



6Beds, Inc. 2014-2020 Legislative Achievements

YEAR	IMPORTANT BILLS, ACTION & ACHIEVEMENT
2014	<p><u>"RCFE REFORM ACT" - 14 Bills + 3 Bills</u> 10 Bills – Negotiated Amendments that 1. Lowered: <u>Increased Training Requirements</u> 2. Postponed: <u>Increased Penalties Date</u> - <u>More Negotiations</u> 3. Eliminated: <u>Admin. On-Duty 24/7</u> Reqmt. 4. Opposed: <u>Excessive Increase in civil penalties</u> for violations resulting in death or serious bodily injury 5. Opposed: <u>Mandate for Liability Insurance</u></p>
2015	<p>1. Negotiated: <u>Improved Appeal Process</u> for New Penalties 2. <u>Penalties "Scaled"</u> for Size of Facilities 3. Refined Details: in SB 648 <u>Referral Agency Bill</u> 4. Supported: SB 638 (Stone) <u>Rate Increase</u> for DD Facilities Service Providers</p>
2016	<p>1. More Work: on SB 648 <u>Referral Agency Bill</u> – Vetoed 2. Negotiated: with DSS/CCL <u>NO "Repeat Violation" Penalty</u> if NOT "<u>Substantially Similar</u>" & 3. Enhancing: Ability to get <u>Credit for Correcting a Violation</u> 4. Correcting: "4 Bed Policy" w/DDs so <u>ARF's Accept 6 Rdnts</u> 5. Worked on: "Hours Worked" under the W&H Laws</p>
2017	<p>1. OPPOSED: AB 859 (Eggmann) Made Easier to find RCFEs Liable for Elder & Dependent Abuse - <u>VETOED by Gov. Brown</u> 2. AB 648 (Mendoza) Defeated in Senate Appropriations Com. 3. Sponsored: AB 1437 (Patterson) Allow Criminal Clearance to Follow Employee to Other Facilities owned by Same Licensee - Passed Legislature - Vetoed by Gov Brown. 4. HOWEVER: 6Beds Continued Efforts with DSS Led to Recent Implementation of On-Line Transfer Function by CCL.</p>
2018	<p>1. Continued Efforts with DSS/CCL re AB 1437 (Patterson) Allowing Criminal Record Clearance to Follow Employees to Other Facilities. 2. Strongly Supported: AM 2233 (Kaira) Major Expansion of ALW- Vetoed, BUT Led to Expansion of ALW in 2019 CA Budget. 3. Worked on: AB 2744 (Reyes) Another Effort to Regulate Referral Agencies – Defeated in Senate Appropriations Committee</p>
	TEN (10) BILLS & TWO (2) BUDGET ISSUES Were Dealt with in 2019

2019	<p>1.AB 60 (Kaira) Continuation of ALW (Assisted Living Waiver) Reform Effort</p> <p>2.AB 447 (Patterson) Continuation of the Criminal Clearance Issue. See #4. In 2018 For Resolution Achieved with 6Beds Continued Efforts.</p> <p>3. AB 737 (Eggmann) Required <u>Disclosure of Landlord Information</u> in Licensing Application. <u>Provision Removed at 6Beds' Request.</u></p> <p>4. SUPPORTED: budget Increase for Long Term Care Ombudsman.</p> <p>5. SUPPORTED: budget Increase for ALW Expansion</p>
2020	<p><u>Followed 16 BILLS of Interest - Actively LOBBIED on 9 of Them</u></p> <p>1. OPPOSED: AB 2377 (Chiu) Which Allowed a City to Acquire an ARF, otherwise being sold, at a "Fair Market Value" Determined by the City Regardless of whether the Owner had a Better Offer. RESULT: Bill AMENDED to make it Clear <u>OWNER Can Sell to ANY OTHER PURCHASER at ANY PRICE.</u></p> <p>2. STRONGLY OPPOSED: AB 1796 (LEVINE) Bill <u>Required</u> Criminal Background Clearances from <u>BOTH</u> the CA Det of Justice & FBI BEFORE Prospective Employee could be Hired by an RCFE. RESULT: The <u>ONEROUS PROVISION</u> was DROPPED.</p> <p>3. OPPOSED: AB 3138 (Waldron) Bill Would have <u>GIVEN RCFE Residents the Right to Install Electronic Monitoring Devices in their Rooms</u>, with Roommate Consent (If have Roommate). RESULT: The Author <u>DROPPED</u> the Bill to Pare Legislative workload due to COVID. NOTE: Bill is <u>LIKELY TO RETURN IN 2021.</u></p>
Budget	<p>1. In 2016 <u>ACTIVELY OPPOSED</u> LTC Ombudsman proposed "Bed Tax" on RCFEs to SUPPORT Increased Budget.</p> <p>2.In 2019 Arranged for 6Beds Director George Kutnerian to Testify in Budget Hearing on Expansion of ALW Program.</p>
DSS & DDS Relationship & Influence in Legislature	<p>1. As a Result of <u>6Beds Active Participation in the Legislative Process</u> over Seven Years, and <u>Stakeholder Meetings in DSS and DDS</u>, 6Beds is Viewed to be a <u>Respected Source of Information in the Assisted Living Industry</u>, similar to CALA.</p> <p>2. <u>6Beds Member Concerns</u> about Legislative proposals are <u>Taken Seriously by Legislators & Staff</u>. Our Concerns are usually <u>addressed by Amendments</u> or by <u>Legislation being Abandoned entirely, BENEFITTING ALL 6Beds MEMBERS.</u></p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● EACH YEAR There are 2200-2500 Bills in the CA Legislature, Bob & Roxanne REVIEW Every Bill ● They IDENTIFY Those Bills That IMPACT 6BEDS MEMBERS, Good & Bad ● They REVIEW For "GUT & AMEND" Bills where Bills were Converted to Different Topics ● 6Beds occasionally Sponsors or Co-Sponsors Bills ● Bob & Roxanne Also Follow State Budget for Items of Interest to 6Beds Owners ● In 2020, 16 Bills Were IDENTIFIED, 9 Actively LOBBIED, and Several Dropped without Action due to COVID-19 ● They Established DSS & DDS Accessibility and Respected Relationship in Legislature 	