



Advocacy Matters Newsletter Brain Injury Association of New Hampshire April 8, 2022

Legislative Update-Teresa Rosenberger, Lobbyist, Bernstein Shur

This was an incredibly busy week. House and Senate both were having hearings, all week, all day. It was hard to really keep up but tennis shoes were in order for all the running between Committees.

We had a couple of key hearings this week:

*Steve Wade did, as usual, a terrific job testifying on SB 439, the bill revising the membership on the Brain and Spinal Cord Injury Advisory Council. The bill passed the Committee right after the hearing and will be on the Floor of the Senate next week.

*SB 234, requiring the suicide hot-line phone number on student ID cards had a fabulous hearing. There was so much support. I would expect the Committee will pass it next week.

*We also supported SB 385 dealing with procedures for banks concerning financial exploitation of vulnerable adults. It has a work session next week in the House Committee

Hearings this coming week:

*SB 394 modifying the definition of a child with a disability to include person to 21 years old has a hearing in the House.

*HB 1624 dealing with co-curricular activities in schools for children with disabilities has a hearing in the Senate.

Things are moving fast. Have a great week-end. Teresa

Brain Injury Public Policy Committee Meeting - April 12, 2022

The next Brain Injury Association of New Hampshire Public Policy Committee ZOOM Meeting will be held on **Tuesday, April 12, 2022 at 4:30pm**. During the meeting, Brain Injury Association of New Hampshire Lobbyist Teresa Rhodes Rosenberger from the Law Firm of Bernstein Shur will provide the committee with a legislative and public policy update. All are welcome.

The ZOOM link to attend the meeting is:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83739812715?pwd=Rk83RnZFVHIPZkJNYUU1SGIvZ1VUQT09>

Meeting ID: 837 3981 2715

Passcode: 113797

Brain Injury Legislative Status Report

Attached find the most recent Brain Injury Legislative Status Report for your review.

Take care-

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