

Report
of the
Community Services Oversight and Planning
Council
to the
Arkansas Legislative Council

May 21, 2010

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Mr. Chairmen:

The Community Services Oversight and Planning Council was created by Act 1670 of the Regular Session of 2005. The Community Services Oversight and Planning Council serves in an advisory capacity to the Legislative Council and the Joint Budget Committee. The purpose is to gather information and data concerning community-based service needs of citizens in regard to:

- ❖ Developmental Disabilities Services
- ❖ Behavioral Health Services
- ❖ Aging and Adult Services
- ❖ Youth Services

With this information and data, the Community Services Oversight and Planning Council make recommendations concerning community-based services for the community-based programs to the Legislative Council and Joint Budget Committee.

The Community Services Oversight and Planning Council met on the following date:

Thursday, May 20, 2010

The Community Services Oversight and Planning Council (CSOPC) met to discuss updates on the following items:

- ◆ Intermediate Care Facility for Individuals with Developmental Disabilities Fee
- ◆ Medicaid Budget
- ◆ Human Development Centers
- ◆ Provider Cost of Living Adjustment
- ◆ Stimulus Funding Expiration

Respectfully submitted,

Randy Lavery
Senate Chair

James Word
House of Representatives Vice Chair