

# Meeting Outline

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## Health and Human Services Interim Committee

Online Meeting, Wednesday, October 21, 2020

1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

(Outline version: 09/30/20)

Anchor location for meeting: Room 30 House Building, State Capitol Complex, Salt Lake City, Utah

*Due to public health restrictions, members of the public are not permitted to attend the meeting at the anchor location but are invited to participate [online](#).*

Approximate  
Time Frame

### 1:00 1. Committee Business

#### Background

- Draft minutes of the September 16, 2020, meeting

#### Potential Action

- Approve minutes.

### 1:05 2. Sunset Review: Kurt Oscarson Children's Organ Transplant Coordinating Committee

*Utah Code Title 26, Chapter 18a, Kurt Oscarson Children's Organ Transplant Coordinating Committee, is scheduled for repeal July 1, 2021, unless reauthorized by the Legislature. The committee will conduct a sunset review of the statute.*

#### Background

- [Sunset Reviews: A Brief Overview](#) (Source: Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel)
- [Utah Code Title 26, Chapter 18a, Kurt Oscarson Children's Organ Transplant Coordinating Committee](#)
- [Utah Code Subsection 63I-1-226\(16\)](#) (Repealer)
- [Application for loan from the Kurt Oscarson Children's Organ Transplant Fund](#) (Source: Utah Department of Health)
- **PRESENTATION:** [Kurt Oscarson Children's Organ Transplant Fund \(KOCOTF\) Sunset Review](#) (Source: Utah Department of Health)

### Issues

- Have the statute's objectives been accomplished effectively and efficiently?
- Should the statute be reauthorized? With amendment or without? For how long?

### Presenters

- Dr. Marc Babitz, Director, Division of Family Health and Preparedness, Utah Department of Health
- Noel Taxin, Chair, Kurt Oscarson, Children's Organ Transplant Coordinating Committee and Director, Bureau of Children with Special Health Care Needs, Utah Department of Health
- Ann Rasmussen, Kurt Oscarson Children's Organ Transplant Coordinating Committee
- Public comment

### Potential Action

- Determine whether to recommend reauthorization of the statute, with or without amendment.

- 1:20      **3. Sunset Review: Telehealth Mental Health Pilot Program**  
*The committee will consider draft legislation it requested at its September 16 meeting to remove the Telehealth Mental Health Pilot Program from the Legislative Oversight and Sunset Act and expand the program as appropriate.*

### Background

- **FROM THE COMMITTEE'S SEPTEMBER 16 MEETING:** [Presentation](#) on Telehealth Mental Health Pilot Program (Source: Utah Department of Human Services)
- **DRAFT LEGISLATION:** Telehealth Mental Health Program

### Presenters

- Ericka Evans, Associate General Counsel, Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel
- Public comment

### Potential Action

- Recommend draft legislation as presented or amended.

1:30

#### 4. Sunset Review: Child Protection Unit Pilot Program

*The committee will consider draft legislation it requested at its September 16 meeting to reauthorize elements of the Child Protection Unit Pilot Program.*

### Background

- **PROGRAM:** [Utah Code Section 62A-4a-202.9, Child Protection Unit Pilot Program](#)
- **DRAFT LEGISLATION:** Child Protection Unit Amendments

### Presenters

- Ericka Evans, Associate General Counsel, Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel
- Public comment

### Potential Action

- Recommend draft legislation as presented or amended.

1:40

#### 5. Sunset Review: Utah Commission on Aging

*At its September 16 meeting, the committee conducted a sunset review of the Utah Commission on Aging. The committee will consider draft legislation reauthorizing and amending provisions related to the commission.*

### Background

- **REPORT:** [Utah Commission on Aging Annual Report, 2019-20](#)
- **DRAFT LEGISLATION:** Utah Commission on Aging Amendments

### Issues

- Should the [statute](#) authorizing the Utah Commission on Aging, which is [scheduled](#) for repeal July 1, 2021, be reauthorized?
- If so, should it be amended? Should it be removed from the Legislative Oversight and Sunset Act?

### Presenters

- Senator Jani Iwamoto
- Public comment

### Potential Action

- Recommend draft legislation as presented or amended.

- 1:55 **6. COVID-19: An Update**  
*The committee will be briefed on vaccine distribution and other issues related to the COVID-19 pandemic.*

### Background

- [Coronavirus.Utah.gov](https://www.coronavirus.utah.gov) (Utah Coronavirus Task Force)
- [From the Factory to the Frontlines: The Operation Warp Speed Strategy for Distributing a COVID-19 Vaccine](#) (Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and U.S. Department of Defense)
- [Draft of the Preliminary Framework for Equitable Allocation of COVID-19 Vaccine](#) (Source: National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine)

### Issues

- What is the state's role and progress in determining the distribution of COVID-19 vaccines?
- What steps are being taken to ensure the safety and efficacy of potential COVID-19 vaccines?
- How significant will COVID-19 vaccination be to various populations?

### Presenters

- Utah Department of Health
  - Rich Lakin, Immunization Director, Bureau of Epidemiology
  - Rich Saunders, Interim Executive Director
  - Dr. Angela Dunn, State Epidemiologist
  - Nathan Checketts, Covid-19 Testing Manager
  - Heather Borski, Deputy Director



**Potential Action**

- Request additional information.

2:40 **7. Telehealth: Interstate Services**  
*The committee will consider whether action is necessary to authorize or facilitate greater delivery and receipt of telehealth services across state lines.*

**Issues**

- To what extent are interstate telehealth services already authorized?
- What would be required to authorize or facilitate greater delivery or receipt of interstate telehealth services?

**Presenters**

- Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel

**Potential Action**

- Determine next steps.

3:00 **8. Adjourn**