

Minnesota State Senate

Joint Meeting: Human Services Committee and House Committee on Human Services Finance
Friday, July 28, 2023
10:00 AM, Room 1200, Minnesota Senate Bldg.

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Minutes

Present: Senator John A. Hoffman - Chair, Senator Jim Abeler, Senator Nicole L. Mitchell

Absent: Senator Omar Fateh - Vice Chair, Senator Alice Mann, Senator Andrew Mathews, Senator Erin K. Maye Quade, Senator Jordan Rasmusson, Senator Paul J. Utke, Senator Melissa H. Wiklund

Senator John A. Hoffman called the meeting to order at 10:10am.

I. Presentations from MDH/DHS and Hennepin County on Small Assisted Living Facility Licensure.

II. Presentation from DHS on Children's Behavioral Health and Hospital Decompression.

III. Update from DHS on Healthcare Renewal.

Presentation from DHS on Healthcare Renewal Update

Julie Maarquardt, Interim Assistant Commissioner for Health Care/State Medicaid Director

Presentations from MDH/DHS and Hennepin County on Small Assisted Living Facility Licensure 144G

Lindsey Krueger, Minnesota Department of Health – Health Regulation Division

Presentation from Hennepin County

Debbie Ackerman, Hennepin County

Suzanne M. Scheller, Counselor at Law, Elder Voices

Lisa Papp-Richards, Testifier

Larry McDonough, Policy Attorney at Homeline

Presentation from DHS on Children's Behavioral Health and Hospital Decompression

Natasha Merz, Assistant Commissioner for Aging and Disability Services

Kristy Graume, Legislative Director for Disability Services, Behavioral Health, and Housing

Dr. Aimee Sznewajs, Medical Director of Pediatric Hospital Medicine and Acute Care, Children's Minnesota

Wendy Ulferts, RN, System Chief Nursing Officer, North Memorial Hospital

Dr. Sandeep Patel, Pediatric Physician, Hennepin Healthcare

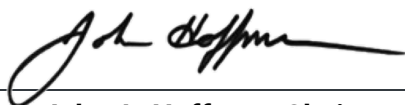
Dr. Mary Beth Lardizabal, Psychiatrist and VP of Mental Health and Substance Use Service Line, Allina Health

Dr. Lew Zeidner, VP of Mental Health and Addiction, M Health Fairview

Notice!: Time Change. Due to a conflict, the committee shall meet at 10am to 12pm. It will still be the same location.

This meeting is Bi-Cameral and informational. If there are any questions contact committee administrator Kevin Parker at kevin.parker@senate.mn

The meeting was adjourned at 12:42pm.



Senator John A. Hoffman, Chair



David Zak, Legislative Assistant