#">HF 2195</a> <a href="#">Pryor</a>	3/7/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. <b>3/19 Bill heard in Early Childhood Division and referred to Education Finance Division.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2165</a> <a href="#">Relph</a>	3/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.
Governor's Education Bill	<a href="#">HF 2207</a> <a href="#">Davnie</a>	3/7/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 3/7 Referred by Chair to Education Finance Division. <b>3/3/13 bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2347</a> <a href="#">Nelson</a>	3/11/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy. <b>3/18 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>

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Governor's Jobs and Economic Development Bill	<a href="#">HF 2208</a> <a href="#">Mahoney</a>	3/7/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 3/7 Referred by Chair to Jobs and Economic Development Division.		
Retaining early educators through attaining incentives now (REETAIN) grant program established, reports required, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 2264</a> <a href="#">Wazlawik</a>	3/7/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. Referred to Health and Human Services Finance Division. 3/8 Referred by Chair to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division. <b>3/14 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill</b>	<a href="#">SF 2363</a> <a href="#">Draheim</a>	3/13/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.
Individual income tax education expense credit and deduction application to prekindergarten expenses	<a href="#">HF 2272</a> <a href="#">Robbins</a>	3/7/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy	<a href="#">SF 1573</a> <a href="#">Anderson, P.</a>	2/21/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Taxes. <b>3/5 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Minnesota imagination library project program establishment for early childhood literacy and appropriation	<a href="#">HF 2388</a> <a href="#">Marquart</a>	3/11/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 3/11 Bill referred to Education Finance Division.	<a href="#">SF 1996</a> <a href="#">Eken</a>	3/4/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy
Early childhood, child care, and family support program eligibility, participation, and requirements modified.	<a href="#">HF 2319</a> <a href="#">Pinto</a>	3/13/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 3/13 Referred to Education Finance. 3/13 Referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. <b>3/20 Bill heard in Judiciary Finance and Civil Law Committee and re-referred to Ways and Means. 3/21 Bill heard in Early Childhood Finance and Policy and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>		

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Children and family service policy provisions modified.	<a href="#">HF 2397 Pryor</a>	3/11/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Judiciary Finance and Civil Law Division. <b>3/13 bill heard and re-referred to Health and Human Services Policy. 3/18 Bill heard; committee report to adopt. Second reading.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2320 Relph</a>	3/11/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging.
Child care site assistance funding provided, reports required, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 2420 Davnie</a>	3/13/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 3/13 Referred to Health and Human Services Finance. 3/15 Referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. <b>3/19 Bill heard in committee and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2559 Housley</a>	3/18/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging.
Early childhood, child care, and family support program eligibility, participation, and requirements modified. (Governor's Education Bill sections related to Early Childhood).	<a href="#">HF 2463 Pinto</a>	3/13/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 3/13 Referred to Health and Human Services Finance. 3/15 Referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy. <b>3/19 Bill heard in committee and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2630 Wiklund</a>	3/21/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.
Child care economic grant program created, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 2474 Clafflin</a>	3/14/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 3/15 Referred by Chair to Health and Human Services Finance Division. <b>3/19 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>	<a href="#">SF 2485 Champion</a>	3/14/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Jobs and Economic Growth Finance and Policy.

