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TENTATIVE AGENDA

Sept. 14, 2015

State Capitol, Room 137

Please note: All times are tentative. Some items may take more or less time than scheduled.

Optional Pre-Meeting Tour and Discussion: Committee members have been invited to tour the St. Peter's Hospital Behavioral Health Unit on Sunday, Sept. 13, and to participate in a post-tour discussion with staff. Details are provided on P. 3 of the agenda.

- 8 a.m. 1. Call to Order -- Roll Call -- Overview of Agenda**
Rep. Ron Ehli, Presiding Officer, and Sue O'Connell, Committee Researcher
- 8:05 a.m. 2. Revised Work and Study Plans**
- a. Senate Joint Resolution 22 Study Plan -- Sue O'Connell
 - b. Interim Work Plan -- Sue O'Connell
- 8:15 a.m. c. Public Comment on the Revised Plans***
- 8:30 a.m. 3. SB 418: Legislative Mental Health Investments**
- a. Overview of Legislative Action and Continuum of Care-- Sue O'Connell
 - b. Administrative Rule Activity -- Alexis Sandru, Committee Attorney
 - c. Department of Public Health and Human Services Activity to Date
 - i. Glenda Oldenburg, Administrator, DPHHS Addictive and Mental Disorders Division
 - ii. Zoe Barnard, Chief, DPHHS Children's Mental Health Bureau
 - d. Measurement of Mental Health Objectives -- Glenda Oldenburg
- 9:00 a.m. e. Public Comment on the SB 418 Study***
- 9:15 a.m.**
- 9:30 a.m. 4. SB 405: Medicaid Expansion**
- a. Summary of Action to Date -- Sue O'Connell
 - i. Medicaid Waiver Applications
 - ii. Request for Proposal for Third-Party Administrator
 - b. Overview of Waiver Proposals and RFP -- Mary Dalton, State Medicaid Director
 - c. Committee Comment on Section 1115 Waiver
- 10:15 a.m. BREAK**

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- 10:30 a.m.** **5. HB 422: Children's Mental Health Outcomes**
- a. Montana's Publicly Funded Mental Health System
 - i. Sue O'Connell
 - ii. Zoe Barnard, Chief, DPHHS Children's Mental Health Bureau
 - iii. Jo Thompson, Chief, DPHHS Member Health Management Bureau
 - 11:00 a.m. b. Data Availability: Indicators and Measurable Outcomes -- Lindsey Krywaruchka, DPHHS Director's Office
 - 11:15 a.m. c. Children's Mental Health Through the Public Health Lens
 - i. Jani McCall, Legacy Provider Group and Montana Children's Initiative
 - ii. Jeff Folsom, A.W.A.R.E., Inc.
 - 11:45 a.m. d. Public Comment on the HB 422 Study*

12:15 p.m. LUNCH

- 1:15 p.m.** **6. SJR 22: Guardianship Laws and Services**
- a. Overview of State Laws -- Alexis Sandru
 - 1:30 p.m. b. Overview of Legal Proceedings
 - i. Jon McCarty, Great Falls attorney
 - ii. Douglas Day, Regional Deputy Public Defender, Lewistown
 - iii. District Judge Mike Menahan, Helena
 - 2:00 p.m. c. Overview of State Role and Services
 - i. Kelly Williams, Administrator, DPHHS Senior and Long-Term Care Division
 - ii. Valerie Bashor, Attorney, DPHHS Office of Legal Affairs
 - 2:30 p.m. d. Public Comment on the SJR 22 Study*

3:00 p.m. BREAK

- 3:15 p.m.** **7. Agency Oversight: Staff Reports**
- a. Administrative Rule Review -- Alexis Sandru
 - b. SB 411: MDC Closure -- Sue O'Connell
 - c. SB 423: Montana Marijuana Act -- Sue O'Connell
 - i. SB 423 Developments to Date
 - ii. Registry Statistics

- 3:30 p.m.** **8. Agency Oversight: DPHHS Reports**
- a. DPHHS Update -- Richard Opper, DPHHS Director
 - b. Out-of-State Placement of Children -- Zoe Barnard

- 4:00 p.m.** **9. Public Comment*** on any other item within the committee's jurisdiction

- 4:15 p.m. 10. Committee Work Session**
- a. Plans for November Meeting -- Sue O'Connell
 - b. Committee Discussion and action on:
 - i. Revised SJR 22 Study Plan
 - ii. Revised Interim Work Plan
 - iii. Further Direction to Staff: HB 422, SB 418, and SJR 22 Studies
 - iv. Further Direction to Staff: Other Health and Human Services Topics

- 5:00 p.m. 11. Adjournment**

Optional Pre-Meeting Tour and Discussion

Sunday, Sept. 13

St. Peter's Hospital, 2475 Broadway, Helena

Committee members who choose to attend this optional event will tour the hospital's Behavioral Health Unit at 4 p.m. The tour is limited to committee members and staff.

Committee members also have been invited to participate in a post-tour discussion with Behavioral Health Unit staff members at approximately 5 p.m. The discussion is open to the public and will take place at the hospital's Education Center.

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