

AGENDA
HEALTH SYSTEM REFORM TASK FORCE
UTAH LEGISLATURE

Monday, December 17, 2012 • 1:00 p.m. • Room 30 House Building

Approximate
Time Frame

- 1:00** **1. Task Force Business**
- Call to order
 - Approval of the minutes of the December 4, 2012, meeting
- 1:05** **2. Response to Federal Regulations**
- The task force will be updated on recently released regulations implementing the federal Affordable Care Act and the executive branch's response.*
- Task force staff
 - Governor's Office
 - Public comment
 - Committee discussion/action
- 1:45** **3. Exchange Model Update**
- The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services has required that states wishing to implement a state-based health insurance exchange under the federal Affordable Care Act submit a "blueprint" by December 14, 2012, consisting of a declaration letter and an exchange application. States wishing to implement a state-partnership exchange must submit a blueprint by February 15, 2013. States not wishing to implement either model are still required to notify the department if they wish to run their own reinsurance program. The task force will be updated on the state's response to the blueprint requirement.*
- Governor's Office
 - Public comment
 - Committee discussion/action
- 2:00** **4. Draft Legislation**
- The task force will consider draft legislation prepared for the 2013 Annual General Session of the Legislature that addresses various issues related to either Avenue H or implementation of the federal Affordable Care Act, including the offering of stand alone dental and vision plans in Avenue H, reinsurance, and navigators.*
- Task force staff
 - Public comment
 - Committee discussion/action

3:00 5. "Exchange in a Box"

- Leavitt Partners
- Public comment
- Committee discussion/action

3:20 6. Medicaid Expansion—Fiscal Impact and Alternatives

The task force will be briefed on efforts to update estimates of the fiscal impact of expanding Medicaid eligibility to 138% of the federal poverty level (permitted by the ACA, but no longer required as a result of a June 28 U.S. Supreme Court decision). The task force will also consider potential alternatives to full expansion to 138% and whether the state should pursue any expansion option.

- Office of the Legislative Fiscal Analyst
- Utah Department of Health
- Governor's Office
- Public comment
- Committee discussion/action

4:50 7. Other Implementation Issues

5:00 8. Adjourn

*****No workgroup meetings will be held following adjournment.*****