

Human Services Finance Committee

Chair: Rep. Mohamud Noor

Tuesday, March 7, 2022

1:00 PM to 2:30 PM

- I. **HF1626 (Hassan)** - Permanent increases in reimbursement rates established for qualified early intensive development and behavioral intervention providers, and money appropriated.
 - Testifiers:
 - i. **Dr. Eric Larsson:** President, Autism Treatment Association of Minnesota
 - ii. **Jeff Nichols:** CEO, The Minnesota Autism Center
 - iii. **Alia Giama:** Parent
 - iv. **Idil Abdull:** Parent

- II. **HF1660 (Hicks)** - Medical assistance income and spenddown limits increased for persons with disabilities and persons age 65 and over.
 - Testifiers:
 - i. **Cynthia Callais:** Minnesota Brain Injury Alliance
 - ii. **Rebecca Preston:** Citizen Advocate

- III. **HF1634 (Noor)** - Project ECHO program funding provided, and money appropriated.
 - Testifiers:
 - i. **Arti Prasad, MD, FACP:** Hennepin Healthcare