

HOUSE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND HEALTH CARE

December 11, 2024
08:30 AM

Hearing Room F

MEMBERS PRESENT: Rep. Rob Nosse, Chair
Rep. Christine Goodwin, Vice-Chair
Rep. Travis Nelson, Vice-Chair
Rep. Ben Bowman
Rep. Charlie Conrad
Rep. Ed Diehl
Rep. Cyrus Javadi
Rep. Hai Pham
Rep. Thuy Tran
Rep. Dwayne Yunker

STAFF PRESENT: Alexandra Kihn-Stang, LPRO Analyst
Timothy Merrill, Committee Assistant

EXHIBITS: Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

MEASURES/ISSUES: Joint Task Force on Hospital Discharge Challenges Report - Informational Meeting
Task Force on Alcohol Pricing and Addiction Services Report - Informational Meeting
Joint Task Force on Improving the Safety of Behavioral Health Workers Report - Informational Meeting
Universal Health Plan Governance Board Update - Informational Meeting
HB 2235 Behavioral Health Workforce Report Update - Informational Meeting
Nurse Workforce Shortage - Informational Meeting
Introduction of Committee Legislative Concepts – Work Session

00:00:00 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:01 Chair Nosse

00:01:34 [Task Force on Alcohol Pricing and Addiction Services Report - Informational Meeting](#)

00:01:36 Chair Nosse

00:01:58 Representative Tawna Sanchez, House District 43

00:22:34 Rep. Diehl

- 00:23:50 Vice-Chair Goodwin
- 00:27:45 **Joint Task Force on Hospital Discharge Challenges Report - Informational Meeting**
- 00:27:45 Chair Nosse
- 00:28:01 Jimmy Jones, Chair, Joint Task Force on Hospital Discharge Challenges
- 00:28:25 Elizabeth Burns, Vice-Chair, Joint Task Force on Hospital Discharge Challenges
- 00:44:05 Vice-Chair Goodwin
- 00:46:15 Rep. Conrad
- 00:48:07 Vice-Chair Nelson
- 00:51:35 Rep. Tran
- 00:55:43 **Joint Task Force on Improving the Safety of Behavioral Health Workers Report - Informational Meeting**
- 00:55:44 Chair Nosse
- 00:56:28 Vice-Chair Nelson
- 00:56:41 Rep. Javadi
- 01:05:14 Rep. Diehl
- 01:08:04 Rep. Conrad
- 01:10:55 Rep. Tran
- 01:11:38 **Universal Health Plan Governance Board Update - Informational Meeting**
- 01:11:40 Chair Nosse
- 01:11:54 Helen Bellanca, Chair, Universal Health Plan Governance Board
- 01:12:04 Judy Richardson, Vice-Chair, Universal Health Plan Governance Board
- 01:24:39 Rep. Conrad
- 01:27:51 Vice-Chair Nelson
- 01:29:14 **HB 2235 Behavioral Health Workforce Report Update - Informational Meeting**
- 01:29:19 Chair Nosse
- 01:29:23 Mick Kincaid, Business Operations Director, Behavioral Health Division, Oregon Health Authority
- 01:39:01 Rep. Javadi
- 01:43:03 Rep. Diehl
- 01:44:57 Jennifer Allen, Coordinator, Community Advisory Group, Oregon Health Authority
- 01:48:39 **Nurse Workforce Shortage - Informational Meeting**
- 01:48:42 Chair Nosse
- 01:48:44 Jana Bitton, Executive Director, Oregon Center for Nursing
- 01:59:56 Rep. Javadi
- 02:00:48 Vice-Chair Goodwin
- 02:06:36 Rep. Diehl

02:13:42 Vice-Chair Nelson

02:17:14 **Introduction of Committee Legislative Concepts - Work Session**

02:17:17 Chair Nosse

02:17:21 VICE-CHAIR GOODWIN MOVES LC 584, LC 913, LC 1106, LC 2409, LC 2425, LC 2429, LC 2433, LC 2487, LC 2509, LC 2563, LC 2567, LC 2590, LC 2607, LC 2617, LC 2694, LC 2699, LC 2731, LC 2736, LC 2738, LC 2754, LC 2761, LC 2767, LC 3842, AND LC 3844 BE INTRODUCED AS COMMITTEE MEASURES

02:21:39 Rep. Javadi

02:26:02 Rep. Diehl

02:26:56 Vice-Chair Goodwin

02:27:02 Rep. Yunker

02:27:03 VOTE: 10-0
AYE: BOWMAN, CONRAD, DIEHL, JAVADI, PHAM, TRAN, YUNKER, GOODWIN, NELSON, NOSSE

02:28:00 Meeting Adjourned