



# Legislative Committee

Goal: organize and manage all AA legislative activities

Includes bill writing, advising ASA state component societies, consulting with lobbyists, preparing AAs to testify at state hearings, organizing AA informational materials

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- From Jan 1, 2017 to present, the following states have pursued AA legislation:
  - Montana
  - Mississippi
  - Arkansas
  - New York - active
  - Nevada - active
  - Texas - active
  - Illinois - active
  - Kansas - active



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- Considering legislation this year or in the near future:
  - Iowa
  - California
  - Virginia
  - Maine
  - Oregon



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- *Monday 10:00am Legislative Committee meeting*
- *[www.anesthetist.org/advocacy](http://www.anesthetist.org/advocacy) to donate to the Legislative Fund*
  - *Send AAs to state hearings to testify*
  - *Send AAs to state capitols to speak with legislators*
  - *Helps pay for lobbyists hired by ASA state component societies*
- *One Starbucks Venti latte per day is about \$4...every weekday for a year is over \$1000...*
- *How much are you willing to spend on your profession? Do you want to work in any hospital in any state across the US?*