



**Children, Families, Health, and Human Services Interim  
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**AGENDA**

**Nov. 14, 2019**

Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Meeting Room  
2535 St. John's Avenue, Billings, MT

*Please note: All times are approximate. Some items may take more or less time than scheduled.*

- 8:00 a.m.**     **1. Call to Order -- Roll Call**  
*Rep. Eric Moore, Presiding Officer*
- 8:05 a.m.**     **2. Agency Oversight: Department of Public Health and Human Services**  
a. Administrative Rule Review  
i. Rule Report -- *Alexis Sandru, Committee Attorney*  
ii. Update on School Health Rules -- Robert Lishman, DPHHS Office of Legal Affairs  
iii. Update on PAARP Rules -- Erica Johnston, DPHHS Operations Branch Manager  
*(by phone)*  
b. Statutorily Required Reports -- *Sue O'Connell, Committee Research Analyst*
- 8:30 a.m.**     **3. Agency Oversight: LFD Fiscal Updates**  
*Josh Poulette, Legislative Fiscal Division*
- 9:00 a.m.**     **4. HJR 32 Study: Prenatal Drug Use**  
a. Topic Introduction -- *Sue O'Connell, Committee Research Analyst*  
b. Montana Perinatal Behavioral Health Initiative  
i. Tressie White, Program Director, Montana Healthcare Foundation *(by phone)*  
ii. Jen Rieden, Chief, DPHHS Member Health Services Bureau  
iii. Maria Russell, Behavioral Interventionist/Program Coordinator,  
Northern Cheyenne Board of Health *(by phone)*
- 9:30 a.m.**     **c. Public Comment\*** on the HJR 32 Study
- 9:45 a.m.**     **BREAK**
- 10:00 a.m.**    **5. Agency Oversight: DPHHS Update**  
*DPHHS Director Sheila Hogan*

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- 10:30 a.m. 6. **HJR 50 Study: Senior and Long-Term Care**
- a. Overview of Staff Reports -- *Sue O'Connell, Committee Research Analyst*
  - b. Nursing Home and Assisted Living Services
    - i. Mike White, Co-Owner, Caslen Living Centers
    - ii. Shawna Boatman, Eagle Cliff Manor, Billings
    - iii. Paula Small-Plenty, Administrator, Big Horn Senior Living, Hardin
    - iv. Rose Hughes, Montana Healthcare Association
- 11:35 a.m. c. Tribal Perspective on Senior and Long-Term Care Services  
Northern Cheyenne Tribal Representative (*invited*)
- 11:50 a.m. d. **Public Comment\*** on the HJR 50 Study

12:15 p.m. **Recess for Committee Tours\*\***

***The committee will visit the following facilities on Thursday afternoon:***

- ***Passages,\*\**** a community corrections facility for women, to visit with women whose children are in foster care while the women complete their sentences or treatment programs;
- ***Butterfly Homes and Eagle Cliff Manor,*** to tour nursing home and assisted living facilities;
- ***St. Vincent Healthcare,\*\**** to learn more -- as part of the HJR 32 study -- about the work the hospital is doing through the Montana Perinatal Behavioral Health Initiative; and
- ***Billings Clinic,*** to tour the hospital's youth psychiatric center.

*The committee will tour the **Billings Community Crisis Center\*\*** on Friday morning before reconvening at 8:45 a.m. at the Board of Oil and Gas Conservation Meeting Room.*

*Tours are limited to committee members unless denoted by a double asterisk (\*\*). For more detail on the tours, please see the Schedule of Site Visits.*

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\* **Public comment** provided in person at a committee meeting is a public record that is videotaped, archived, and available on the Internet. Public comment submitted in writing at a committee meeting is a public record that will be posted to the legislative Web site as part of the minutes log for the committee meeting.

\*\* The HJR 32-related presentation at St. Vincent Healthcare is open to the public. Other events marked with a double asterisk are open to a limited number of noncommittee members on a first-come, first-served basis. Persons interested in participating in a tour must contact Sue O'Connell at 406-444-3597 or soconnell@mt.gov **no later than Nov. 8, 2019.**

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