

2019-2020 Legislative Session

Wisconsin Medical Society

Total Lobbying Effort

Total Lobbying Expenditures

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
\$125,720.00	\$37,568.61	\$53,463.30	\$77,855.00	\$294,606.91

Total Hours Communicating

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
239.00	154.00	99.25	47.75	540.00

Total Hours Other

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
912.00	699.50	1232.50	581.50	3425.50

Hours Lobbied on Each Matter

Lobbying Effort On Legislative Bills And Resolutions

[Assembly Bill 248](#)

Relating to: eliminating personal conviction exemption from immunizations.

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
115.00 (10%)				115.00 (3%)

[Assembly Bill 83](#)

Relating to: authorizing creation and implementation of an advance directive registry and granting rule-making authority. (FE)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
	85.00 (10%)			85.00 (2%)

[Assembly Bill 287](#)

Relating to: certifications for advance directives and findings of incapacity related to powers of attorney for health care. (FE)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
	85.00 (10%)			85.00 (2%)

[Assembly Bill 422](#)

Relating to: raising the legal age for sale, purchase, and possession of cigarettes and nicotine and tobacco products, providing a legal age for sale, purchase, and possession of vapor products, and providing a penalty. (FE)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
	85.00 (10%)	13.00 (1%)		98.00 (2%)

[Assembly Bill 526](#)

Relating to: requiring continuing education on suicide prevention for physicians, psychologists, social workers, marriage and family therapists, professional counselors, and substance abuse counselors and requiring the exercise of rule-making authority. (FE)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
	85.00 (10%)			85.00 (2%)

[Assembly Bill 575](#)

Relating to: regulation of physician assistants, creating a Physician Assistant Examining Board,

extending the time limit for emergency rule procedures, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty. (FE)

2019	2019	2020	2020	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
	85.00 (10%)	67.00 (5%)		152.00 (4%)

[Assembly Bill 546](#)

Relating to: providing complementary and alternative health care practitioners with exemptions from practice protection laws, requirements and prohibitions for individuals who provide complementary and alternative health care services, and providing a penalty. (FE)

2019	2019	2020	2020	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		13.00 (1%)		13.00 (< 1%)

[Assembly Bill 645](#)

Relating to: opioid antagonist administration in jails and medication-assisted treatment availability in prisons and jails. (FE)

2019	2019	2020	2020	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		13.00 (1%)		13.00 (< 1%)

[Assembly Bill 646](#)

Relating to: registration of recovery residences and disciplinary action against a state employee who is receiving medication-assisted treatment. (FE)

2019	2019	2020	2020	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		13.00 (1%)		13.00 (< 1%)

[Assembly Bill 647](#)

Relating to: the prescription drug monitoring program. (FE)

2019	2019	2020	2020	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		13.00 (1%)		13.00 (< 1%)

[Assembly Bill 648](#)

Relating to: physical health services and acupuncture under Medical Assistance program and making an appropriation. (FE)

2019	2019	2020	2020	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		13.00 (1%)		13.00 (< 1%)

[Assembly Bill 650](#)

Relating to: reimbursement for peer recovery coach services under the Medical Assistance program and coordination and continuation of care following an overdose. (FE)

2019	2019	2020	2020	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		13.00 (1%)		13.00 (< 1%)

[Assembly Bill 651](#)

Relating to: immunity from revocation of probation, parole, or extended supervision for certain controlled substance offenses.

2019	2019	2020	2020	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		13.00 (1%)		13.00 (< 1%)

[Senate Bill 581](#)

Relating to: the prescription drug monitoring program. (FE)

2019	2019	2020	2020	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		13.00 (1%)		13.00 (< 1%)

[Senate Bill 582](#)

Relating to: reimbursement for peer recovery coach services under the Medical Assistance program and coordination and continuation of care following an overdose. (FE)

2019	2019	2020	2020	Total
January - June	July - December	January - June	July - December	
		13.00 (1%)		13.00 (< 1%)

[Senate Bill 590](#)

Relating to: immunity from revocation of probation, parole, or extended supervision for certain

controlled substance offenses.

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
		13.00 (1%)		13.00 (< 1%)

[Senate Bill 591](#)

Relating to: registration of recovery residences and disciplinary action against a state employee who is receiving medication-assisted treatment. (FE)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
		13.00 (1%)		13.00 (< 1%)

[Senate Bill 594](#)

Relating to: opioid antagonist administration in jails and medication-assisted treatment availability in prisons and jails. (FE)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
		13.00 (1%)		13.00 (< 1%)

[Senate Bill 600](#)

Relating to: physical health services and acupuncture under Medical Assistance program and making an appropriation. (FE)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
		13.00 (1%)		13.00 (< 1%)

[Senate Bill 492](#)

Relating to: providing complementary and alternative health care practitioners with exemptions from practice protection laws, requirements and prohibitions for individuals who provide complementary and alternative health care services, and providing a penalty. (FE)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
		27.00 (2%)		27.00 (< 1%)

[Senate Bill 866](#)

Relating to: the regulation and licensure of naturopathic doctors, creating a naturopathic medicine examining board, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty. (FE)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
		27.00 (2%)		27.00 (< 1%)

[Assembly Bill 1038](#)

Relating to: state government response to the COVID-19 pandemic. (FE)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
		93.00 (7%)		93.00 (2%)

[Senate Bill 932](#)

Relating to: state government response to the COVID-19 pandemic. (FE)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
		93.00 (7%)		93.00 (2%)

[Senate Bill 515](#)

Relating to: regulation of physician assistants, creating a Physician Assistant Examining Board, extending the time limit for emergency rule procedures, providing an exemption from emergency rule procedures, granting rule-making authority, and providing a penalty. (FE)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
		133.00 (10%)		133.00 (3%)

Lobbying Effort On Budget Bill Subjects

[Health Services: Medicaid Services](#)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
691.00 (60%)	85.00 (10%)			776.00 (20%)

[Health Services: Departmentwide](#)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
	85.00 (10%)			85.00 (2%)

[Safety and Professional Services: Professional Regulation and Administrative Services](#)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
	85.00 (10%)			85.00 (2%)

Lobbying Effort On Administrtive Rulemaking Proceedings

Department of Health Services (DHS)

[Immunization of students](#)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
		40.00 (3%)		40.00 (1%)

Lobbying Effort On Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number

[Worker's Compensation](#)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
115.10 (10%)				115.10 (3%)

[Expanding Wisconsin Smoke-Free Air law to include vapor products](#)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
		66.59 (5%)		66.59 (2%)

[public health emergency](#)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
		332.94 (25%)	157.31 (25%)	490.25 (12%)

[Creating a Physician Health Program](#)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
			62.93 (10%)	62.93 (2%)

[Small/Independent Physician Practices](#)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
			125.85 (20%)	125.85 (3%)

Minor Efforts

(Time spent on matters each of which accounted for less than 10% of the organization's lobbying)

2019 January - June	2019 July - December	2020 January - June	2020 July - December	Total
230 (20%)	171 (20%)	266 (20%)	283 (45%)	950.41 (23.97%)