AB 152  Food Banks: Grants: Contributions: Income Tax Credits - Fuentes (D)

Requires the State Department of Public Health to investigate and apply for federal funding opportunities regarding promoting healthy eating and preventing obesity, and to award grants and provide in-kind support to nonprofit organizations that encourage specified healthy eating programs; requires the establishment of a State Emergency Food Assistance Program to provide emergency food and funding; and allows a tax credit for donations of fresh fruits and vegetables to food banks. Linked to First 5 LA’s policy goal of increasing access to healthy food options and physical activity.

STATUS: To Governor.

AB 581  Public Health: Food Access - Perez J (D)

Creates the California Healthy Food Financing Initiative Fund for the purpose of expanding access to healthy foods in underserved communities and to leverage other funding. Linked to First 5 LA’s policy goal of increasing access to healthy food options and physical activity.

STATUS: To Governor.

AB 1088  State Agencies: Collection of Demographic Data- Eng (D)

Requires specified state agencies to use additional separate collection categories and tabulations for other major Asian groups and Native Hawaiian and other Pacific Islander groups, and make the collected data available to the public. Linked to First 5 LA’s policy goal of supporting integration and sharing of data.

STATUS: To Governor.

AB 1147  Dependent Children: Status Reports - Yamada (D)

Requires, if the dependent child in foster care is also a parent, the report made by the child’s social worker to the court specifically set forth the age and developmentally appropriate services that were provided to the minor parent to allow him or her to provide a permanent and safe home for the child. Linked to First 5 LA’s policy goal of promoting family strengthening principles and prevention practices in the child welfare system.

STATUS: To Governor.
**AB 1296 Health Care Eligibility, Enrollment, and Retention Act - Bonilla (D)**

Requires the California Health and Human Services Agency to establish a standardized single application form and related renewal procedures for Medi-Cal, the Healthy Families Program, the Exchange and county programs. Linked to First 5 LA’s policy goal of promoting comprehensive, affordable health insurance for all as well as supporting integration and sharing of data.

**STATUS:** To Governor.

**AB 1319 Product Safety: Bisphenol A - Butler (D)**

Prohibits the manufacture, sale or distribution of any bottle, cup or liquid, food, or beverage in a can, jar or plastic bottle that contains bisphenol A. Prohibits the manufacturer, sale or distribution of liquid infant formula in a can or plastic bottle containing bisphenol A. Linked to First 5 LA policy goal of increasing access to healthy food options.

**STATUS:** To Governor.

**SB 502 Hospital Infant Feeding Protection Act - Pavley (D)**

Requires hospitals with perinatal units to have an infant-feeding policy based on Baby Friendly USA or on the Department of Public Health’s Model Policies and to clearly post that policy. Requires these policies be routinely communicated to all perinatal unit staff and that the infant-feeding policy apply to all infants in a perinatal unit. Linked to First 5 LA’s policy goal of increasing supports for breastfeeding.

**STATUS:** To Governor.

**SB 827 California Longitudinal Pupil Achievement Data System Advisory Committee- A. Lowenthal (D)**

Establishes a California Longitudinal Pupil Achievement Data System (CALPADS) advisory committee to explore fundamental issues, including potential systemic changes to CALPADS, to create a comprehensive data system that tracks pupil progress from preschool through postsecondary education and beyond. Linked to First 5 LA’s policy goals of expanding access to and improving quality of early care and education, and of supporting integration and sharing of data.

**STATUS:** Bill was substantially amended on Sept. 9. The new version of the bill does not pertain to CALPADS.