

Health Finance and Policy Committee
Representative Tina Liebling, Chair
March 8, 2021 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM
Remotely Via Zoom

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Minutes for March 5th, 2021
- III. HF1412 (Morrison) Health care service and consultation telehealth coverage modified.

Testifiers:

- 1. Dr. Sarah Manney, Chief Medical Information Officer, Essentia Health
- 2. John Magnuson, Executive Director, MARRCH
- 3. Jessica Young, Policy and Advocacy Manager, Medical Alley
- 4. Bentley Graves, Minnesota Chamber of Commerce
- 5. Dan Endreson, Senior Director of Policy and Government Affairs, Minnesota Council of Health Plans
- 6. Dave Renner, Director of Advocacy, Minnesota Medical Association

- IV. Brief Overview of HIV Drugs

Presenter:

- 1. George Konstantinides, PharmD, Hennepin Healthcare

- V. HF745 (Hornstein) HIV prevention or treatment medications exempted from medical assistance and MinnesotaCare co-payments.

Testifiers:

- 1. MJ Kasten, MD, FIDSA, HIVMA
- 2. Val Rubin-RaShaad Crutcher, Executive Director, Youth and AIDS Project
- 3. Megan Williams, RN, MPH Director of Nursing and Homecare Services, Clare Housing

- VI. HF855 (Hollins) HIV preexposure prophylaxis and HIV postexposure prophylaxis dispensing by a pharmacist without a prescription authorized.

Testifiers:

- 1. Daniel Jude, PharmD; Clinical HIV Pharmacist
- 2. James Talbott

- VII. HF1904 (Baldon) Drug formulary and prior authorization provisions modified, preferred drug list requirements modified, and Formulary Committee reorganizing report required. (*Informational Only*)

Testifiers:

1. Alex Palacios, Consumer
2. Matt Toburen, Executive Director, Aliveness Project

VIII. Adjournment

Next Meeting: **Tuesday, March 8th, 3:00 PM – 6:30 PM (Extended Time)**

HF1854 (Bierman) Health care governing policy provisions modified, coverage mandates exempted for managed care plans or county-based purchasing plans when plan providing coverage under medical assistance or MinnesotaCare, Health Services Advisory Council composition changed and duties clarified, Formulary Committee sunset provision removed, and various other provisions modified. *(Pending floor referral)*

HF572 (Morrison) Tobacco use prevention and cessation account established, revenue dedicated, and money appropriated. *(Pending floor referral)*

HF1197 (Bahner) Pregnant women and family home visiting program established, and money appropriated. *(Pending re-referral)*

HF162 (Fischer) Homeless youth birth record and ID card issuance procedures established, data classified, and money appropriated. *(Pending re-referral)*

HF1918 (Reyer) Commissioner of human services required to establish an advisory committee to develop recommendations for a dental home pilot project, and report to legislature required. *(Pending floor referral)*

HF648 (Koegel) Health plans prohibited from limiting opioid testing. *(Pending re-referral)*

HF1796 (Liebling) Human services commissioner required to report annually on managed care and county-based purchasing plan provider reimbursement rates.

HFXXXX/21-00164 (Reyer) Chronic Condition reporting changes. *(Pending Introduction)*

HFXXXX/21-00168 (Boldon) modifying the international medical graduate primary care residency grant program. *(Pending Introduction)*

HFXXXX/21-00171 (Jordan) Ground Water Protection Act Modification. *(Pending Introduction)*

HF447 (Acomb) No-cost diagnostic services and testing following a mammogram required has been added to Tuesday's agenda. (Bill added)