

## KEY:

Green - ATA Action Supports

Blue - ATA Action Supports  
with Amendments

Red - ATA Action Opposes

## ATA Action Legislative Priorities in 2025

State	Legislation/Rule	Main Sponsor	Status	Summary
Alaska	<a href="#">SB 83</a>	Representative Claman (D)	Referred to House Committee on Health and Social Services and House Committee on Labor and Commerce (5/9/2025)	Requires insurance reimbursement for health care services provided through telehealth on the same basis and at least at the same rate as for comparable health care services provided in person.
California	<a href="#">SB 508</a>	Senator Valladares (R)	Re-referred to Committee on Business and Professions (9/9/2025)	Existing law authorizes a person licensed as a physician and surgeon in another state, as specified, to deliver health care via telehealth to an eligible patient, as defined. Existing law defines "eligible patient" as a person who, among other requirements, has a life-threatening disease or condition, as defined, and has not been accepted to participate in the clinical trial nearest to their home for the immediately life-threatening disease or condition, as specified, or in the medical judgment of a physician and surgeon, as defined, it is unreasonable for the patient to participate in that clinical trial due to the patient's current condition and state of disease. This bill would expand the life-threatening disease requirement of an eligible patient to include a person who has been diagnosed with any stage of cancer and would provide that cancer patients are not subject to the clinical trial requirement, as specified.
Delaware	<a href="#">SB 101</a>	Senator Poore (D)	Signed by the Governor (7/21/2025)	Amends statute regarding the definition of the patient-practitioner relationship with respect to prescribing drugs for a patient, to include the option that the practitioner is a licensed practitioner who

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				provides treatment for opioid use disorder under a provider-patient relationship established via telehealth for Schedule III through V medications.
Maryland	<a href="#">SB 372</a>	Senator Beidle (D)	Signed by the Governor (5/13/2025)	The Preserve Telehealth Act of 2025. Repeals the limitation on the period during which the Maryland Medical Assistance Program and certain insurers, nonprofit health service plans, and health maintenance organizations are required to provide reimbursement for audio only telehealth on a certain basis and at a certain rate.
Missouri	<a href="#">SB 94</a>	Senator Lewis (R)	Hearing in House Committee on Legislative Review (5/15/2025)	Specifies that audio-visual and audio-only technologies are included in the definition of telehealth and telemedicine. States that health care providers shall not be limited in their choice of electronic platforms used to deliver telehealth and telemedicine provided that all services are delivered in accordance with HIPPA.
Mississippi	<a href="#">SB 2415</a>	Senator Michel (R)	Signed by the Governor (3/12/2025)	Extends the repealer on the requirement that all health insurance and employee benefit plans in the state provide coverage for telemedicine services to the same extent as in person healthcare services.
North Carolina	<a href="#">S 369</a>	Senator Burgin (R)	Carried over to Second Session (9/12/2025)	Requires the Department of Health and Human Services to ensure that licensed health care providers that provide services exclusively through telemedicine are not required to maintain a physical presence in the state to be considered an eligible provider for Medicaid.
New Hampshire	<a href="#">SB 252</a>	Senator Prentiss (D)	Signed by the Governor (6/24/2025)	Modifies the requirements for the use of telemedicine to prescribe non-opioids and opioids classified in schedules II through IV and for the issuing of prescriptions for spectacle lenses or contact lenses. Removes in-person care provisions.