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Voluntary prekindergarten participants service through mixed-delivery services requirement	<a href="#">HF 2480 Erickson</a>	3/14/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 3/15 Referred by Chair to Education Finance Division. 3/15 Referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division.	<a href="#">SF 1238 Nelson</a>	2/14/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy. <b>3/4 Bill heard in committee and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Governor's Higher Education Bill	<a href="#">HF 2544 Bernardy</a>	3/14/ 19 Introduction and first reading. Referred by Chair to Higher Education Finance and Policy Division.	<a href="#">SF 2415 Anderson, P.</a>	3/13/ Introduction and first reading. Referred to Higher Education Finance and Policy.
Prekindergarten through grade 12 technical and policy changes made including general education, education excellence, teachers, special education, health and safety, facilities, nutrition, and state agencies; and reports required. <i>House Omnibus Education Policy Bill</i>	<a href="#">HF 1711 Youakim</a>	2/25/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Education Policy. <b>3/14 Bill marked up in committee. 3/18 Bill referred to Education Finance Division.</b>		
Working family income tax credit modification	<a href="#">HF 2564 Loeffler</a>	3/19/19 I Introduction and first reading, referred to Taxes	<a href="#">SF 2501 Rest</a>	3/14/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Taxes.
Early learning scholarship eligibility and funding amended, and statutory appropriation made.	<a href="#">HF 2565 Robbins</a>	3/18/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 3/18 Bill referred to Education Finance Committee. 3/18 Bill referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Committee.		

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Children and family services provisions modified, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 2575</a> <a href="#">Pinto</a>	3/18/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 3/18 Bill referred to Health and Human Services Finance Committee. 3/18 Bill referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Committee. <b>3/19 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>		
Commissioner of education authorized to increase early learning scholarship amounts, early childhood professional development funding provided, and money appropriated.	<a href="#">HF 2590</a> <a href="#">Quam</a>	3/18/19 Introduction and first reading, bill referred to Ways and Means. 3/18 bill referred to Education Finance Division. 3/18 bill referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division.	<a href="#">SF 2565</a> <a href="#">Nelson</a>	3/18/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to E-12 Finance and Policy. 3/21 Withdrawn and re-referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.
Background study fee deposit to special revenue fund required.	<a href="#">HF 2605</a> <a href="#">Liebling</a>	3/20/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 3/20 referred to Health and Human Services Finance Division.	<a href="#">SF 2382</a> <a href="#">Abeler</a>	3/13/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Health and Human Services Finance and Policy.
School readiness aid modified.	<a href="#">HF 2610</a> <a href="#">Pinto</a>	3/20/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Ways and Means. 3/20 referred to Education Finance Division. 3/20 referred to Early Childhood Finance and Policy Division.		
Child care advisory working group established, child care assistance program requirements modified, commissioner directions provided, and report required.	<a href="#">HF 2651</a> <a href="#">Pryor</a>	3/21/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Government Operations.	<a href="#">SF 2549</a> <a href="#">Hoffman</a>	3/18/19 Introduction and first reading, Referred to Family Care and Aging.
Child care assistance program repealed.	<a href="#">HF 2667</a> <a href="#">Drazkowsk</a> <a href="#">i</a>	3/21/19 Introduction and first reading, referred to Health and Human Services Policy		



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Mental health grants establishment and appropriations			<a href="#">SF 1 Rosen</a>	1/10/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.
Human services provider enrollment medical assistance (MA) modification; counted income clarification; surety bond requirements; programs documentation, and commissioner of human services authority modifications; visit verification system; universal identification number; fraud prevention investigations appropriation.			<a href="#">SF 4 Relpl</a>	1/10/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. 1/14 withdrawn and re-referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy. 1/17 Comm report: To pass and re-referred to Family Care and Aging. 2/12 Bill heard in committee; bill passed and referred to the Human Services Reform Committee. <b>3/13 Bill heard and re-referred to Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy Division.</b>
Parental leave costs individual income and corporate franchise employer tax credits.			<a href="#">SF 90 Nelson</a>	1/10/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. 1/14 withdrawn and re-referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy. 1/17 Comm report: To pass and re-referred to Family Care and Aging.
Minnesota Initiative Foundations grant for rural sustainable child care appropriation.			<a href="#">SF 137 Nelson</a>	1/14/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. <b>Included in SF 2- Omnibus child care bill.</b>
Initial family and group family day care licensure requirement modification.			<a href="#">SF 155 Housley</a>	1/17/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging.
Cultural competency training for teacher licensure definition.			<a href="#">SF 289 Clausen</a>	1/22/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy. 2/11 Bill withdrawn and returned to author.

