

**REPORT OF THE
EMPLOYEE BENEFITS DIVISION OVERSIGHT SUBCOMMITTEE
OF THE
ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL**

May 31, 2024

Senator Rice and Representative Wardlaw:

The Employee Benefits Division (EBD) Oversight Subcommittee met on Wednesday, May 29, 2024, at 10:00 a.m., in Committee Room A-MAC Building, Little Rock, Arkansas.

The Subcommittee discussed and reviewed the Department of Transformation and Shared Services (TSS), EBD Rules Governing Voluntary Products.

The Subcommittee reviewed and approved the following actions of the State Board of Finance:

1. EBD Drug Formulary Reports for February, March, April and May 2024
2. Mainstream Technologies Contract Amendment
3. EBRx UAMS Professional Consulting Services Contract Amendment
4. Foster and Foster Consulting Actuaries, Inc. Contract
5. Medical Recommendations for February 2024 and May 2024
6. The 2025 Rates Recommendations

Grant Wallace, EBD Director, TSS, presented:

1. Updates on United Healthcare Network
2. Overview of the Retiree First – Medicare Age-in and Medicare Advantage Prescription Drug Enrollment Support Pilot

Respectfully submitted by,

Senator Jimmy Hickey, Jr., Co-Chair
Chair

Representative Aaron Pilkington, Co-Chair