

AGENDA
DIAGNOSIS RELATED GROUP (DRG) SUBCOMMITTEE
of the
HEALTH REFORM LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE

Monday, November 16, 2015

10:00 AM

Room 130, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Keith Ingram, Chair
Sen. John Cooper
Sen. Cecile Bledsoe, ex-officio

Rep. Joe Farrer, Chair
Rep. Reginald Murdock
Rep. Kim Hammer
Rep. Charlie Collins, ex-officio

A. Call to Order

B. Comments by the Subcommittee Chairs

1. Representative Joe Farrer
2. Senator Keith Ingram

C. Hospital Payment Methodology

1. Stephen Palmer, PhD, Senior Consultant, The Stephen Group (TSG)
2. Chester Stroyny, Program Manager, State Initiatives Program, 3M Health Information Systems
3. Discussion by the Subcommittee

D. Comments from Arkansas Hospitals

1. Bo Ryall, President, Arkansas Hospital Association
2. Paul Cunningham, Executive Vice President, Arkansas Hospital Association
3. Roxane Townsend, M.D., Vice Chancellor, Clinical Programs, CEO, UAMS Medical Center
4. Marcy Doderer, President & CEO, Arkansas Children's Hospital
5. Discussion by the Subcommittee

E. Comments from Insurance Companies

1. Randy Fuller, Director of Provider Reimbursement, Arkansas Blue Cross/Blue Shield
2. Discussion by the Subcommittee

F. Other Business

G. Adjournment

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