

TENTATIVE AGENDA (Revised 8/9/2011)
Senate Committee on Public Health, Welfare and Labor
House Committee on Public Health, Welfare and Labor
Meeting Jointly

Wednesday, August 17, 2011

01:00 PM

Hot Springs Convention Center - Room 209 - 134 Convention Boulevard
Hot Springs, Arkansas

Sen. Percy Malone, Chair
Sen. Randy Laverty, Vice Chair
Sen. Bill Pritchard
Sen. Jack Crumbly
Sen. Cecile Bledsoe
Sen. David Burnett
Sen. Missy Irvin
Sen. Jonathan Dismang

Rep. Linda S. Tyler, Chair
Rep. Jon Woods, Vice Chair
Rep. Fred Allen
Rep. Billy W. Gaskill
Rep. Buddy Lovell
Rep. Bryan B. King
Rep. Clark Hall
Rep. Barry Hyde
Rep. Tracy Pennartz
Rep. Charolette Wagner
Rep. James L. Word
Rep. Andrea Lea
Rep. Garry L. Smith
Rep. Butch Wilkins
Rep. Mark Perry

Rep. Stephanie Malone
Rep. Greg Leding
Rep. Jeff Wardlaw
Rep. Sheilla E. Lampkin
Rep. Andy Mayberry
Rep. Debra M. Hobbs, Non-Voting
Rep. Uvalde Lindsey, Non-Voting
Rep. Jonathan Barnett, Non-Voting
Rep. Keith M. Ingram, Non-Voting
Rep. James McLean, Non-Voting
Rep. Jody Dickinson, Non-Voting
Rep. Lane Jean, Non-Voting
Rep. Mark Biviano, Non-Voting
Rep. David Meeks, Non-Voting
Rep. Tommy Thompson, Non-Voting
Rep. Bruce Cozart, Non-Voting

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- A. Call to Order
 - B. Review of the Minutes from the July 14, 2011 Senate Public Health Meeting
 - C. Review of the Minutes from the July 21, 2011 Senate & House Public Health Meeting
 - D. Comments by Committee Chairs
 - E. Welcome & Introductions by David Coleman, Legislative Chair, Mental Health Council of Arkansas
 - F. Overview of a Community Mental Health Center
 - 1. Steve Newsome, Chief Executive Officer, Counseling Associates in Conway
 - 2. Discussion by the Committees
 - G. Remarks by Linda Rosenberg, President/Chief Executive Officer, National Council for Community Behavioral Healthcare
 - H. State Board of Nursing: Nursing Education Progress (Measurement of the Minimum Content in Practical Nurse Curriculum)
 - 1. Sue Tedford, Executive Director, State Board of Nursing
 - 2. Discussion by the Committees

Notice: Silence your cell phones. Keep your personal conversations to a minimum. Observe restrictions designating areas as "*Members and Staff Only*"

- I. Department of Human Services, Division of Medical Services, Add Substance Abuse Treatment Services to ARKids First-B, 3-11, Demonstration Waiver Policy
 - 1. Jeff Wood, Deputy Counsel, Office of Chief Counsel, Department of Human Services
 - 2. Discussion & Action by the Committees

- J. Department of Human Services, Division of Medical Services, Add Substance Abuse Treatment Services to ARKids First-B 1115, Demonstration Waiver Policy
 - 1. Jeff Wood, Deputy Counsel, Office of Chief Counsel, Department of Human Services
 - 2. Discussion & Action by the Committees

- K. Department of Human Services, Division of Medical Services, Implement a Health Insurance Premium Payment Process for Medicaid Beneficiaries if Payments are Cost Effective
 - 1. Jeff Wood, Deputy Counsel, Office of Chief Counsel, Department of Human Services
 - 2. Discussion & Action by the Committees

- L. Department of Human Services, Division of Medical Services, Dental Prior Authorization and Benefit Limits (Dental 1-11)
 - 1. Jeff Wood, Deputy Counsel, Office of Chief Counsel, Department of Human Services
 - 2. Discussion & Action by the Committees

- M. Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality, (ADEQ), Triennial Review Process of Regulation No. 2 Concerning Water Quality Standards
 - 1. Teresa Marks, Director, Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality
 - 2. Discussion & Action by the Committees

- N. **ADOPTION & PRESENTATION** of Interim Study Proposal
 - 1. ISP2011-010 – “An Act to Require Notice of Disclosure for Drinking Water Systems that Fluoridate Drinking Water; and for Other Purposes.”
 - a. Representative Loy Mauch, Sponsor
 - b. Michael Feehan, Attorney, Bureau of Legislative Research
 - c. Jeff Green, National Citizens for Safe Drinking Water
 - d. Renê Fonseca, Boone-Carroll Water Association
 - e. Eric Torgerson, Boone-Carroll Water Association
 - f. Phillip Miesner, Watson Chapel Water Association
 - g. Peggy Maruthur, Hot Springs Board of Directors
 - h. Joe Walls, Former Water System Operator
 - i. Discussion & Action by the Committees

- O. Other Business

- P. Adjournment