

MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: Legislative Committee on Health Care
(*Nevada Revised Statutes* [NRS] 439B.200)

Date and Time of Meeting: Tuesday, November 27, 2007
11 a.m.

Place of Meeting: Grant Sawyer State Office Building
Room 4401
555 East Washington Avenue
Las Vegas, Nevada

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Legislative Building
Room 3138
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Carson City, Nevada

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A G E N D A

I. Opening Remarks

Assemblywoman Sheila Leslie, Chairwoman

- *II. Approval of Minutes of the Meeting Held on October 31, 2007, in Carson City, Nevada
- *III. Discussion Concerning Medical Clearance for Persons Waiting for Emergency Admissions to Mental Health Facilities or Hospitals

Sara Partida, Senior Deputy Legislative Counsel, Legal Division, Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB)

Senator Joseph J. Heck, D.O., Member, Legislative Committee on Health Care
Carlos Brandenburg, Ph.D., Administrator, Division of Mental Health and Developmental Services (MHDS), Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS)

Debbie Hosselkus, L.S.W., Deputy Administrator, MHDS, DHHS

Julie Slabaugh, Deputy Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General

Dr. Lesley Dickson, President Elective, Nevada Psychiatric Association;
Clinical Professor of Psychiatry, University of Nevada School of Medicine

Bill Welch, President/Chief Executive Officer, Nevada Hospital Association

*IV. Presentation Concerning Triage Services for Persons with Mental Illness

Carlos Brandenburg, Ph.D., Administrator, MHDS, DHHS

Dick Steinberg, Executive Director, WestCare Nevada

*V. Presentation on Certain Outpatient and Treatment Support Services Provided to Persons with Mental Illness:

- A. Medication Clinics
- B. Housing Support
- C. Case Services Coordination
- D. Counseling Services

Stuart J. Ghertner, Ph.D., Agency Director, Southern Nevada Adult Mental Health Services, MHDS, DHHS

*VI. Appointment of a Subcommittee of the Legislative Committee on Health Care to Review the Laws and Regulations Governing Providers of Health Care Pursuant to Senate Bill 4 (Chapter 4, *Statutes of Nevada 2007, 23rd Special Session*)

Assemblywoman Sheila Leslie, Chairwoman

Kelly Gregory, Senior Research Analyst, Research Division, LCB

*VII. Consideration of Regulations Proposed or Adopted by Certain Licensing Boards Pursuant to NRS 439B.225

- A. LCB File No. R033-07, State Board of Pharmacy
- B. LCB File No. R172-07, State Board of Health
- C. LCB File No. R176-07, State Board of Health

Sara Partida, Senior Deputy Legislative Counsel, Legal Division, LCB

VIII. Public Comment

IX. Adjournment

*Denotes items on which the Committee may take action.

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