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Community education revenue program funding increase.			<a href="#">SF 292</a> <a href="#">Lat</a>	1/22/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy. <b>2/20 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Higher education institutions eligibility for the state grant program modification.			<a href="#">SF 378</a> <a href="#">Bigham</a>	1/22/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Higher Education Finance and Policy.
Child care fix-it ticket violation expansion			<a href="#">SF 669</a> <a href="#">Abeler</a>	1/31/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. <b>3/6 Bill heard and re-referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy . Included in SF 2- Omnibus child care bill.</b>
Human services block grant program establishment.			<a href="#">SF 794</a> <a href="#">Abeler</a>	2/4/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy. <b>2/4 Initial hearing of bill. Bill laid over.</b>
Child care helper and emergency substitute caregiver training requirements exemptions			<a href="#">SF 887</a> <a href="#">Weber</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. <b>Included in SF 2- Omnibus child care bill.</b>
Early care and education department establishment.			<a href="#">SF 945</a> <a href="#">Torres</a> <a href="#">Ray</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy.
Family child care centers child injury and illness health plan coverage requirement.			<a href="#">SF 977</a> <a href="#">Kiffmeyer</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging.
Day care providers insurance policies provisions modifications			<a href="#">SF 981</a> <a href="#">Kiffmeyer</a>	2/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging.
Crime of falsely reporting child abuse against a licensed day care center crime establishment.			<a href="#">SF 1064</a> <a href="#">Johnson</a>	2/11/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Judiciary and Public Safety Finance and Policy.

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Family child care homes and group family child care minimum water temperature requirements clarification			<a href="#">SF 1097 Mathews</a>	2/11/2019 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. <b>2/20 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Parental leave work group establishment and appropriation			<a href="#">SF 1134 Housley</a>	2/11/2019 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging.
Community education advisory council responsibilities and general community education revenue allowable uses calculation modifications; appropriation			<a href="#">SF 1138 Nelson</a>	2/11/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy. <b>2/20 Bill heard and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Voluntary prekindergarten pupils expenditures school district and charter school recording requirement			<a href="#">SF 1139 Nelson</a>	2/11/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy. <b>3/4 Bill heard in committee and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Early learning scholarships child and program eligibility and commissioner designation authority modifications; early childhood screening requirements for children with an early learning scholarship clarification: appropriation			<a href="#">SF 1306 Nelson</a>	2/14/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy. <b>3/4 Bill heard in committee and laid over for possible inclusion in the omnibus bill.</b>
Child care business start-ups and expansion promotion grants appropriation			<a href="#">SF 2059 Housley</a>	3/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging.
Child care licensing safe sleep requirements modification			<a href="#">SF 2179 Marty</a>	3/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging.
Early childhood program eligibility modification			<a href="#">SF 2180 Marty</a>	3/7/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to E-12 Finance and Policy

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Family child care working group establishment and appropriation			<a href="#">SF 2296</a> <a href="#">Housley</a>	3/11/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. <b>Included in SF 2- omnibus child care bill.</b>
Child care provider licensing inspections reform; abbreviated inspection process establishment; risk-based violation levels and corresponding enforcement actions establishment; commissioner of human services duties requirement; Child care assistance provider reimbursement rates modification			<a href="#">SF 2322</a> <a href="#">Weber</a>	3/11/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging Committee. 3/14 bill heard and re-referred to Human Resources Finance and Policy Committee. <b>Included in SF 2- omnibus child care bill.</b>
Special family child care home additional licenses authorization			<a href="#">SF 2343</a> <a href="#">Housley</a>	3/11/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. <b>Included in SF 2-omnibus child care bill.</b>
Omnibus health and human services policy bill			<a href="#">SF 2570</a> <a href="#">Abeler</a>	3/18/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Human Services Reform Finance and Policy.
Family child care task force establishment; reporting; appropriation			<a href="#">SF 2626</a> <a href="#">Housley</a>	3/21/19 Introduction and first reading. Referred to Family Care and Aging. <b>Included in SF 2-omniubus child care bill.</b>