

**Health Finance and Policy Committee**  
Representative Tina Liebling, Chair  
March 18, 2022 10:30 AM – 12:00 PM  
Remotely Via Zoom

**AGENDA**

- I. Call to Order
- II. Minutes of 3/16/22 for Approval
- III. H. F. 4265, (Olson) Opioid settlement proceed deposit and allocation provided, two accounts established in the opiate epidemic response fund, separate opioid account in the state treasury eliminated, time frame modified for eliminating the opioid manufacturer registration fee and reducing license fees, and municipal claims barred against litigants in settled opioid cases.

Testifiers:

Evan Romanoff, Assistant Attorney General, Office of Minnesota Attorney General  
Angie Thies, Child Wellbeing Policy Analyst, Association of Minnesota Counties

- IV. HF3972 (Richardson) Nondiscrimination and equity required in access to organ transplants, and penalties prescribed.
- V. HF3958 (Morrison) Seizure detection device medical assistance coverage required.

Testifier:

April Mountjoy, Epilepsy Foundation of Minnesota Volunteer

- VI. HF4157 (Pryor) Medical assistance and MinnesotaCare enrollee disenrollment procedures specified, and 12-month continuous medical assistance eligibility provided.

Testifier:

Anne Quincy, Supervising Attorney, Mid-Minnesota Legal Aid

- VII. HF3360 (Morrison) Commissioner of health required to study issues of statewide register development for provider orders for life-sustaining treatment, and report required.

Testifier:

Dr. Randy Rice, President, Minnesota Medical Association

- VIII. HF4062 (Reyer) Hospice respite and end-of-life care medical assistance benefit for individual under age of 22 established.

Testifier:

Katie Lindenfelser, Founder, Crescent Cove

- IX. HF3924 (Lippert) Board of Pharmacy required to provide central repository under contract to administer medication repository program with any legislative funding, and over-the-counter medication donation conforming changes made.

Testifier:

Rowan Mahon, Founder, Minnesota Medication Repository Program

- X. HF3595 (Edelson) Cannabinoid product regulation provided, sale of cannabinoid containing products limited to individuals 21 years of age or older, cannabinoid product labeling required to contain a barcode or matrix barcode, and cannabinoid containing products that meet regulation requirements established as not controlled substances.

Testifiers:

Dr. Cody Wiberg, Executive Director, Board of Pharmacy

Maren Schroeder, Advocate

Steven Brown, MN Cannabis Assn

James Sutherland, Sutherland CBD

- XI. Adjournment

Next Meeting: **Monday, March 21st, 2022, 1:00-2:30 PM**

HF2586 (Richardson) Emmett Louis Till Victims Recovery Program established.

HF4001 (Huot) Guest body art applicant temporary licensure provision amended.

HF3874 (Reyer) Diagnostic imaging facility definition modified.

HF4214 (Baldon) ST elevation myocardial infarction response and treatment requirement provisions changed.

HF4213 (Wolgamott) Health professional education loan forgiveness program modified.

HF3823 (Liebling) Commissioner of human services required to contract for medical assistance administration and MinnesotaCare program, report required, and money appropriated.

HF3363 (Liebling) Medical assistance enrollees allowed to opt out of managed care enrollment.

HF3691 (Huot) Ambulance services payment rates modified, and money appropriated. *(DE Amendment attached)*

HF3860 (Baldon) School nurse recruitment grants established, loan forgiveness eligibility expanded to include school nurses, report required, and money appropriated. *(Informational hearing: Limited to Section 3 of HF3860)*