Health and Human Services Oversight Committee
Agenda Items for Regular Meeting
Friday, October 27, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.
Legislative Office Building Room 205-207

- Welcome by Representative Mark Pearson, Chairman. Roll Call – Attendance. (5 minutes)

- Approval of draft minutes from the September 22, 2023 regular meeting. (5 minutes)

- Nomination of Jay Gupta, Director of Pharmacy and Integrative Health, Harbor Care NH, as an adjunct member to serve on the Subcommittee on Alzheimer's Disease and Other Related Dementia. (5 minutes)

- Review of new 2023 reporting requirements and other enacted legislation related to the Health and Human Services Oversight Committee – Chairman Pearson (10:15 a.m. - 15 minutes)

  - HB 2, Chapter 79:207 Laws of 2023, Health Care Workplace Violence Prevention Program (**Oversight consultation** with DOL and HCWVPP Commission).
  - HB 2, Chapter 79:399 Laws of 2023, Insurance Department and Prescription Drug Affordability Board Redundancy Elimination Report – October 1, 2024.
  - HB 2, Chapter 79:412 Laws of 2023, Medicaid Enhancement for Children and Pregnant Women Quarterly Reports beginning January 1, 2024.
  - HB 2, Chapter 79:415 Laws of 2023, Medicaid Coverage of Certain Birthing, Postpartum, and Newborn Services Report – January 31, 2025.
  - HB 2, Chapter 79:429 Laws of 2023, Phase 3 Kidney Cancer Feasibility Study (**Oversight review** 9/22).
  - HB 2, Chapter 79:532 Laws of 2023, Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias Public Awareness Campaign Plan Review and Quarterly Reports (**Oversight plan review** see agenda item below)
  - HB 2, Chapter 79:547 Laws of 2023, Developmental Services Pilot Program Semi-Annual Reports.
  - HB 2, Chapter 79:573 Laws of 2023, LTSS Personal Care Services; Authorization of Legally Responsible Relative (**Oversight review and approval**).
  - HB 2, Chapter 79:576 Laws of 2023, 36-month look-back period for eligibility for LTC assistance (**Oversight review of any proposed rules with report to Fiscal Committee**).
  - HB 49, Chapter 2:2 Laws of 2023, Construction and Operation of a Replacement Secure Facility Quarterly Reports.
  - HB 642, Chapter 199 Laws of 2023, repeal of budget flexibility for services for the developmentally disabled contingent upon the commissioner of the department of health and human services certifying, after consultation with the Oversight Committee, the full implementation of the developmental services rate redesign (**Oversight contingency consultation**).
  - SB 174, Chapter 74:2 Laws of 2023, the department of health and human services, in collaboration with the department of military affairs and veterans services, shall report to the

Oversight Committee on veterans' access to health care and mental health services – November 1, 2023.

- DHHS Commissioner's Update – Commissioner Lori Weaver (10:30 a.m. – 20 minutes)[1]

- Honorable Kendall Snow inquiry on Medicaid and behavioral health services (10:50 a.m. – 15 minutes)

- Medicaid Unwind Update - Henry D. Lipman, FACHE, Medicaid Director, Division of Medicaid Services, New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services. (11:05 a.m. – 10 minutes)

- Medicaid Adult Benefit Status Update - Sarah A. Finne, DMD, MPH, Medicaid Dental Director, Division of Medicaid Services, New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services. (11:15 a.m. – 5 minutes)

- SB 292 (2019) Annual Report on Implementation of New Hampshire's 10-year Mental Health Plan – Julianne Carbin, Deputy Director, Division for Behavioral Health, Rebecca Ross, Director, Bureau for Children's Behavioral Health, New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services. (11:20 a.m. – 20 minutes)

- HB 2, Chapter 79:532 Laws of 2023, Review of Draft Plan Public Awareness Campaign on Brain Health, Alzheimer's Disease, and Related Dementias – Wendi Aultman, Bureau Chief, Bureau of Elderly and Adult Services, New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services. (11:40 a.m. – 20 minutes)

[1] Introduction of Jeff Fleischer, Director, Division for Children, Youth and Families.