

Meeting Outline

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Health and Human Services Interim Committee

Wednesday, June 16, 2021

8:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

Room 30 House Building, State Capitol Complex, Salt Lake City, Utah

(Outline version: 06/17/21—includes links to materials distributed at the meeting)

Approximate
Time Frame

8:30 1. Committee Business

Background

- [Draft minutes of the May 18, 2021, meeting](#)

8:35 2. Transgender Treatment for Minors

During the 2021 General Session, the House Health and Human Services Standing Committee considered H.B. 92, Medical Practice Amendments. The interim committee will consider related issues.

Background

- *2021 H.B. 92, Medical Practice Amendments*
 - [Bill text and other versions](#)
 - [Minutes and audio recording of the February 19, 2021, House Health and Human Services Standing Committee](#) (see Item 3)
- [Response by Dr. Metzler to Committee questions](#) (FINAL version; Source: Dr. Candice Metzler, Ph.D., MSW, LCSW. Executive Director, Transgender Education Advocates of Utah. Pronouns: she/her/hers/they/them/theirs)
- [Response by Dr. Mihalopoulos to Committee questions](#) (Source: Dr. Nicole L. Mihalopoulos, Chief of the Division of Adolescent Medicine, Department of Pediatrics, University of Utah School of Medicine. Pronouns: she/her/hers)
- [Legislation to Criminalize Gender-Affirming Medical Care for Transgender Youth \(May, 10.1001/jama.2021.7764, 2021; Turban, Jack; JAMA-Journal of The American Medical Association\)](#) (Submitted by Dr. Mihalopoulos)
- [Response by Rep. Shipp to Committee questions](#) (Source: Representative Rex P. Shipp)
- [Handout: "Dear Legislators"](#) (Submitted by Representative Rex P. Shipp)

- Statements on medical care for transgender minors (Submitted by Dr. Harrison)
 - [American Academy of Pediatrics](#)
 - [American Academy of Family Physicians](#)
 - [American Medical Association](#)
- [Statement on medical care for transgender minors by the American College of Pediatricians](#) (submitted by Rep. Acton)
- [Statement on transgender identification by the Christian Medical & Dental Associations](#) (submitted by Rep. Acton)
- [Handout: "Experimental medical procedures that hurt...."](#) (Submitted by Utah Eagle Forum)
- [Transgender Healthcare for Minors—50-State Policies and Legislation](#) (Source: Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel)

Presenters

- Dr. Nicole L. Mihalopoulos, Chief of the Division of Adolescent Medicine Department of Pediatrics, University of Utah School of Medicine
 - Presentation (10 minutes)
 - Q&A (10 minutes)
- Representative Rex P. Shipp
 - Presentation (10 minutes)
 - Q&A (10 minutes)
- Roundtable discussion with Q&A (30 minutes)
 - Dr. Mihalopoulos
 - Representative Shipp

9:45

3. Participation by Transgender Youth in School Sports

During the 2021 General Session the House passed, and the Senate Health and Human Services Standing Committee considered, H.B. 302, Preserving Sports for Female Students. The interim committee will consider related issues, including any potential impacts of the Utah Supreme Court's May 6, 2021, decision In the Matter of the Sex Change of Sean W. Childers-Gray, f.k.a. Jenny Pace, and Angie Rice, f.k.a. Arthur Edward Rice, Appellants.

Background

- [2021 H.B. 302, Preserving Sports for Female Students](#)

- [Minutes and audio recording of the February 11, 2021, House Education Standing Committee](#) (see Item 1)
- [House floor debate](#)
- [Minutes and audio recording of the February 24, 2021, Senate Health and Human Services Standing Committee](#) (see Item 4)
- [Utah High School Activities Association Handbook, May 5, 2021](#) (see pp. 24-5, *Interps & Guidelines 1.1.4, Transgender Participation*)
- [Handout: Interps & Guidelines 1.1.4: Transgender Participation \(excerpt from 2020-21 UHSAA Handbook\)](#) (Submitted by Dave Spatafore, UHSAA)
- [In the Matter of the Sex Change of Sean W. Childers-Gray, f.k.a. Jenny Pace, and Angie Rice, f.k.a. Arthur Edward Rice, Appellants](#) (source: Utah Supreme Court)
- [Transgender Athlete Participation—50-State Policies and Legislation](#) (Source: Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel)

Presenters

- Representative Kera Birkeland
 - Presentation (5 minutes)
 - Q&A (5 minutes)
- David Spatafore, Utah High School Activities Association
 - Presentation (5 minutes)
 - Q&A (5 minutes)
- Sue Robbins, Equality Utah Transgender Advisory Council (pronouns: she/her/hers)
 - Presentation (5 minutes)
 - Q&A (5 minutes)
- Roundtable discussion with Q&A (30 minutes)
 - Representative Birkeland
 - David Spatafore
 - Sue Robbins