

MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

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

Date and Time of Meeting: Tuesday, August 20, 2002
9:30 a.m.

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

Note: Some members of the committee may be attending the meeting and other persons may observe the meeting and provide testimony through a simultaneous videoconference conducted at the following location:

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

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A G E N D A

- I. Introductions and Opening Remarks
Senator Raymond D. Rawson, Chairman
- *II. Approval of Minutes From the June 4, 2002, Meeting
- *III. Presentation Regarding Report and Recommendations Submitted by EP&P Consulting, Inc. Pursuant to Senate Bill 377 (Chapter 598, *Statutes of Nevada 2001*), the Study of Programs and Funding for the Treatment of Medicaid, Indigent, and Other Low-Income Patients
Peter Burns, Senior Consultant, EP&P Consulting, Inc.
- *IV. Discussion Regarding the Committee's Action to Request the Drafting of a Bill Which Requires Certain Hospitals to Charge Reduced Rates for Emergency Hospital Admissions That Occur When a Patient Is Transported to a Particular Hospital Due to Another Hospital Emergency Department's Diversion of the Patient
Assemblywoman Ellen M. Koivisto, Vice Chairwoman
- V. Discussion of Responsibilities of Licensed Practical Nurses and Use of Emergency Medical Technicians to Perform Certain Tasks in Hospital Emergency Rooms
Bill Welch, Executive Director, Nevada Hospital Association
Doreen Begley, R.N., M.S., Nurse Executive, Nevada Hospital Association

Debra Scott, R.N., M.S., A.P.N., Executive Director, State Board of Nursing

- *VI. Presentation Regarding the 2-1-1 National Abbreviated Dialing Code Initiative for Free Access to Health and Human Services Information
Jack Mayes, Executive Director, Nevada Disability Advocacy & Law Center
- *VII. Presentation Concerning Antibiotic Awareness
Christine Petersen, M.D., Chairperson, Public Awareness Committee, Nevadans for Antibiotic Awareness
Bill Berliner, M.D., Executive Director, Nevadans for Antibiotic Awareness
- *VIII. Presentation Concerning Possible Updates to Existing Laws to Address Public Health Issues Related to the Detection and Control of Certain Diseases
Leslie K. Hamner, Principal Deputy Legislative Counsel, Legal Division, Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB)
- Consideration of Health Care Regulations Pursuant to NRS 439B.225
- *IX. Leslie K. Hamner, Principal Deputy Legislative Counsel, Legal Division, LCB
 - A. LCB File No. R169-01 Board of Dental Examiners of Nevada (Revised Adopted)
 - B. LCB File No. R057-02 State Board of Osteopathic Medicine (Proposed)
 - C. LCB File No. R050-02 State Board of Health (Proposed)
 - D. LCB File No. R052-02 State Board of Health (Adopted)
 - E. LCB File No. R053-02 State Board of Health (Adopted)
 - F. LCB File No. R063-02 State Board of Health (Adopted)
 - G. LCB File No. R068-02 State Board of Pharmacy (Adopted)
 - H. LCB File No. R077-02 Board of Psychological Examiners (Adopted)
 - I. LCB File No. R079-02 Board of Examiners for Social Workers (Proposed)
 - J. LCB File No. R111-02 State Board of Physical Therapy Examiners (Proposed)
 - K. LCB File No. R119-02 State Board of Pharmacy (Proposed)

X. Public Testimony

- *XI. Work Session—Discussion and Action Regarding the 2-1-1 National Abbreviated Dialing Code Initiative for Free Access to Health and Human Services Information, the Antibiotic Awareness Initiative, and Possible Updates to Existing Health Laws to Address Issues Related to the Detection and Control of Certain Diseases

The Work Session Document is available on the Nevada Legislature's Web site (www.leg.state.nv.us) at the committee [home page](#) or it may be obtained by contacting Marshellah D. Lyons, Senior Research Analyst, Research Division, Legislative Counsel Bureau, at (775) 684-6825.

XII. Adjournment

*Denotes items on which the committee may take action.

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