

AGENDA
Senate Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor
House Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor
Meeting Jointly

Friday, May 29, 2015
09:00 AM
Room 171, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Cecile Bledsoe, Chair
Sen. Stephanie Flowers, Vice Chair
Sen. Missy Irvin
Sen. Keith Ingram
Sen. Gary Stubblefield
Sen. David J. Sanders
Sen. John Cooper
Sen. Scott Flippo

Rep. Kelley Linck, Chair
Rep. Deborah Ferguson, Vice Chair
Rep. Fredrick J. Love
Rep. Jeff Wardlaw
Rep. Kim Hammer
Rep. David L. Branscum
Rep. David Meeks
Rep. Betty Overbey
Rep. Chris Richey
Rep. Stephen Magie

Rep. Josh Miller
Rep. Richard Womack
Rep. Ken Bragg
Rep. Charlene Fite
Rep. John Payton
Rep. Robin Lundstrum
Rep. Mary Bentley
Rep. Justin Boyd
Rep. Ken Henderson
Rep. Dan Sullivan

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- Call to Order
 - A. Comments by the Chairs
 - 1. Senator Cecile Bledsoe
 - 2. Representative Kelley Linck
 - B. Discussion of Medicaid Eligibility System & Verification
 - 1. John Selig, Director, Department of Human Services
 - 2. Discussion by the Committees
 - C. Consideration to Approve the December 18, 2014 Meeting Minutes **(EXHIBIT C)**
 - D. Arkansas Department of Health, Center for Health Protection, Review of Rules & Regulations for Control of Sources of Ionizing Radiation. Arkansas Use of Radioactive Material Must be Compatible with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) **(EXHIBIT D)**
 - 1. Robert Brech, Chief Financial Officer, Arkansas Department Health
 - 2. Discussion & Action by the Committees
 - E. Arkansas Department of Health, Center for Health Protection, Review of Rules & Regulations Pertaining to the List of Controlled Substances. **This is an Emergency Rule that Went into Effect November 13, 2014. (EXHIBIT E)**
 - 1. Robert Brech, Chief Financial Officer, Arkansas Department Health
 - 2. Discussion & Action by the Committees
 - F. Arkansas Department of Human Services, Division of Medical Services, Review of Proposed Rule Regarding Access to Non-Emergency Medical Transportation **(EXHIBIT F)**
 - 1. Suzanne Bierman, Assistant Director, Division of Medical Services, Arkansas Department of Human Services
 - 2. Discussion & Action by the Committees

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

- G. Arkansas Department of Human Services, Division of Medical Services, Review of Proposed Rule Regarding the Division of Aging & Adult Services (DAAS) Enrollment for Independent Choices #3-14—Removal of DAAS-IC-20 Form **(EXHIBIT G)**
 - 1. Suzanne Bierman, Assistant Director, Division of Medical Services, Arkansas Department of Human Services
 - 2. Discussion & Action by the Committees

- H. Arkansas Department of Human Services, Division of Medical Services, Review of Proposed Rule Regarding Alternatives for Adults with Physical Disabilities (AAPD) Waiver 4-14—Regarding Provider Attendant Care Services Benefit Limit **(EXHIBIT H)**
 - 1. Suzanne Bierman, Assistant Director, Division of Medical Services, Arkansas Department of Human Services
 - 2. Discussion & Action by the Committees

- I. Arkansas Department of Human Services, Division of Behavioral Health Services, Review of Proposed Rule Regarding Rehabilitative Services for Persons with Mental Illness (RSPMI) Moratorium Amendment 4 **(EXHIBIT I)**
 - 1. Julie Meyer, Director, Policy & Research, Division of Behavioral Health Services, Arkansas Department of Human Services
 - 2. Discussion & Action by the Committees

- J. Arkansas Department of Human Services, Division of Behavioral Health Services, Review of Proposed Rule Regarding Rehabilitative Services for Persons with Mental Illness (RSPMI) Moratorium Amendment 5 **(EXHIBIT J)**
 - 1. Julie Meyer, Director, Policy & Research, Division of Behavioral Health Services, Arkansas Department of Human Services
 - 2. Discussion & Action by the Committees

- K. **ADOPTION** of the Following Interim Study Proposal (ISP) For Study.
 - 1. **ISP2015-138** – “Requesting the Senate Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor to Study Ways to Improve Neonatal Intensive Care Services in Arkansas.”**(EXHIBIT K)**
 - a. Sponsor: Senator Scott Flippo
 - b. Discussion & Action by the Committees

- L. Other Business

- M. Adjournment