



Meeting Outline

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Health and Human Services Interim Committee

Wednesday, October 11, 2023

8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

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

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AGENDA OVERVIEW

1. Committee Business
2. Utah Health Data Authority
3. Medicaid Hospital Assessments
4. Psychotropic Medication Oversight Pilot Program
5. Rehabilitation Services Funding
6. Promoting Effectiveness and Efficiency in Health and Human Services
7. Coverage of Certain Mental Health Services
8. Fatality Review
9. Health and Human Services Amendments
10. Caregiver Compensation Amendments
11. Adjourn

Approximate
Time Frame

8:00 **1. Committee Business**

Background

- **MINUTES**
 - Draft minutes of the September 18, 2023, meeting (forthcoming)
- **REPORTS** (received since the committee's last meeting)
 - Mental Health
 - [Contracts with Health Benefit Plans for Crisis Services](#)
 - [Utah Suicide Prevention Program](#)
 - [Suicide Prevention and Education Fund](#)
 - [Survivors of Suicide Loss Account](#)
 - [Firearm Safety and Suicide Prevention Program](#)
 - [State Hospital Beds](#)
 - Substance Misuse
 - [Opioid Litigation Funding](#)
 - [Violent Incidents and Fatalities Involving Substance Abuse](#)
 - [Hepatitis C Outreach Pilot Program](#)
 - [Cannabis Research Review Board Annual Report](#)
 - [Adult Autism Treatment Program](#)
 - [Interdisciplinary Parental Representation Pilot Program](#)



Presenters

- Chair Ivory
- OLRGC Staff – [Overview of Committee Notes](#) (Source: OLRGC)

Potential Action

- Approve minutes.

8:05 2. Utah Health Data Authority

The committee will determine whether to recommend, with or without amendment, draft legislation that removes the Utah Health Data Authority from the Legislative Oversight and Sunset Act. The legislation was presented at the committee's September meeting.

Background

- **REPORTS**
 - [Sunset Overview: Health Data Authority](#) (Source: OLRGC)
 - [Sunset Review: Health Data Authority](#) (Source: DHHS)

Presenters

- **DRAFT LEGISLATION:** [Health Data Authority Amendments](#) (Sponsor: Lesser)
 - Representative Rosemary T. Lesser
 - Public Comment

Potential Action

- Recommend draft legislation, with or without amendment.



8:15

3. Medicaid Hospital Assessments

The inpatient Hospital Assessment Act and the Medicaid Expansion Hospital Assessment Act are scheduled for repeal on July 1, 2024. The committee will consider draft legislation that amends the acts and their repeal date.

Background

- **REPORTS**

- [Guidelines for Sunset Reviews](#) (Source: OLRGC)
- Sunset Overviews by OLRGC (includes provisions scheduled for repeal)
 - [Inpatient Hospital Assessment Act](#)
 - [Medicaid Expansion Hospital Assessment Act](#)
- Sunset Reviews by DHHS (includes recommendations)
 - [Inpatient Hospital Assessment Act](#)
 - [Medicaid Expansion Hospital Assessment Act](#)

Presenters

- **DRAFT LEGISLATION:** Hospital Assessment Amendments (forthcoming; bill file requested by the committee)
 - Representative Raymond P. Ward
 - Public Comment

Potential Action

- Recommend draft legislation, with or without amendment.

8:25

4. Psychotropic Medication Oversight Pilot Program

The Psychotropic Medication Oversight Pilot Program is scheduled for repeal July 1, 2024. The committee will consider draft legislation that removes the sunset date and amends program provisions.

Background

- **REPORTS**

- [Guidelines for Sunset Reviews](#) (Source: OLRGC)



- [Sunset Overview: Psychotropic Medication Oversight Pilot Program](#)
(Source: OLRGC; includes provisions scheduled for repeal)
- [Sunset Review: Psychotropic Medication Oversight Pilot Program](#)
(Source: DHHS)

Presenters

- **DRAFT LEGISLATION:** Psychotropic Medication Oversight Pilot Program Sunset Amendments (forthcoming; bill file requested by the Committee)
 - Representative Steve Eliason
 - Public Comment

Potential Action

- Recommend draft legislation, with or without amendment.

8:35

5. Rehabilitation Services Funding

As follow-up to its September request, the committee will consider draft legislation that consolidates the Neuro-Rehabilitation Fund and the Pediatric Neuro-Rehabilitation Fund, and changes the related sunset date from July 1, 2024 to July 1, 2034. The committee will consider whether to recommend the bill, with or without amendment, for further consideration by the Legislature.

Presenters

- **DRAFT LEGISLATION:** Rehabilitation Services Amendments (forthcoming; bill file requested by the committee)
 - Representative Anthony E. Loubet
 - Public Comment

Potential Action

- Recommend draft legislation, with or without amendment.



8:50 **6. Promoting Effectiveness and Efficiency in Health and Human Services**

As follow-up to its August meeting, the committee will receive a report on improving the effectiveness and efficiency of government services, including by eliminating fraud, waste, and other misuse.

Presenters

- Foundation for Government Accountability

9:30 **7. Coverage of Certain Mental Health Services**

2023 H.B. 66, Behavioral Health Crisis Response Commission Amendments, [requires](#) the Department of Health and Human Services to annually report to the committee any health benefit plans that "have not contracted or have refused to contract...at usual and customary rates" with a behavioral health receiving center or a mobile crisis outreach team that receives state funds. The committee will receive the department's report.

Background

- **REPORT**
 - [Contracts with Health Benefit Plans for Crisis Services](#) (Source: DHHS)

Presenters

- Department of Health and Human Services
- Public comment

9:40 **8. Fatality Review**

As follow-up to its September request, the committee will consider draft legislation that amends fatality review provisions.

Presenters

- **DRAFT LEGISLATION:** [Fatality Review Amendments](#) (bill file requested by the committee)
 - Representative Christine F. Watkins
 - Public Comment



Potential Action

- Recommend draft legislation, with or without amendment.

9:50 **9. Health and Human Services Amendments**

As follow-up to its September request, the committee will consider draft legislation that addresses technical issues related to the 2023 General Session recodification of health and human services statutes.

Presenters

- **DRAFT LEGISLATION:** Health and Human Services Amendments (forthcoming; bill file requested by the committee)
 - Chair Mike Kennedy
 - Public comment

Potential Action

- Recommend draft legislation, with or without amendment.

10:00 **10. Caregiver Compensation Amendments**

The committee will consider draft legislation that amends a definition related to reimbursement for certain personal care services under Medicaid.

Presenters

- **DRAFT LEGISLATION:** [Caregiver Compensation Amendments](#) (sponsor: Harper)
 - Senator Wayne Harper
 - Public Comment

Potential Action

- Recommend draft legislation, with or without amendment.

11:00 **11. Adjourn**