

**MINUTES OF THE
HOUSE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES STANDING COMMITTEE**
25 House Building, Utah State Capitol Complex
February 12, 2014

Members Present: Rep. Paul Ray, Chair
Rep. LaVar Christensen, Vice Chair
Rep. Stewart Barlow
Rep. Rebecca Chavez-Houck
Rep. Tim M. Cosgrove
Rep. Brian M. Greene
Rep. Michael S. Kennedy
Rep. Edward H. Redd

Members Absent: Rep. Ronda Rudd Menlove

Staff Present: Mr. Mark D. Andrews, Policy Analyst
Ms. Linda Black, House Secretary

Note: A list of visitors and a copy of handouts are filed with the committee minutes

Chair Ray called the meeting to order at 4:10 p.m.

MOTION: Rep. Barlow moved to approve the minutes of February 11, 2014. The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Cosgrove absent for the vote.

H.J.R. 14 Joint Resolution on Caregiving (*Rep. R. Chavez-Houck*)

Rep. Chavez-Houck explained the bill to the committee with the assistance of Mr. Danny Harris, AARP.

The following handouts were distributed: AARP: Valuing the Invaluable
David Eccles School of Business: UTAH Legislative
Policy Summit

Spoke for the bill: Ms. Carol Jensen, AARP
Ms. Lynn Long, Danlong Professional Caregivers
Mr. Scott McBeth, Salt Lake County Aging Services
Ms. Kris Fawson, Legislative Coalition for People with Disabilities
Mr. Andrew Riggle, Disability Law Center, Government Affairs

MOTION: Rep. Cosgrove moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously.

Vice Chair Christensen assumed the chair.

H.B. 114 Mail-order Wholesale Drug Amendments (*Rep. S. Barlow*)

Rep. Barlow explained the bill to the committee.

MOTION: Rep. Chavez-Houck moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously with Rep. Ray absent for the vote.

H.B. 119 Opiate Overdose Emergency Treatment (*Rep. C. Moss*)

Rep. Moss explained the bill to the committee with the assistance of Dr. Christopher Stock, clinical pharmacy specialist, VA Hospital Medical Center. Dr. Stock circulated opiate safeguard kits to the committee. HB 119 Opiate Overdose Emergency Treatment was distributed as a handout.

Weber State University School of Nursing distributed a handout.

Spoke to the bill: Sen. Brian Shiozawa, Emergency Medicine Physician
 Dr. Melissa Brewster, clinical pharmacist
 Mr. Mark Brinton, UMA, general counsel
 Dr. Katie Carlson, psychiatrist, director, Outpatient Recovery Services,
 University of Utah

Spoke for the bill: Ms. Sandra Kresser, parent, officer, Advocates for the Reform of
 Prescription Opioids
 Ms. MaryJo McMillen, executive director, Utah Support Advocates for
 Recovering Addicts
 Mr. Zach Baker, executive director, Harm Reduction Project

MOTION: Rep. Ray moved to pass the bill out favorably. The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Rep. Ray moved to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed unanimously.

Vice Chair Christensen adjourned the meeting at 5:45 p.m.

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