

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

Monday, May 7, 2018

10:00 AM

**Arkansas Colleges of Health Education, 7000 Chad Colley Blvd.
Ft. Smith, Arkansas**

Sen. Cecile Bledsoe, Chair
Sen. Eddie Cheatham, Vice-Chair
Sen. Stephanie Flowers
Sen. Missy Irvin
Sen. David J. Sanders
Sen. John Cooper
Sen. Scott Flippo
Sen. Lance Eads

Rep. Jeff Wardlaw, Chair
Rep. Deborah Ferguson, Vice-Chair
Rep. Fredrick J. Love
Rep. Kim Hammer
Rep. David Meeks
Rep. Chris Richey
Rep. Stephen Magie
Rep. Josh Miller
Rep. Richard Womack
Rep. John Payton

Rep. Jack Ladyman
Rep. Robin Lundstrum
Rep. Mary Bentley
Rep. Justin Gonzales
Rep. Justin Boyd
Rep. Ken Henderson
Rep. Austin McCollum
Rep. Bruce Coleman
Rep. Aaron Pilkington

- A. Call to Order
- B. Comments by the Chairs
 - 1. Senator Cecile Bledsoe
 - 2. Representative Jeff Wardlaw
- C. Consideration to Adopt the April 2, 2018 Meeting Minutes (**EXHIBIT C**)
- D. Department of Human Services (DHS), Division of Medical Services, Review of the Rule to Allow a Beneficiary to Receive up to Four (4) Primary Care Visits Per State Fiscal Year, when Performed by either a Hospital-Based Walk-in or an Emergent Care Clinic without a PCP (Primary Care Physician) Referral, if the Beneficiary has not Been Assigned to a Primary Care Physician (**EXHIBIT D**)
 - 1. Tami Harlan, Chief Operating Officer, Division of Medical Services, DHS
 - 2. Kelley Linck, Chief Governmental Liaison of Legislative Affairs, DHS
 - 3. Discussion by the Committees
- E. Presentation and Tour of Arkansas Colleges of Health Education, The Arkansas College of Osteopathic Medicine
 - 1. Kyle D. Parker, JD, President and Chief Executive Officer, Arkansas Colleges of Health Education
 - 2. Benny L. Gooden, Ed.D, Executive Director of Institutional Relations, Arkansas Colleges of Health Education
 - 3. Discussion by the Committees
- F. Other Business
- G. Adjournment

Note: All exhibits for this meeting are available by electronic means and are accessible on the General Assembly's website at www.arkleg.state.ar.us

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