

## MINUTES

### HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

DATE: Wednesday, December 4, 2019

#### Call to Order

Representative Mary Whiteford, Chair, called the meeting to order at 10:30 a.m.

#### Attendance

Members Present: Representatives Whiteford, Green, Allor, Yaroch, Glenn, Huizenga, VanWoerkom, Hammoud, Hoadley, Love, Brixie, and Cherry.

Members Excused: Bollin

#### Approval of the November 6, 2019 Minutes

Representative Allor made a motion to approve the November 6, 2019 meeting minutes. There being no objection, the minutes were adopted.

#### Department Testimony on FY 2018-19 Work Projects

House Fiscal Agency provided the Subcommittee with a work project document, detailing all recommended and currently approved Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) work projects.

Farah Hanley, Senior Deputy Director of Financial Operations for DHHS, provided the Subcommittee with an overview of the FY 2018-19 DHHS work projects recommended for approval.

Ms. Hanley, along with Dr. George Mellos, Deputy Director Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities for DHHS, Sarah Lyon-Callo, Director of the Bureau of Epidemiology for DHHS and State Epidemiologist, Kory Groetsch, Director of the Division of Environmental Health for DHHS and State Toxicologist, and Jon Villasurda, Assistant Administrator for the Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities Administration for DHHS, received and answered questions from the Subcommittee.

DHHS agreed to provide the following information:

- Detailed plan for the state's targeted opioid crisis response plan
- Plan for expenditures of already authorized Double-Up Food Bucks program work projects
- Information regarding a \$3.0 million grant for Beaumont Hospital that was included in the enrolled FY 2019-20 DHHS budget
- Total expenditures, by category, for the Healthy Michigan Plan work requirements information technology upgrades

Motion to Excuse Absent Members

Representative Green made a motion to excuse absent members. There being no objection, absent members were excused.

Adjournment

There being no further business before the Subcommittee, the meeting was adjourned by Chair Whiteford at 11:03 a.m.