

**DIVISION OF HEALTH AFFAIRS REPORT ON 2003 CHAPTERED STATE LEGISLATION: INSTRUCTION EDUCATION**

<b>Bill/Author/ Date/ Chaptered/ UC Position</b>	<b>Title/Summary/url for complete text</b>
<b>AB 9</b> <b>Dymally</b> <b>8/11/2003</b>	<p><b>Urban Community Health Institute.</b> Establishes the “Urban Community Health Institute: Centers to Eliminate Health Disparities” at Drew University of Medicine &amp; Science. Drew will operate the Institute to address disparities in the delivery of health services to multicultural populations in specified areas of LA County. UC requested and obtained amendments removing references to UC.</p> <p><a href="http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/bill/asm/ab_0001-0050/ab_9_bill_20030811_chaptered.pdf">http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/bill/asm/ab_0001-0050/ab_9_bill_20030811_chaptered.pdf</a></p>
<b>AB 663</b> <b>Lieber</b>	<p><b>Pelvic Exams.</b> Prohibits physicians &amp; surgeons or students in a course of professional instruction or a clinical training program from performing a pelvic examination on an anesthetized female patient unless the patient has consented to the examination. UC-negotiated amendments will allow students to perform pelvic exams “within the scope of care for the surgical procedure or diagnostic examination to be performed on the patient or, in the case of an unconscious patient, the pelvic examination is required for diagnostic purposes”, (which UC reads as within the course of clinical training). The intent of this legislation is consistent with UC policy and practice to protect the patient against inappropriate exams or exams for which consent has not been given.</p> <p><a href="http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/bill/asm/ab_0651-0700/ab_663_bill_20031001_chaptered.pdf">http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/bill/asm/ab_0651-0700/ab_663_bill_20031001_chaptered.pdf</a></p>
<b>AB 948</b> <b>Ñunéz</b>	<p>Authorizes non-US citizen physicians who legally in this country to participate in a 1-year postgraduate fellowship program in a specialty or subspecialty field in a clinic or hospital in a medically underserved area of the state. Prerequisites for approval to participate in the fellowship program include:</p>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• approval fellowship application by the California medical licensing board;</li> <li>• supervision by a board certified California medical school faculty member, certified in the _____ area the fellow is to be trained; and</li> <li>• the supervising physician’s submission to the California medical licensing board of a protocol for the fellowship program to be completed by the foreign fellow.</li> </ul> <p><a href="http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/bill/asm/ab_0901-0950/ab_948_bill_20030922_chaptered.pdf">http://www.leginfo.ca.gov/pub/bill/asm/ab_0901-0950/ab_948_bill_20030922_chaptered.pdf</a></p>