MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: Legislative Committee on Health Care

(Nevada Revised Statutes 439B.200)

Date and Time of Meeting: Wednesday, March 17, 2010

9 a.m.

Place of Meeting: Grant Sawyer State Office Building

Room 4401

555 East Washington Avenue

Las Vegas, Nevada

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AGENDA

Note: Items on this agenda may be taken in a different order than listed.

- *Denotes items on which the Committee may take action.
 - I. Opening Remarks

Senator Valerie Wiener, Chair

- *II. Presentation Regarding Volunteers in Medicine of Southern Nevada (VMSN) Sarah Heiner, M.D., VMSN
- *III. Update Regarding the Access to Healthcare Network (AHN)

Ken Retterath, Chair, AHN

Niki King, Northern Nevada Director, AHN

Ted DeCorte, Southern Nevada Director, AHN

- *IV. Update Regarding Great Basin Primary Care Association (GBPCA) of Nevada and Affiliated Community Health Centers
 - A. Presentation Concerning Great Basin HealthNet and Trends Relating to Uninsured Persons

Patricia Durbin, Executive Director, GBPCA

B. Nevada Health Centers

Tom Chase, Chief Executive Officer (CEO), Nevada Health Centers, Inc.

C. Health Access Washoe County Community Health Center (HAWC)

Linda Costa, Chief Operating Officer, HAWC Community Health Center

*V. Update Concerning the Status of Regulations Relating to the Disproportionate Share Payments Made to Certain Hospitals Pursuant to Senate Bill 382 (Chapter 421, *Statutes of Nevada 2009*) Charles Duarte, Administrator, Division of Health Care Financing and Policy, Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS)

*VI. Update Regarding School Districts' Efforts to Increase Participation in School Nutrition Programs

Donnell Barton, C.F.C.S., Director, Office of Child Nutrition and School Health, Department of Education

Charles Anderson, Acting Director, Food Services, Clark County School District

Caroline McIntosh, Superintendent, Lyon County School District

Mike Supple, Director, Nutrition Services, Washoe County School District (WCSD)

Geri Casey, Assistant Director, Nutrition Services, WCSD

- *VII. Discussion Regarding Issues Concerning the Provision of Public Health Pursuant to Senate Bill 278 (Chapter 267, Statutes of Nevada 2009)
 - A. The Feasibility of Establishing Health Districts in Counties With Populations Less Than 100.000

Mary C. Walker, C.P.A., President, Walker and Associates

Mary E. Wherry, R.N., M.S., Community Health Nursing Manager, Health Division, DHHS

B. The Feasibility of Establishing Regional Centers for the Prevention and Treatment of Alcohol and Substance Abuse

Christy McGill, Director, Healthy Communities Coalition of Lyon and Storey Counties

Stacey Smith, Nye Communities Coalition and Chair, Nevada Statewide Partnerships

*VIII. Presentation Concerning Recent Reports of Salmonella in a Food Product of a Certain Food Establishment in Southern Nevada and Related Public Health Implications

Tracey D. Green, M.D., State Health Officer, Health Division, DHHS

Cynthia Ulch, Supervisor, Environmental Health Services, Health Division, DHHS

Lawrence K. Sands, D.O., M.P.H., Chief Health Officer, Southern Nevada Health District (SNHD)

Glen Savage, Director of Environmental Health, SNHD

*IX. Update From Mental Health Groups in Nevada

Janelle Kraft Pearce, Co-Chair, Southern Nevada Mental Health Coalition

Frank Reagan, Lieutenant, Clark County Detention Center, Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department, Co-Chair, Southern Nevada Mental Health Coalition

Joe Tyler, Executive Director, Nevada Chapter, Nevada Alliance on Mental Illness

Pam Becker, Washoe County Children's Mental Health Consortium

Jackie Harris, Clark County Children's Mental Health Consortium

Jan Marson, Rural Children's Mental Health Consortium

*X. Presentations to Assist the Legislative Committee on Health Care in Reviewing Methods for Establishing a Fair and Equitable System for the Payment of Medical Services Pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 39 (File No. 101, Statutes of Nevada 2009)

Bobbette Bond, Legislative Liaison, Health Services Coalition

Lawrence P. Matheis, Executive Director, Nevada State Medical Association

Valerie M. Rosalin, R.N., Director, Office for Consumer Health Assistance, Office of the Governor

Bill M. Welch, President and CEO, Nevada Hospital Association

- *XI. Consideration of Regulations Proposed or Adopted by Certain Licensing Boards Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes 439B.225
 - A. LCB File No. 201-09, Board of Dental Examiners of Nevada
 - B. LCB File No. 014-10, Chiropractic Physicians' Board of Nevada

Sara L. Partida, Principal Deputy Legislative Counsel, Legal Division, LCB

XII. Public Comment

XIII. Adjournment

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