

NOTICE AND AGENDA (Issued October 2, 2000)

Name of Organization: Task Force on the Policy of the State of Nevada Concerning Access to Public Health Services

Place of Meeting: Grant Sawyer State Office Building, Room 4412 BC
555 E. Washington Avenue
Las Vegas, Nevada

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Legislative Building
Room 2135
401 South Carson Street
Carson City, Nevada

Date & Time of Meeting: Wednesday, October 11, 2000
9:30 a.m.

AGENDA

- A. Opening remarks by the Chairman -- Dr. Javaid Anwar
- * B. Approval of the Minutes of the April 5, 2000 and June 19, 2000 meetings.
- C. Review of the comments provided the Task Force at the September 13, 2000 public workshop – Dr. John Yacenda
- * D. Review and final vote to advance content materials to the Legislative Counsel Bureau’s Legal Division for use in the drafting of bills earlier requested by the Task Force. Public comment to be accepted for each item under consideration after its presentation to the Task Force:
 - * 1. Nevada Essential Plans (NEPs) – recommended health benefits that must be included in basic plans of health insurance offered by Health Maintenance Organizations, Indemnity Carriers, and Preferred Provider Organizations (BDR 268);
 - * 2. Nevada Uninsurable Health Insurance Plan (NUHIP) – recommendation to create a high risk health insurance pool for persons unable to obtain insurance coverage due to high risk health conditions (BDR 276);
 - * 3. Health Care Systems Commission – recommendation to create an 11 member body, with appropriate staff, that are charged to prepare a report by June 30, 2002, in which the Commission details up to 10 recommendations and plans for implementation to advance policies and practices that will improve the scope and funding of health care in Nevada (BDR 275);
 - * 4. Office of Minority Health – recommendation to create a Nevada Office of Minority Health (NOMH) within the Office of the Governor (BDR 272);
 - * 5. Health Care Fund for Uninsured Nevadans – recommendation to create a fund in the Primary Care Development Center of the Health Division in the Department of Human Resources that addresses the increased financial burden being managed by Nevada’s safety-net providers who provide health care services on a sliding fee basis (BDR 271);

- * 6. Commission on Health Care Licensing Parity – recommendation to create a body within the Office of the Governor to monitor consistency among regulatory boards that license health professions in the state of Nevada ensuring that access to care is a consideration of the licensing process (BDR 273);
- * 7. Modification of the scope of practice of Emergency Medical Technicians (BDR 270);
- * 8. Development of a pilot study of School-based health centers (BDR 274);
- * 9. Broad spectrum Medicaid and Nevada Check Up reform measures (BDR 269).
- * E. Formation of Subcommittee to prepare the Final Report of the Task Force – Dr. Javaid Anwar
- F. Public Comment
- * G. Adjournment.

* Denotes action may be taken on these agenda items.

(Items on the agenda may be taken out of order at the discretion of the Chairman.)

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