

JT. SENATE HEALTH & FAMILY SECURITY COMMITTEE and
HOUSE HEALTH CARE COST CONTAINMENT DIVISION
TUESDAY, JANUARY 17, 2006
12:30 P.M.
ROOM 15 CAPITOL

Members present:

Lourey, Chair
Berglin
Fischbach
Higgins
LeClair
Moua
Nienow

Members excused:

Foley
Kelley
Wergin

Sen. Lourey convened the meeting at 12:45 p.m.

Sen. Lourey and Sen. Abler gave short welcomes to everyone.

The meeting was informational regarding:

- Health Information Technology
- Community Measurement and Public Reporting
- Patient Health Records

Testifiers were:

12:47 Don Connelly, MD, Director, U of M Health Informatics Division
1:25 Gary Oftedahol, MD, Medical Director / Interim President, ICSI
1:57 Jim Chase, Executive Director, MN Community Measurement
2:18 Tami Lichtenberg, Program Manager, Rural Health Resource Center, Duluth
2:45 Scott Leitz, Director, Office of Policy, Statistics and Informatics, MDH
2:52 Marty LaVenture, Director, Center of Health Informatics, MDH

3:15 Sen. Lourey adjourned the meeting.

Respectfully submitted by,

Senator Becky Lourey, Chair



Pat Wallner, Legislative Assistant

Health Care Solutions Series
House Health Care Cost Containment Division
Senate Health and Family Security Committee
12:30 – 3:00 PM, January 17, 2006
Room 15, Capitol
Chair, Sen. Becky Lourey
Co-Chair, Rep. Jim Abeler

I. Call to Order

① II. Don Connelly, MD, Director, U of M Health Informatics Division

② III. Gary Oftedahl, MD, Medical Director / Interim President, ICSI

③ IV. Jim Chase, Executive Director, MN Community Measurement

④ V. Tami Lichtenberg, Program Manager, Rural Health Resource Center, Duluth

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⑥ VI. Scott Leitz, Director, Office of Policy, Statistics and Informatics, MDH
Marty LaVenture, Director, Center of Health Informatics, MDH

VII. Statement from Susan Hasti, MD, MN Universal Health Care Coalition

VIII. Adjournment.