

AGENDA
Senate Committee on Public Health, Welfare and Labor
House Committee on Public Health, Welfare and Labor
Meeting Jointly

Thursday, November 19, 2009
10:00 AM
Room 130, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Percy Malone, Chair
Sen. Tracy Steele, Vice Chair
Sen. Gilbert Baker
Sen. Barbara Horn
Sen. Randy Laverty
Sen. Bill Pritchard
Sen. Jack Crumbly
Sen. Cecile Bledsoe

Rep. Gregg Reep, Chair
Rep. Gene Shelby, Vice Chair
Rep. Curren Everett
Rep. Roy Ragland
Rep. George Overbey
Rep. Eddie Cooper
Rep. Willie Hardy
Rep. Pam Adcock
Rep. Stephanie Flowers
Rep. Mike Burris
Rep. Nathan George
Rep. John Paul Wells
Rep. Fred Allen
Rep. Billy Gaskill
Rep. Eddie Hawkins

Rep. Johnny Hoyt
Rep. Lance Reynolds
Rep. Jon Woods
Rep. Clark Hall
Rep. Tracy Pennartz
Rep. David "Bubba" Powers, Non-Voting
Rep. Jim House, Non-Voting
Rep. Bryan King, Non-Voting
Rep. Barry Hyde, Non-Voting
Rep. Randy Stewart, Non-Voting
Rep. Charolette Wagner, Non-Voting
Rep. Tim Summers, Non-Voting
Rep. Butch Wilkins, Non-Voting
Rep. Linda Tyler, Non-Voting
Rep. Robert Dale, Non-Voting
Rep. Keith Ingram, Non-Voting

- A. Call to Order
- B. Review of the October 27, 2009 Minutes
- C. **ADOPTION** of Interim Study Proposal ISP2009-187 - "Requesting the Senate Interim Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor Study the Prevalence of Strokes and Hypertension Among Arkansans."
 - 1. Senator Bobby Glover, Sponsor
 - 2. Discussion & Action by the Committees
- D. Review of Department of Environmental Quality Rules & Regulations for Regulation #12 (Storage Tanks)
 - 1. Joseph Hoover, Chief, Regulated Storage Tanks Division, ADEQ
 - 2. Discussion & Action By the Committees
- E. Presentation on the Medical Application of Sciences for Health (MASH)
 - 1. Ken Tillman, Rural Health Coordinator, Arkansas Farm Bureau
 - 2. Heather Hartlerode, Third-Year Medical Student (M3), UAMS
 - 3. 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*"

- F. Gaps Identified in Arkansas Mental Health Services
 - 1. Angela Taylor, Chair, Arkansas Mental Health Planning and Advisory Council
 - 2. Discussion by the Committees
- G. Review of the Centralized Credential Verification Service (CCVS), Arkansas State Medical Board - Quarterly Report for January 1, 2009 to March 31, 2009 & Quarterly Report for April 1, 2009 to June 30, 2009
 - 1. Peggy Cryer, Executive Secretary, Arkansas State Medical Board
 - 2. Discussion & Action by the Committees
- H. Year-End Report of Vision Screenings in Arkansas Public and Charter Schools, School Year 2008-2009 (Act 1438 of 2005)
 - 1. Dee Cox, Director, Special Programs, Arkansas Department of Education
 - 2. Paula Smith, RNP, MNsc., State School Nurse Consultant, Arkansas Department of Education
 - 3. Discussion & Action by the Committees
- I. Review of the Arkansas Tobacco Settlement Commission Quarterly Program Report for April - June 2009 (Act 792 of 2007)
 - 1. Aaron Black, Executive Director, Arkansas Tobacco Settlement Commission
 - 2. Discussion & Action by the Committees
- J. Review of the Medicaid Reports for the 4th quarter of SFY 2009 April 1, 2009 - June 30, 2009 and the 1st Quarter of SFY 2010 July 1, 2009 - September 30, 2009 (As Required by A.C.A., Section 20-77-1111)
 - 1. Kyleen Hawkins, Assistant Director/CFO, Division of Medical Services, DHS
 - 2. Discussion & Action by the Committees
- K. Other Business
- L. Adjournment