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Planned Parenthood Votes Nevada

LEGISLATIVE SCORECARD

NEVADA 80th SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RECAP

SB 94 Family Planning Grant Program

SB 94 funds the state's Family Planning Grant program at \$6 million over the biennium as promised by Governor Steve Sisolak during the 2019 State of the State address. By passing SB 94 unanimously, the Nevada legislature made the health and well-being of its constituents a priority by expanding access to reproductive health care including birth control, cancer screenings, and STI-testing and treatment for patients who are under or uninsured.

SB 179 Trust Nevada Women Act

The Trust Nevada Women Act proactively protects and expands abortion rights for Nevadans by repealing outdated language criminalizing abortion, updates informed consent laws to align with current medical standards, and requires health care providers to give and receive informed consent in a patient's primary language.

AB 169 Creates a Maternal Mortality Review Board

AB 169 creates a Maternal Mortality Review Board in Nevada to review incidents and near misses of maternal mortality. The state review board is an important step in addressing the nation's maternal mortality crisis.

AB 170 Protections for those with Pre-existing Conditions

AB 170 ensures that insurance coverage for Nevadans with pre-existing conditions will remain protected regardless of federal health care policy. With the Affordable Care Act being heard in a Texas court, AB 170 shows the Nevada legislature's commitment to securing protections for Nevadans under the ACA.

SB 544 Creates the Patient Protection Commission

In an effort to create better protections for Nevadans seeking health care in the state of Nevada, SB 544 creates a Patient Protection Commission. The Patient Protection Commission is charged with the systematic review of issues related to health care in Nevada, including the quality, accessibility, and affordability of health care, especially as it relates to drug pricing.

SJR 8 Equal Rights Amendment to State Constitution

SJR 8 is a resolution that would amend the Nevada State Constitution to guarantee equal rights under the law regardless of race, color, creed, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, age, disability, ancestry or national origin. Since amending the constitution is a multi-step process in the state of Nevada, passing SJR 8 puts the Silver State one step closer to adopting a state Equal Rights Amendment.

SB 364 Anti-Discrimination in Medical Facilities

SB 364 guarantees that medical facilities and health care providers cannot discriminate against LGBTQ+ patients. The bill requires health facilities to adopt policies and provide training to ensure that all Nevadans are able to access the health care that they need.

HOW YOUR LEGISLATORS VOTED

✓ Yes
 ✗ No
 — Excused

	SB 94	SB 179	AB 169	AB 170	SB 544	SJR 8	SB 364
PPVNV Position	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Governor Sisolak	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	N/A*	✓
NEVADA SENATE							
Chris Brooks (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Yvanna Cancela (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Nicole Cannizzaro (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Moises 'Mo' Denis (D)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Marilyn Dondero Loop (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Pete Goicoechea (R)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓
Scott Hammond (R)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Ira Hansen (R)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓
Joe Hardy (R)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Dallas Harris (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Ben Kieckhefer (R)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
James Ohrenshall (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
David Parks (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Keith Pickard (R)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Julia Ratti (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Melanie Scheible (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Heidi Seevers Gansert (R)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
James Settelmeyer (R)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Patricia 'Pat' Spearman (D)	✓	✓	—	✓	✓	✓	✓
Marcia Washington (D)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓
Joyce Woodhouse (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
NEVADA ASSEMBLY							
Alexander Assefa (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Shea Backus (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Teresa Benitez-Thompson (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Shannon Bilbray-Axelrod (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Maggie Carlton (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Richard Carrillo (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Lesley Cohen (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Skip Daly (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Bea Duran (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Chris Edwards (R)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗
John Ellison (R)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗
Edgar Flores (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Jason Frierson (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Ozzie Fumo (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Michelle Gorelow (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Gregory Hafen (R)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗
John Hambrick (R)	—	—	—	—	✓	✗	—
Alexis Hansen (R)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗
Melissa Hardy (R)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Sandra Jauregui (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Al Kramer (R)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗
Lisa Krasner (R)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✗	✓
Glen Leavitt (R)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Susie Martinez (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
William McCurdy (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Brittney Miller (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Daniele Monroe-Moreno (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Connie Munk (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Dina Neal (D)	—	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Rochelle Nguyen (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Sarah Peters (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Tom Roberts (R)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Greg Smith (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Ellen Spiegel (D)	✓	✓	—	✓	✓	✓	✓
Heidi Swank (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Robin Titus (R)	✓	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗
Jill Tolles (R)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Selena Torres (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Howard Watts (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Jim Wheeler (R)	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗
Steve Yeager (D)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
District 17 - Vacant	VACANT	VACANT	VACANT	VACANT	VACANT	VACANT	VACANT

* SJR8, as an amendment to the state constitution, will need to be voted on by the legislature a second time before a vote by the electorate.

About Planned Parenthood Votes Nevada

As the statewide policy, education, lobbying, and electoral arm of Planned Parenthood health centers in Nevada, Planned Parenthood Votes Nevada (PPVNV), is a non-profit, C4 organization that fights for every Nevadan's right to health, freedom, and access to reproductive health care. Our legislative scorecard explains how Nevada's legislature and Governor voted on issues that move us toward that goal.

Overall, the 2019 legislative session was a success. Nevada secured more funding for family planning, and was one of only a few states nationwide, to pass proactive legislation protecting access to safe, legal abortion.

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