

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

Monday, October 31, 2016

01:00 PM

Room A, MAC

Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Cecile Bledsoe, Chair
Sen. Stephanie Flowers, Vice Chair
Sen. Missy Irvin
Sen. Keith Ingram
Sen. Gary Stubblefield
Sen. David J. Sanders
Sen. John Cooper
Sen. Scott Flippo

Rep. Deborah Ferguson, Vice Chair
Rep. Fredrick J. Love
Rep. Jeff Wardlaw
Rep. Kim Hammer
Rep. David L. Branscum
Rep. David Meeks
Rep. Betty Overbey
Rep. Chris Richey
Rep. Stephen Magie

Rep. Josh Miller
Rep. Richard Womack
Rep. Ken Bragg
Rep. Charlene Fite
Rep. John Payton
Rep. Robin Lundstrum
Rep. Mary Bentley
Rep. Justin Boyd
Rep. Ken Henderson
Rep. Dan Sullivan

- A. Call to Order
- B. Comments by the Chairs
1. Representative Deborah Ferguson
 2. Senator Cecile Bledsoe
- C. Consideration to Adopt the October 10, 2016 Meeting Minutes.
- D. Department of Human Services (DHS), Division of Medical Services, Review of a Rule Regarding State Plan Amendment 2016-007 Dealing with Nursing Facility Payment Methodology Update
1. Tami Harlan, Chief Operating Officer, Medical Services Division, Department of Human Services
 2. Discussion by the Committees
- E. Department of Human Services, Division of Medical Services, Review of Rule Regarding Establishing the Outpatient Behavioral Health Services Program While Also Amending the Inpatient Psychiatric Services for Under Age 21 Program and School-Based Mental Health Program in Arkansas Medicaid.(State Plan Amendment 2016-007)
1. Charlie Green, Director, Behavioral Health Services Division, Department of Human Services
 2. Paula Stone, Deputy Director, Behavioral Health Services Division, Department of Human Services
 3. Discussion by the Committees
- F. Department of Human Services, Division of Medical Services, Review of Rule Regarding Establishing a Limit on the Weekly Amount of Medicaid Funded Speech Therapy, Occupational Therapy and Physical Therapy That May Be Provided to An Eligible Individual Without Prior Authorization.(State Plan Amendment 2016-009)
1. Melissa Stone, Director, Division of Developmental Disabilities Services, Department of Human Services
 2. Discussion by the Committees

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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- G. Department of Human Services, Division of Medical Services, Review of Rule Which Reduces Rate of Rehabilitative Services for Persons with Mental Illness (RSPMI) Payment Amount Per Unit for Procedure Code 90853 from \$13.80 to \$10.00
 - 1. Elizabeth Smith, Medicaid Inspector General, Office of Medicaid Inspector General
 - 2. Discussion by the Committees

- H. Department of Human Services, Division of Medical Services, Review of Rule Which Informs Providers of the 2016 Healthcare Common Procedural Coding System (HCPCS) and the 2016 Current Procedural Codes (CPT)
 - 1. Tami Harlan, Chief Operating Officer, Medical Services Division, Department of Human Services
 - 2. Discussion by the Committees

- I. Department of Human Services, Division of Medical Services, Review of Rule Which Deals with Rehabilitative Services for Persons with Mental Illness (RSPMI), Update #2-16 & State Plan Amendment #2016-005 and Eliminates Speech Therapy, Collateral Interventions and Reduces Daily Maximum Units for Mental Health Professionals in the RSPMI Program
 - 1. Tami Harlan, Chief Operating Officer, Medical Services Division, Department of Human Services
 - 2. Discussion by the Committees

- J. Other Business

- K. Adjournment