

JOINT INTERIM TASK FORCE ON HEALTH CARE COST REVIEW

April 20, 2018
08:00 AM

Hearing Room F

MEMBERS PRESENT: Cameron Smith, Chair
Sen. Lee Beyer
Rep. Julie Fahey
Rep. Ron Noble
Rep. Rob Nosse
Kraig Anderson
Joyce Newmyer
Jesse O'Brien
William Olson
Zeke Smith
Jeremy Vandehey (on behalf of
Patrick Allen)
Jenn Welander

MEMBER(S) EXCUSED: Sen. Elizabeth Steiner Hayward
Patrick Allen
Kevin Ewanchyna
Maggie Hudson
Kirsten Isaacson

STAFF PRESENT: Oliver Droppers, Legislative Policy & Research Office (LPRO)
Analyst
Cassandra Soucy, LPRO Analyst
Lisa Rybloom, Committee Assistant
Danielle Ross, Committee Assistant

EXHIBITS: Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

MEASURES/ISSUES: Informational Meeting
Welcome, Opening Remarks
Vermont's All-Payer ACO Model
Massachusetts Health Policy Commission and Annual Cost
Trends
Pennsylvania Rural Health Model
Task Force Discussion
Public Comment

00:00:04 Meeting Called to Order

00:00:05 Cameron Smith, Director, Department of Consumer and Business Services; Task Force Chair

00:00:09 **Welcome and Opening Remarks**

00:00:10 Chair Smith

00:00:11 Jesse O'Brien, Policy Director, Oregon State Public Interest Research Group (OSPIRG)

00:00:17 Kraig Anderson, Senior Vice President and Chief Actuary, Moda Health Plan, Inc.

00:00:24 Rep. Julie Fahey, House District 14

00:00:35 Sen. Lee Beyer, Senate District 6

00:00:38 Oliver Droppers, LPRO Analyst

00:00:53 Rep. Rob Nosse, House District 42

00:00:56 Joyce Newmyer, President and CEO, Pacific Northwest Region, Adventist Health

00:01:00 William Olson, Vice President of Finance Operations, Providence Health and Services Oregon

00:01:03 Jenn Welander, Chief Financial Officer, St. Charles Health System

00:01:12 Zeke Smith, Chair, Oregon Health Policy Board (via telephone)

00:03:31 **Vermont's All-Payer ACO Model - Informational Meeting**

00:03:35 Chair Smith

00:05:03 EXHIBIT 1: Ena Backus, Chief of Health Policy, State of Vermont Green Mountain Care Board (via video conference)

00:06:10 Michael Costa, Deputy Commissioner, Health Services and Managed Care, Department of Vermont Health Access (via video conference)

00:54:48 Meeting Recessed

00:56:56 Meeting Reconvened

00:56:58 **Massachusetts Health Policy Commission & Annual Cost Trends - Informational Meeting**

00:57:03 Chair Smith

00:58:35 EXHIBITS 2-3: David Seltz, Executive Director, Massachusetts Health Policy Commission

01:12:33 Rep. Nosse

01:16:25 Sen. Beyer

01:18:28 Jesse O'Brien

01:21:58 Rep. Fahey

01:25:18 William Olson

01:30:44 Senator James Welch, Hampden District, Massachusetts; Chairperson, Joint Committee on Health Care Financing; Chairperson, Special Senate Committee on Health Care Cost Containment and Reform (via video conference)

01:33:08 Michael Cannella, Legislative Director, Senator Welch (via video conference)

01:53:40 Kraig Anderson

01:57:49 Meeting Recessed
01:58:04 Meeting Reconvened

01:58:05 **Pennsylvania Rural Health Model - Informational Meeting**
01:58:07 Chair Smith
01:58:41 EXHIBITS 4-5: Lauren Hughes, MD; Deputy Secretary of Health
Innovation, Pennsylvania Department of Health (via video conference)
02:03:52 Rep. Nosse
02:15:11 Joyce Newmyer
02:33:11 Kraig Anderson
02:35:55 Jenn Welander
02:38:25 Meeting Recessed
02:38:40 Meeting Reconvened

02:39:08 **Task Force Discussion - Informational Meeting**
02:39:45 Chair Smith
02:39:46 Rep. Fahey
02:40:39 Joyce Newmyer
02:41:28 Sen. Beyer
02:43:05 Jenn Welander
02:43:16 Jesse O'Brien
02:45:25 Kraig Anderson
02:48:11 Rep. Nosse
02:50:23 William Olson

03:06:08 **Public Comment - Informational Meeting**
03:06:09 Chair Smith
03:06:28 Cassandra Soucy, LPRO Analyst
03:07:22 Oliver Droppers, LPRO Analyst
03:08:05 Sen. Beyer
03:10:48 Meeting Adjourned