RCPA Administrative and Fiscal Code Bill Summaries

I. Administration Code Bill (HB336)

DDAP

Establishes a procedure for drug and alcohol treatment providers to request from the Department of Drug and Alcohol Programs (DDAP) additional time beyond July 1, 2021 in reaching substantial alignment with service delivery conditions under The ASAM Criteria, 2013 (ASAM Criteria). To request an extension in substantially aligning with service delivery conditions under the ASAM Criteria, drug and alcohol providers must submit a request to DDAP by July 9, 2021. No extension requests will be approved beyond December 31, 2021.

Department of Labor and Industry

Provision repealing the Department of Labor and Industry's Overtime Regulation.

II. Fiscal Code Bill (HB1348)

- Federal COVID monies not spent in 2021 will be transferred to the General Fund for use in fiscal years 2022-23 and 2023-24.
- Approximately \$44 million to school intermediate units.
- Approximately \$20 million for educational programs for neglected, delinquent and at-risk youths.
- Extends the end date for covering COVID related costs incurred by community-based health care centers and long-term living programs receiving CARES Act dollars to December 31, 2021.
- Approximately \$5 million in grants to long-term care facilities for indoor ventilation management practices related to COVID.
- Approximately \$30 million in payments to assisted living facilities and personal care homes.
- Limits counties from placing any limits or restrictions on eligibility for to the Rental and Utility Assistance Grant Program.
- Establishes the American Rescue Plan (ARP) Rental and Utility Assistance Grant Program.
- Establishes the Homeowners Assistance Grant Program.
- Establishes the Water Assistance Program.
- Requires the budget surplus for Fiscal Year 2020-21 to be deposited in the Budget Stabilization Reserve Fund.
- Creates the Opioid Settlement Restricted Account.
- Allocates up to \$500k for audits of managed care organizations that administer DHS contracts for Community HealthChoices, Long-Term Living, MH Services or the IDD – Community Waiver Program.