



Health Care Cost Analysis Task Force Minutes 02/21/2020
 Location: 303 E 17th St, 11th Floor, Conference Room 11A, Denver
 Convened at 2:30 pm; adjourned at 4:30 pm.
 Secretary: Carrie Cortiglio

Task Force Member		Present / Absent
Representative Emily Sirota	Colorado General Assembly	P
Representative Susan Beckman - resigned	Colorado General Assembly	A
Senator Jim Smallwood	Colorado General Assembly	A
Senator Joann Ginal, <i>Vice-Chair</i>	Colorado General Assembly	A
Carrie Cortiglio, <i>Secretary</i>	Colorado Department of Public Health & Environment	P
Karla Gonzales	Colorado Organization for Latina Opportunity and Reproductive Rights	P
Kate Harris	Colorado Division of Insurance	A
Mitzi Moran, <i>Chair</i>	Sunrise Community Health	P
Monica VanBuskirk, <i>Treasurer</i>	Connect for Health Colorado	Proxy given to Karla
Dr. Renee Marquardt	Colorado Department of Human Services	P
Thomas (TR) Reid	Author	P
Michelle Miller	Department of Health Care Policy & Financing	P
TBD	Consumer representative	
January Montano– Coordinator	Department of Health Care Policy & Financing	P
Guests: Colorado School of Public Health – Gregory Tung Connect for Colorado – Kevin Patterson		

Topic	Discussion	Action / Next Steps
Call to Order		None.
Introductions	Committee & guests introduced themselves.	None.



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Conflicts of Interest	Task Force members given the opportunity to declare conflicts of interest.	None declared.
Agenda	Mitzi presented agenda for approval.	Motion: Michelle Second: Carrie Vote: Approve Next Steps: None.
	Carrie presented minutes for approval.	Motion: Renee Second: Emily Vote: Approve Next Steps: None.
Public Comment		
	No comments.	Next Steps: None.
Task Force		
New Members	Still waiting on Minority Leader to suggest new member; awaiting word from African American Center on Health potential candidate.	Next Steps: Karla Gonzales will reach out to African American Center on Health.
Meetings in Community linked to Stakeholder meetings	Sen. Ginal will work to identify dates for stakeholder meeting.	Next Steps: None.
Website	Up and live.	Next Steps: None.
Projects		
DQ for Scoping and Planning – Discussion with Colorado School of Public Health	<p>Scoping & Planning Work</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • overview of the micro-simulation model • discussion points related to scope of payment systems to consider, specific inputs / attributes of the model • integration of stakeholder feedback • future workflow considerations <p>Task Force members indicated consensus to model the three health care systems listed in HB1176 and not adding a fourth at</p>	<p>Next Steps: Colorado School of Public Health will go back and create a more polished scoping document with more detail (multiple simulations/models). Capabilities will flow from the scoping document.</p> <p>Update scoping document and bring on March 6th.</p>



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	<p>this time. Task Force members discussed the nuances in the 2nd health care system.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The <u>current health care financing system</u>, in which residents receive health care coverage from private and public insurance carriers or are uninsured; 2. A <u>multi-payer universal health care system</u>, in which all residents of Colorado are covered under a plan with a mandated set of benefits that is publicly funded and paid for by employer and employee contributions; and, 3. A <u>publicly financed and privately delivered universal health care system that directly compensates providers</u>. 	
<p>What are others doing?</p>	<p>Mitzi prompted: what are other states doing in this area? Monica has noted at least two that have task forces like this. Also, what can be found in the new Yale School of Public Health study on single payer health care just recently published in the Lancet?</p>	<p>Next Steps: Colorado School of Public Health and Task Force to consider these questions.</p>
<p>Adjourn</p>		<p>Next Meeting: March 6, 2020 2:30pm, HCPF CO School of Public Health will send some discussion items in advance.</p>