

MEMORANDUM

| DATE | May 31, 2017 |
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| то | Board of Psychology |
| FROM | Jason Glasspiegel Central Services Coordinator |
| SUBJECT | Agenda Item #12(b)(3)(KK) – AB 1340 (Maienschein) Medical Education: Mental and Physical Health Care Integration. |

Background:

This bill would require the Medical Board of California to consider including in its continuing education requirements a course in integrating mental and physical health care in primary care settings, especially as it pertains to early identification of mental health issues in children and young adults and their appropriate care and treatment.

- Location: Senate Committee on Business Professions and Economic Development
- **Status:** 5/24/17 referred to Senate Committee on Business Professions and Economic Development
- Votes: 5/11/2017 Assembly Floor (77-0-3) 5/3/2017 Assembly Committee on Appropriations (16-0-1) 4/25/2017 Assembly Committee on Business and Professions (16-0-0)

Action Requested:

No action is required at this time. Staff will continue to watch AB 1340 (Maienschein) due to its potential to increase referral to mental health care services through better informed primary care providers.