

**FURTHER REVISED  
TENTATIVE  
AGENDA\***

**ROBERT G. (BOB) BETHELL JOINT COMMITTEE ON HOME AND COMMUNITY  
BASED SERVICES AND KANCARE OVERSIGHT**

September 28, 2020

**Monday, September 28  
All Day Session  
Room 112-N—Statehouse**

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9:00 a.m. Welcome

9:05 a.m. Presentations on KanCare from Individuals, Providers, and Organizations

- Matt Fletcher, Executive Director, InterHab
- Nick Wood, Associate Director, InterHab
- Holly Noble, Legislative Committee Chair, Kansas Adult Care Executives Association
- Tanya Dorf Brunner, Executive Director, Oral Health Kansas
- Sean Balke, President and Chief Executive Officer (CEO), Craig HomeCare
- Matt Johnston, Director of Business Operations, Maxim Healthcare Services
- Leslie Anderson, Executive Director, Kansas Association of Area Agencies on Aging & Disabilities
- Kyle Kessler, Executive Director, Association of Community Mental Health Centers of Kansas, Inc.
- Sean Gatewood, Co-administrator, KanCare Advocates Network
- Mike Burgess, Director of Policy and Outreach, Disability Rights Center of Kansas
- Beth Patton, Private Citizen

Written-only Testimony

- Lou Ann Kibbee, Systems Advocacy Manager, Southeast Kansas Independent Living Resource Center

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- Rachel Monger, Vice President of Government Affairs, LeadingAge Kansas
- Ami Hyten, Executive Director, Topeka Independent Living Resource Center, Inc. and Grassroots Advocates for Independent Living
- Audrey Dunkel, Vice President of Financial Advocacy, Kansas Hospital Association

9:50 a.m. Presentation by KanCare Ombudsman

- Kerrie Bacon, KanCare Ombudsman

10:05 a.m. Presentation on Office of Medicaid Inspector General

- Jay Emler, Deputy Attorney General/Chief Information Security Officer, Office of the Attorney General

10:35 a.m. Responses from State Agencies on Unresolved Issues

- Sarah Fertig, Medicaid Director, Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE)
- Janis DeBoer, Deputy Secretary for Aging and Disability Services, Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services (KDADS)

12:30 p.m. Lunch

2:00 p.m. Updates from Managed Care Organizations (MCOs) on Unresolved Issues Continuing to be Monitored

- David Livingston, CEO, and Lisa Baird, Chief Operating Officer (COO), Aetna Better Health of Kansas
- Michael Stephens, President and CEO, Sunflower Health Plan
- Carrie Kimes, Director of KanCare Provider Relations and Strategy, UnitedHealthcare Community Plan

2:30 p.m. KDHE Updates

Dr. Lee Norman, Secretary of Health and Environment; Sarah Fertig, Medicaid Director; Christiane Swartz, Director of Operations;

- KanCare Program
- Section 1115 Waiver Amendment Update on Health Care Access Improvement Panel
- Status of Amendments to Administrative Regulations on Protected Income Limit
- OneCare Kansas
- Disability and Behavioral Health Employment Support Pilot Program
- Medicaid Eligibility Application Status
- KDHE Clearinghouse Staffing
- Clearinghouse Request for Proposal for Processing Family Medical Applications

- KanCare COVID-19 Update on Special Authorities and Changes to Program
- KanCare Analytics and Performance Metrics
- Financial Review of MCOs
- KanCare Executive Summary

3:30 p.m.

#### KDADS Updates

Laura Howard, Secretary for Aging and Disability Services; Janis DeBoer, Deputy Secretary for Aging and Disability Services; Amy Penrod, Aging and Disability Community Services and Programs Commissioner; Andrew Brown, Behavioral Health Services Commissioner; Scott Brunner, Deputy Secretary of Hospitals and Facilities

- Receiverships
- Home and Community Based Services (HCBS)
- HCBS Waiver Enrollment and Waiting Lists
- HCBS Waiver Renewals and Proposed Amendments
- HCBS Settings Final Rule
- Administrative Case Management
- Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly
- COVID-19 Response – Outstanding Issues and Updates
- Behavioral Health
- Planning for Children's Psychiatric Hospital in Hays, Kansas
- Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facilities
- Long-term Care (LTC)
- Use of Antipsychotic Drugs in Nursing Homes
- Nursing Facility and Adult Care Home COVID-19 Actions, Priorities, and Issues
- State Hospitals – Staff Recruitment and Retention; Lifting the Moratorium at Osawatomie State Hospital
- Quarterly Report on Savings Transferred to HCBS Savings Fund and Fund Balance
- Average Monthly Caseloads for Intermediate Care Facilities, Head Injury Facilities, and HCBS for Intellectual and Developmental Disability, Physical Disability, Frail Elderly, and Brain Injury
- Average Census Data for State Institutions and LTC Facilities
- Average Daily Consensus at Kansas Neurological Institute and Parsons State Hospital and Training Center
- Nursing Facilities Monthly Average Eligibility Caseload

4:45 p.m.

#### MCO Presentations

- David Livingston, CEO, and Lisa Baird, COO, Aetna Better Health of Kansas
- Michael Stephens, President and CEO, Sunflower Health Plan
- Kevin Sparks, CEO, UnitedHealthcare Community Plan

5:30 p.m.

Approval of June 22-23, 2020, Minutes; Adjourn