

NORTH DAKOTA LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT

Tentative Agenda

HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

Tuesday and Wednesday, January 5-6, 2016
Roughrider Room, State Capitol, Bismarck, North Dakota

Tuesday, January 5, 2016

- 9:00 a.m. Call to order
Roll call
Consideration of the minutes of the November 3, 2015, meeting
- 9:05 a.m. Comments by the Chairman including information relating to the transfer of committee assignments from the interim Human Services Committee to the interim Health Services Committee
- 9:10 a.m. Presentation by the Legislative Council staff of bill drafts (17.0036.01000 and 17.0049.01000) relating to recommendations provided at the November 3, 2015, meeting
- 9:15 a.m. Presentation by the Legislative Council staff of a memorandum regarding a review of mental health commitment laws courts have recently upheld
- 9:20 a.m. Presentations by representatives of the Department of Human Services relating to the following:
- Data for addiction and substance abuse treatment services that are provided at each of the eight regional human service centers and the State Hospital; and
 - Data on the number of clients served by each addiction and substance abuse treatment service at each regional human service center and the State Hospital
- STUDY OF FAMILY CAREGIVER SUPPORTS AND SERVICES**
- 9:30 a.m. Presentations by representatives of medical providers regarding challenges and risks relating to family caregiving
- 10:00 a.m. Presentation by representatives of AARP regarding family support and health care discharge planning
- 10:30 a.m. Comments by interested persons
- 10:45 a.m. Presentation by Dr. Jane Strommen, North Dakota State University Extension Service, regarding an update on the status of the study of family caregiver supports and services
- 11:00 a.m. Committee discussion regarding delivery system and legislative options
- 11:15 a.m. Break
- STUDY OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH NEEDS -
EARLY CHILDHOOD BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CHALLENGES**
- 11:30 a.m. Presentation by representatives of the Department of Human Services regarding children's behavioral health issues
- 12:00 noon Luncheon recess
- 1:00 p.m. Presentation by representatives of the Department of Human Services regarding Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic, and Treatment services in North Dakota, including:
- The screening process;

- The number of children screened and the number identified with behavioral health issues; and
- The process of referring children for services and services authorized within the past year

- 1:40 p.m. Presentation by representatives of The Village Family Service Center relating to early child screening, assessment, and treatment
- 2:00 p.m. Presentation by representatives of Child Care Aware of North Dakota relating to special needs child care behavioral health issues and answers
- 2:30 p.m. Presentation by representatives of the Department of Public Instruction regarding school-based behavioral health services
- 2:45 p.m. Presentation by representatives of CHI St. Alexius Health relating to behavioral health issues for children aged 0-6
- 2:55 p.m. Comments by parent groups regarding early childhood behavioral health challenges
- 3:10 p.m. Comments by interested persons regarding the committee's study of behavioral health needs
- 3:20 p.m. Break
- 3:35 p.m. Committee discussion relating to options for early childhood behavioral health services

AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER SERVICES

- 3:45 p.m. Presentation by representatives of the Autism Spectrum Disorder Task Force regarding the status of the state autism spectrum disorder plan pursuant to North Dakota Century Code Section 50-06-32
- 4:00 p.m. Presentation by representatives of the Department of Human Services regarding the autism spectrum disorder program pilot project pursuant to Section 50-06-32.1
- 4:15 p.m. Comments by interested persons
- 4:25 p.m. Committee discussion
- 4:30 p.m. Recess

Wednesday, January 6, 2016

- 8:30 a.m. Reconvene
Comments by the Chairman
- 8:35 a.m. Presentation by representatives of the Department of Public Instruction relating to behavioral health issues involving students in school

**STUDY OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH NEEDS -
ELEMENTARY AGE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CHALLENGES**

- 8:45 a.m. Presentation by representatives of the Bismarck Public School District relating to behavioral health challenges involving elementary school students
- 9:00 a.m. Presentation by representatives of the Department of Public Instruction relating to health training for elementary school teachers and staff
- 9:30 a.m. Presentation by representatives of the North Dakota School Counselor Association relating to the role of the elementary school counselor
- 9:45 a.m. Presentation by representatives of PATH, Inc., relating to family focused services
- 10:00 a.m. Comments by parent groups regarding behavioral health challenges of elementary age children
- 10:15 a.m. Break
- 10:25 a.m. Comments by interested persons regarding the committee's study of behavioral health needs

10:35 a.m. Committee discussion relating to recommendations for elementary age behavioral health challenges

**STUDY OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH NEEDS -
ADOLESCENT BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CHALLENGES**

10:45 a.m. Presentation by representatives of the Bismarck Public School District relating to behavioral health challenges of secondary school students and any recommendations

11:15 a.m. Presentation by representatives of Prairie St. John's regarding the role and challenges of inpatient treatment services for adolescents

11:30 a.m. Presentation by representatives of Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch relating to the role and challenges of residential treatment services

11:45 a.m. Presentation by representatives of special education programs relating to challenges for special education for children with behavioral health issues

12:00 noon Luncheon recess

1:00 p.m. Presentation by representatives of the Division of Juvenile Services, Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, relating to behavioral health challenges of adolescents and any recommendations

1:20 p.m. Comments by parent groups regarding adolescent behavioral health challenges

1:40 p.m. Break

2:00 p.m. Committee discussion on adolescent behavioral health challenges

OTHER COMMITTEE REPORTS

2:20 p.m. Presentation by representatives of a statewide family controlled parent-to-parent support organization receiving a grant under Section 19 of 2015 Senate Bill No. 2012, regarding the use of grant funds

2:40 p.m. Presentation by representatives of a statewide family-to-family health information and education organization receiving a grant under Section 20 of 2015 Senate Bill No. 2012, regarding the use of grant funds

3:00 p.m. Presentation by representatives of the State Department of Health regarding the North Dakota Suicide Prevention Program in schools

3:15 p.m. Presentation by representatives of the Department of Human Services describing enrollment statistics and costs associated with the children's health insurance program state plan (Section 50-29-02)

3:30 p.m. Presentation by representatives of the Department of Public Instruction regarding mental health training provided by school districts pursuant to Section 5 of 2015 Senate Bill No. 2048

3:45 p.m. Comments by interested persons

3:55 p.m. Committee discussion and staff directives

4:00 p.m. Adjourn

Committee Members

Representatives: Kathy Hogan (Chairman), Bert Anderson, Dick Anderson, Chuck Damschen, Alan Fehr, Curt Hofstad, Dwight Kiefert, Gail Mooney, Naomi Muscha, Kylie Oversen, Jay Seibel, Peter F. Silbernagel

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