

# Vermont Medicaid and Exchange Advisory Committee Meeting Agenda

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| 1. | 10:00 | Call to Order   | Devon Green and Erin Maguire, Co-Chairs   |
| 2. | 10:05 | Roll Call<br>Establish Quorum<br>Approve Previous Minutes   | Zack Goss, Health Care Training and Communication Manager (DVHA)  |
| 3. | 10:10 | All-Payer Model Potential for Subsequent Agreement  | Ena Backus, Director of Health Care Reform (AHS)  |
| 4. | 10:30 | State-funded Expansion of Health Coverage for Pregnant Women and Children Regardless of Immigration Status: Policy Proposal | Mike Fisher, Office of the Health Care Advocate   |
| 5. | 11:20 | Commissioner's Update   | Cory Gustafson, Commissioner (DVHA)<br>Sandi Hoffman, Deputy Commissioner (DVHA)<br>Addie Strumolo, Deputy Commissioner (DVHA)<br>Nissa James, Health Care Director |
| 6. | 11:45 | Public Comment  | Devon Green and Erin Maguire, Co-Chairs   |
| 7. | 11:50 | Final Committee Discussion  | Devon Green and Erin Maguire, Co-Chairs   |
| 8. | 12:00 | Adjourn   | Devon Green and Erin Maguire, Co-Chairs   |

**March 22, 2021**  
**10am-12pm**

# Roll Call, Quorum, February 22, 2021

## Meeting Minutes

Devon Green and Erin Maguire, Co-Chairs

Zack Goss, Health Care Training and Communication Manager (DVHA)

# All-Payer Model Potential for Subsequent Agreement

Ena Backus

Director of Health Care Reform (AHS)

# State-funded Expansion of Health Coverage for Pregnant Women and Children Regardless of Immigration Status: Policy Proposal

Mike Fisher

Office of the Health Care Advocate

- The Agency of Human Services shall provide coverage under the Dr. Dynasaur program to children and pregnant individuals who are undocumented immigrants but who would otherwise be eligible for medical assistance from the State ...

- The sum of \$1,400,000.00 in one-time funds is appropriated to the Agency of Human Services in fiscal year 2022 to be used for the following purposes:
  - grants or reimbursements to health care providers for delivering health care services
  - grants to Vermont organizations to provide outreach and information
  - implementing the technological and operational processes necessary for DVHA

DVHA shall provide information on the estimated fiscal year 2023 as part of the Agency's fiscal year 2023 budget presentation

## Legislative Process

H.430 was created as a committee bill, it passed the House Health Care Committee on a unanimous vote. With an amendment it passed the House Appropriations Committee on a unanimous vote. It is on the Notice Calendar on the House Floor for tomorrow.

# Commissioner's Update

Cory Gustafson, Commissioner (DVHA)

Sandi Hoffman, Deputy Commissioner (DVHA)

Addie Strumolo, Deputy Commissioner (DVHA)

Nissa James, Health Care Director (DVHA)



# Public Comment & Final Committee Discussion

## Adjourn

Devon Green and Erin Maguire, Co-Chairs