



HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

Thursday, March 12, 2020
Roughrider Room, State Capitol
Bismarck, North Dakota

9:00 a.m. Call to order
Roll call
Consideration of the [minutes of the November 7, 2019, meeting](#)

STUDY OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE HUMAN SERVICES RESEARCH INSTITUTE'S REPORT ON BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

9:05 a.m. [Presentation](#) by a representative of the North Dakota Association of Counties regarding juvenile justice efforts

9:35 a.m. Presentation by a representative of the Department of Veterans' Affairs regarding behavioral health services available for veterans including the availability of counselors for veterans

9:50 a.m. Presentation by a representative of the Department of Human Services (DHS) of an overview of telehealth services and recent telehealth studies

10:05 a.m. [Presentation](#) by a representative of Lutheran Social Services of North Dakota regarding the use of telehealth services

10:20 a.m. Presentation by a representative of DHS regarding the use of telehealth services by the department

10:35 a.m. Presentation by a representative of the Indian Affairs Commission regarding the use of state and federal behavioral health funding provided to tribal governments

10:45 a.m. Presentation by a representative of a tribal government regarding the use of behavioral health grant funding

11:00 a.m. Presentation by a representative of DHS regarding collaborations to provide behavioral health services in elementary and secondary education schools

11:30 a.m. Presentation by a representative of DHS regarding the status of the peer support services program

11:40 a.m. Presentation by a representative of DHS regarding the status of the federal Medicaid 1915(i) state plan amendment

11:50 a.m. Comments by interested persons regarding the committee's study of the implementation of the Human Services Research Institute's report on behavioral health

12:00 noon Recess

STUDY OF THE OLMSTEAD COMMISSION

1:00 p.m. Presentation by a representative of the Olmstead Commission regarding recent activities of the commission

1:10 p.m. Comments by interested persons regarding the committee's study of the Olmstead Commission

OTHER COMMITTEE DUTIES

- 1:15 p.m. [Presentation](#) by a representative of the Grand Forks Housing Authority of a report pursuant to Section 22 of Senate Bill No. 2012 (2019) regarding the use of permanent housing program grant funds including the services provided by the program, the nonidentifiable demographics of the individuals receiving services, and other funding or reimbursement being used to support the program
- 1:30 p.m. [Presentation](#) by a representative of the Dacotah Foundation of a report pursuant to Section 22 of Senate Bill No. 2012 (2019) regarding the use of permanent housing program grant funds including the services provided by the program, the nonidentifiable demographics of the individuals receiving services, and other funding or reimbursement being used to support the program
- 1:45 p.m. Presentation by a representative of DHS regarding the reorganization of the department
- 2:00 p.m. Presentation by a representative of DHS of an update on the county social and human services project including payments made to zones and adjustments in full-time equivalent positions
- 3:00 p.m. Presentation by a representative of the Children's Cabinet regarding the recent activities of the cabinet
- 3:15 p.m. Presentation by a representative of DHS of an update on the Free Through Recovery Program
- 3:30 p.m. Comments by interested persons regarding the other duties of the committee
- 3:40 p.m. Committee discussion and staff directives
- 3:50 p.m. Adjourn

Committee Members

Representatives: Karen M. Rohr (Chairman), Jeff A. Hoverson, Dwight Kiefert, Lisa Meier, Matthew Ruby, Mary Schneider, Kathy Skroch, Bill Tveit, Greg Westlind

Senators: JoNell A. Bakke, Dick Dever, Kathy Hogan, Judy Lee, Tim Mathern, Jessica Unruh

Staff Contact: Brady A. Larson, Assistant Legislative Budget Analyst and Auditor