



STATE OF VERMONT
GENERAL ASSEMBLY
HEALTH REFORM OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

Agenda

Thursday, October 25, 2018

Ethan Allen Room, State House

- 10:00 a.m. Vermont Medicaid Next Generation Accountable Care Organization Pilot Project
Update on implementation [[handout](#)] [[handout](#)]
Cory Gustafson, Commissioner, and
Michael Costa, Deputy Commissioner, and
Alicia Cooper, Health Care Project Director, Payment Reform, Department of
Vermont Health Access
- 10:45 a.m. All-Payer Model
Update on implementation [[handout](#)]
Kevin Mullin, Chair, and
Michael Barber, Chief of Health Policy, and
Melissa Miles, Health Policy Project Director, Green Mountain Care Board
- 11:15 a.m. Mental Health [[handout](#)]
Update on building inpatient capacity; issues regarding Brattleboro Retreat
Melissa Bailey, Commissioner, and
Mourning Fox, Interim Commissioner, Department of Mental Health
Peter Albert, Senior Vice President of Government Relations, Brattleboro Retreat
- 12:00 noon Recess for Lunch
- 12:45 p.m. Unused Prescription Drug Repository Program
Update on [Act 114 of 2018](#)
David Englander, Senior Policy and Legal Advisor, and
Shayla Livingston, Public Health Policy Advisor, Department of Health
- 1:00 p.m. Wholesale Importation of Prescription Drugs in Vermont
Update on [Act 133 of 2018](#)
Ena Backus, Director of Health Care Reform, Agency of Human Services

- 1:15 p.m. Silver-loading
Part I: Employer Assessment [handout]
Nolan Langweil, Senior Analyst, Joint Fiscal Office
Adaline Strumolo, Health Care Director, Dept. of Vermont Health Access
- 1:30 p.m. *Part II: Update, 2020 and beyond*
Adaline Strumolo
Rebecca Heinz, General Counsel, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Vermont
Susan Gretkowski, Senior Government Relations Strategist, MVP Health Care
- 1:45 p.m. Association Health Plans
Jennifer Carbee, Legislative Counsel, Office of Legislative Council
Emily Brown, Assistant Director of Rates and Forms, Department of Financial Regulation
Betsy Bishop, President, and
Shannon Wilson, VP of Operations, Vermont Chamber of Commerce
Christine Oliver, Senior VP of Account Management for NFP, testifying on behalf of Business Resource Services
Michael Fisher, Chief Advocate, Office of the Health Care Advocate, Vermont Legal Aid [handout]
Susan Gretkowski [handout]
Rebecca Heinz
- 2:30 p.m. Individual Mandate – Working Group Update [handout]
Adaline Strumolo
Michael Fisher
- 2:45 p.m. General Discussion
- 2:55 p.m. Next meeting and Adjourn

Helpful Links:

Report on the Green Mountain Care Board’s progress in meeting All-Payer Model implementation benchmarks

<https://legislature.vermont.gov/assets/Legislative-Reports/GMCB-All-Payer-ACO-Model-Update-to-Legislature-FINAL-9-15-2018-002.pdf>

Vermont Medicaid Next Generation Pilot Program 2017 performance

<https://legislature.vermont.gov/assets/Legislative-Reports/VMNG-2017-Report-FINAL-09-20-18.pdf>

OneCare Vermont 2019 Budget Presentation to the Green Mountain Care Board

<https://gmcboard.vermont.gov/sites/gmcb/files/OneCare%20Budget%20Presentation%20-%20GMCB%20Final.pdf>

UVM Health Network quarterly report on inpatient mental health capacity

<https://gmcboard.vermont.gov/sites/gmcb/files/documents/UVM%20Network%20Mental%20Health%20Capacity%20Quarterly%20Report%2010.15.18.pdf>

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