

Revised: September 14, 2022

**TENTATIVE AGENDA  
for the  
FOURTH MEETING  
of the  
LEGISLATIVE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE**

**September 14-16, 2022  
Student Services and Technology Center, Room 200  
University of New Mexico-Gallup  
705 Gurley Avenue  
Gallup**

**Wednesday, September 14**

- 8:30 a.m.           **Call to Order and Introductions**  
—Representative Christine Trujillo, Chair, Legislative Health and Human Services Committee (LHHS)  
—Senator Gerald Ortiz y Pino, Vice Chair, LHHS
- 8:45 a.m.           **Welcome to the University of New Mexico (UNM)-Gallup**  
—Sabrina Ezzell, Interim Chancellor, UNM-Gallup
- 9:00 a.m.           (1)   **[The New Mexico Workforce Analysis Committee Report](#)**  
—Richard Larson, M.D., Ph.D., Vice President of Research, UNM Health Sciences Center (HSC)
- 9:45 a.m.           (2)   **[Building Health Care Systems](#)**  
—Douglas Ziedonis, M.D., Executive Vice President, UNM HSC; Chief Executive Officer (CEO), UNM Health System
- 10:30 a.m.          (3)   **[Licensing Health Care Providers](#)**  
—Sheena Ferguson, Executive Director, Board of Nursing  
—Sondra Frank, J.D., Executive Director, New Mexico Medical Board  
—Steven Jenkusky, Policy Director and Member, New Mexico Medical Board  
—Cheranne McCracken, Executive Director, Board of Pharmacy  
—Joe R. Anderson, Pharm.D., Assistant Dean for Curricular Affairs, College of Pharmacy, UNM  
—Linda Trujillo, Superintendent, Regulation and Licensing Department
- 11:30 a.m.          (4)   **[Price Models for Innovative Therapies](#)**  
—Brian Warren, Director, Government Affairs, Biotechnology Innovation Organization

- 12:15 p.m.           **Lunch**
- 1:00 p.m.           (5)   **Coverage Issues**  
—Colin Baillio, Project Manager, Office of Superintendent of Insurance (OSI)  
—Russell Toal, Superintendent of Insurance, OSI
- 1:30 p.m.           (6)   **Update: BeWell New Mexico and New Mexico Medical Insurance Pool**  
—Brent Earnest, Chief Operating Officer, New Mexico Health Insurance Exchange  
—Maureen Manring, Director of Communication and Outreach, BeWellnm, New Mexico Health Insurance Exchange  
—Russell Toal, Board Member, New Mexico Medical Insurance Pool
- 2:00 p.m.           (7)   **Nursing Workforce Issues**  
—Pamela K. Blackwell, J.D., Director of Government Relations and Communications, New Mexico Hospital Association (NMHA)  
—Tim Johnsen, R.N., M.B.A. F.A.C.H.E., Senior Vice President and Chief Operating Officer, Presbyterian Healthcare Services  
—R. Jonathan Lumibao, M.S.N., R.N., Director, Nursing Program, UNM-Gallup  
—Linda Siegle, Lobbyist for Nursing Organizations

3:00 p.m.           **Brainstorming Session**

4:00 p.m.           **Recess**

#### **Thursday, September 15**

- 8:45 a.m.           **Reconvene**
- 9:00 a.m.           (8)   **Growing Our Own Behavioral Health Care Providers**  
—Debra Martinez, Behavioral Health Investment Zone Manager, City of Gallup
- 9:30 a.m.           (9)   **Update: Rehoboth McKinley Christian Hospital**  
—Robert Whitaker, CEO, Rehoboth McKinley Christian Hospital
- 10:00 a.m.          (10) **Local Substance Use Disorder Recovery Resources**  
—Kevin Foley, Ph.D., Executive Director, Na'Nizhoozhi Center, Inc.  
—Barry Ore, Program Director, Four Corners Detox Recovery Center  
—Sherman Snyder, Chief Financial Officer, Santa Fe Recovery Center

- 11:00 a.m. (11) [Health Councils](#)  
—Gerylyn Antonio, Tribal Liaison, New Mexico Alliance of Health Councils (NMAHC)  
—Susan Wilger, Interim Executive Director, NMAHC
- 11:30 a.m. (12) [Update: The Health Security Plan Design](#)  
—Mary Feldblum, Ph.D., Executive Director, Health Security for New Mexicans Campaign
- 12:00 noon (13) [Centering Patients and Providers in the Health Care Provider Shortage](#)  
—Kathy Love, Attorney, McGinn, Montoya, Love and Curry
- 12:30 p.m. **Lunch**
- 1:00 p.m. (14) [Health Care Coverage in New Mexico: Filling in the Federal Affordable Care Act's Gaps](#)  
—Juliana Hernandez, Organizer, Strong Families New Mexico  
—Lan Sena, Policy Director, Center for Civic Policy  
—Alex Williams, Health Care Policy Advocate, New Mexico Center on Law and Poverty
- 1:30 p.m. (15) [How the Interagency Benefits Advisory Committee Agencies Purchase Health Care Services](#)  
—Randall Cherry, General Counsel, and Acting Director, Risk Management Division, General Services Department  
—Neil Kueffer, Executive Director, Retiree Health Care Authority
- 2:30 p.m. (16) [Financial Incentives for Health Care Providers](#)  
—Stephanie Rodriguez, Secretary, Higher Education Department (HED)  
—Harrison Rommel, Ph.D., Director, Institutional Finance and Financial Aid, HED
- 3:00 p.m. (17) [Addressing Physician Shortages](#)  
—Carrie Robin Brunder, Government Affairs, New Mexico Medical Society  
—Stacey Dimitt, M.D., Obstetrician, Family Practice, Cibola Family Health Center  
—Angelina Villas-Adams, M.D., Southwest Gastroenterology
- 3:30 p.m. (18) [Hospital Finance](#)  
—Troy Clark, President and CEO, NMHA  
—Frank Corcoran, R.N., CEO, Sierra Vista Hospital
- 4:30 p.m. **Recess**

**Friday, September 16**

8:45 a.m.           **Reconvene**

9:00 a.m.           **Public Comment**

9:15 a.m.   (19) **Working Session**

12:00 noon         **Adjourn**