

AGENDA
Hospital and Medicaid Study Subcommittee
of the
Arkansas Legislative Council

Monday, December 16, 2024
10:00 AM
Room A, MAC
Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Missy Irvin, Co-Chair
Sen. Justin Boyd, Vice-Chair
Sen. Jonathan Dismang
Sen. Jimmy Hickey, Jr
Sen. Dave Wallace
Sen. Greg Leding
Sen. Clarke Tucker
Sen. Matt McKee
Sen. Terry Rice, ex officio
Sen. Ben Gilmore, ex officio

Rep. Richard Womack, Co-Chair
Rep. Rick Beck, Vice-Chair
Rep. Josh Miller
Rep. David Whitaker
Rep. Les D. Eaves
Rep. Mary Bentley
Rep. Cindy Crawford
Rep. Denise Garner
Rep. Jeff Wardlaw, ex officio
Rep. Bruce Cozart, ex officio

A. Call to Order

B. Review of Recommendations from the Public Health, Welfare, and Labor Committees Regarding Approval of a Program to Reduce or Eliminate Prior Authorizations for a Healthcare Provider Pursuant to Act 575 of 2023 **[Exhibits B1-B6]**

1. Brad Nye, Government Relations Director, Summit Community Care
2. David Donohue, President, CareSource
3. Cory Cox, Director of Government Relations, CareSource
4. Mitch Morris, Chief Executive Officer, Empower Healthcare Solutions
5. Jack Hopkins, Director, Arkansas Total Care
6. Kimberly Suggs, Senior Vice President of Operations, Arkansas Health & Wellness- Arkansas Total Care

C. Discussion of Ambetter Health Plans **[Exhibit C]**

1. Jack Hopkins, Director, Arkansas Total Care
2. Kimberly Suggs, Senior Vice President of Operations, Arkansas Health & Wellness- Arkansas Total Care

D. Other Business

E. Adjournment

Note: All exhibits for this meeting are available by electronic means and are accessible on the General Assembly's website at www.arkleg.state.ar.us

Notice: Silence your cell phones. Keep your personal conversations to a minimum. Observe restrictions designating areas as *'Members and Staff Only'*.