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New York	<a href="#">A 1259</a>	Assemblymember Paulin (D)	Referred to the Committee on Higher Education (1/9/2025)	Authorizes physicians licensed in another state or territory of the United States to practice time-limited follow-up care via telehealth in NYS pursuant to a reciprocal agreement; requires annual authorization.
Oregon	<a href="#">SB 822</a>	Introduced at the request of Governor Tina Kotek (D)	Signed by the Governor (7/17/2025)	Permits a health benefit plan and a dental-only plan to use telemedicine health care providers to meet network adequacy standards only as permitted by rule adopted by the department.
South Carolina	<a href="#">SB 377</a>	Senator Davis (R)	Referred to Committee on Labor, Commerce and Industry (2/25/2025)	Establishes a registration system through which out of state providers in good standing can provide telehealth care to South Carolina patients without obtaining full South Carolina licensure.
Texas	<a href="#">HB 997</a> & <a href="#">SB 471</a>	Representative Shaheen (R) & Senator Sparks (R)	HB 997: Committee Substitute Considered (5/1/2025), SB 471: Referred to the Committee on Business and Commerce (2/3/2025)	Amends the definitions of health professional and physician to include those licensed or certified by a licensing agency in another state. Allows out of state providers in good standing to provide care in Texas without Texas licensure through registration.
Texas	<a href="#">HB 1051</a>	Representative Bhojani (D)	Referred to House Committee on Insurance (3/7/2025)	Amends the telemedicine section of the insurance code to remove the section that states that health benefit plans are not required to provide coverage for services provided only by synchronous or asynchronous audio interaction including audio-only telephone consultation, text only email message or a facsimile transmission.
Virginia	<a href="#">SB 758</a>	Senator Locke (D)	Left in House Appropriations (2/18/2025)	Expands provision for payment of medical assistance for remote patient monitoring services provided via telemedicine to include all pregnant and postpartum persons. Under current law, only high-risk pregnancies are covered.
Wisconsin	<a href="#">SB 214</a>	Senators Stafsholt (R) and Quinn (R)	Passed Senate, to Assembly (10/14/2025)	Creates a registration system for credentialed health care providers in other states to provide health care

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				services via telehealth in Wisconsin if the provider is in good standing and meets other conditions.
Maine	<a href="#">LD 742</a>	Representative Fredette (R)	Placed in Legislative File (5/21/2025)	Permits health care providers licensed in another state to provide telehealth services to a patient in Maine as long as the patient is referred for those services by a primary care provider licensed in this State and the primary care provider has obtained and documented the patient's written informed consent to receive telehealth services.
Missouri	<a href="#">HB 710</a>	Representative Knight (R)	To House Committee on Rules (4/23/2025)	Requires that any questionnaire completed by patients via the internet or telephone shall include such information sufficient to provide the information as though the medical interview has been performed in person. Requires health care providers utilizing questionnaires to provide a written report to the patient's primary health care provider within 14 days and entities that use a questionnaire to establish a physician-patient relationship through telemedicine to be employed or contracted with a business entity licensed to provide health care in the state.
New Jersey	<a href="#">AB 1655</a>	Assemblywoman Lampitt (D) & Assemblywoman Park (D)	Introduced, Referred to Assembly Financial Institutions and Insurance Committee. (1/9/2024)	Requires health benefits plan and carriers to meet certain requirements concerning network adequacy and mental health care. Telemedicine providers permitted to help meet requirements. Telemedicine coverage is provided on the same basis as when the services are delivered through in-person contact and consultation in New Jersey and at a provider reimbursement rate of not less than the corresponding Medicaid provider reimbursement rate. Favors in-person care.
Illinois	<a href="#">HB 3494</a>	Representative Williams (D)	House Second Reading (4/10/2025)	Creates the Protect Health Data Privacy Act.

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North Dakota	<a href="#">HB 1267</a>	Representative Warrey (R)	Signed by the Governor (3/21/2025)	Amends provisions regarding optometric care. Requires an eye examination to be conducted by a licensed optometrist with a physical location in North Dakota to establish an initial relationship.
New York	<a href="#">S 929</a>	Senator Kruger (D)	Passed Assembly (1/22/2025)	New York Health Information Privacy Act.
New York	<a href="#">S 8484</a>	Senator Gonzalez (D)	Referred to Rules (8/20/2025)	Regulates the use of artificial intelligence in the provision of therapy or psychotherapy services by prohibiting the use of artificial intelligence to assist in providing supplementary support where the session is recorded or transcribed unless the patient is informed of the specific purpose of such use and consents of such use; establishes penalties for violations of such provisions; excludes religious counseling, peer-support, and self-help materials and educational resources from such provisions.
Ohio	<a href="#">HB 324</a>	Representative Mathews (R)	Hearing in the Senate Health Committee (11/12/2025)	Requires an in-person examination before the prescription of a drug that causes severe adverse effects in more than 5% of the drug's users.
Texas	<a href="#">SB 397</a>	Senator Sparks (R)	Senate Second Reading (4/10/2025)	Requires each agency with regulatory authority over a health professional providing a telemedicine medical service, teledentistry dental service, or telehealth service to adopt rules necessary to standardize formats for and retention of records related to a patient's consent. Requires that health professional conduct an in-person examination of a patient before an irreversible medical procedure is initiated.
Washington	<a href="#">SB 5387</a>	Senator Robinson (D)	Indefinitely postponed in Senate Committee on Rules (3/17/2025)	Concerning the corporate practice of medicine.