

## MINUTES

### MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 64th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

#### JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

**Call to Order:** Chair Ron Ehli, on January 20, 2015 at 8:00 AM, in Room 102 Capitol

#### ROLL CALL

**Members Present:**

Rep. Ron Ehli, Chair (R)  
Sen. Roger Webb, Vice Chair (R)  
Rep. Tom Burnett (R)  
Sen. Mary Caferro (D)  
Sen. Bob Keenan (R)  
Rep. Pat Noonan (D)

**Members Excused:** None

**Members Absent:** None

**Staff Present:** Scot Conrady, Legislative Branch  
Cynthia Hollimon, Legislative Branch  
Noah Horan, Committee Secretary  
Lois Steinbeck, Legislative Branch

**Audio Committees:** These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

**Committee Business Summary:** Executive Action - Addictive and Mental Disorders, Health Resources Division, Medicaid and Health Services Administration

00:01:10 Sen. Caferro  
00:01:47 Chair Ehli  
00:01:54 Lois Steinbeck, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)  
00:02:52 Chair Ehli  
00:03:19 Lois Steinbeck, LFD

[EXHIBIT\(jhh12a01\)](#)

**Discussion:**

00:05:35 Chair Ehli  
00:05:45 Lois Steinbeck, LFD

[EXHIBIT\(jhh12a02\)](#)

**Discussion:**

00:08:41 Rep. Burnett  
00:08:52 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
00:09:59 Sen. Webb  
00:10:40 Richard Opper, Director, Montana Department of Public Health and Human  
Services (DPHHS)  
00:11:31 Sen. Caferro  
00:11:58 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
00:12:16 Chair Ehli  
00:12:24 Cynthia Hollimon, Legislative Fiscal Division (LFD)

[EXHIBIT\(jhh12a03\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jhh12a04\)](#)

**Discussion:**

00:21:00 Chair Ehli  
00:22:31 Sen. Keenan  
00:23:20 Cynthia Hollimon, LFD  
00:23:50 Sen. Keenan  
00:24:04 Cynthia Hollimon, LFD  
00:24:30 Sen. Keenan  
00:24:56 Cynthia Hollimon, LFD  
00:25:14 Chair Ehli  
00:25:33 Cynthia Hollimon, LFD  
00:32:13 Sen. Keenan  
00:32:50 Cynthia Hollimon, LFD  
00:32:56 Sen. Keenan  
00:32:58 Cynthia Hollimon, LFD  
00:33:26 Sen. Caferro  
00:33:53 Cynthia Hollimon, LFD  
00:34:05 Sen. Caferro  
00:34:15 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
00:35:54 Cynthia Hollimon, LFD  
00:36:00 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
00:36:51 Chair Ehli  
00:37:14 Rep. Burnett  
00:37:35 Chair Ehli  
00:37:46 Lois Steinbeck, LFD

**EXECUTIVE ACTION - ADDICTIVE AND MENTAL DISORDERS**

00:38:20 Chair Ehli  
00:39:27 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
00:39:55 Sen. Caferro  
00:40:07 Chair Ehli  
00:40:35 Sen. Caferro  
00:40:45 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
00:45:36 Chair Ehli  
00:45:51 Brian Hannon, Montana Governor's Office of Budget and Program Planning  
(OBPP)  
00:46:38 Chair Ehli  
00:47:03 Marie Matthews, Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services  
(DPHHS)  
00:48:06 Chair Ehli  
00:49:03 Marie Matthews, DPHHS  
00:49:45 Chair Ehli  
00:50:39 Sen. Caferro  
00:50:51 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
00:54:35 Sen. Caferro  
00:54:42 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
00:55:00 Sen. Keenan  
00:55:25 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
00:55:36 Marie Matthews, DPHHS  
00:55:43 Jeff Lustgraaf, Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services  
(DPHHS)  
00:55:51 Sen. Keenan  
00:56:44 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
00:57:07 Jeff Lustgraaf, DPHHS  
00:57:22 Chair Ehli  
00:57:52 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
00:59:18 Chair Ehli  
00:59:27 Lois Steinbeck, LFD

**[EXHIBIT\(jhh12a05\)](#)**

**Discussion:**

01:01:56 Chair Ehli  
01:02:02 Rep. Burnett  
01:02:08 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
01:03:09 Chair Ehli  
01:03:35 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
01:04:10 Chair Ehli  
01:04:13 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
01:04:35 Chair Ehli  
  
01:05:58 **Motion:** Chair Ehli moved that **IN CP98, THE FUNDING SHIFT IN THE BASE  
BUDGET/REPLACE CHIPRA BONUS BE ADOPTED.**  
  
01:06:07 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
01:06:13 Chair Ehli

01:06:20 Rep. Burnett  
01:07:18 Chair Ehli  
01:07:39 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
01:08:26 Sen. Caferro  
01:08:38 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
01:08:59 Sen. Caferro  
01:10:01 Sen. Webb  
01:10:38 Sen. Caferro  
01:12:16 Chair Ehli

01:13:19 **Vote:** Motion carried 5-1 by roll call vote with Rep. Burnett voting no.

01:14:38 Lois Steinbeck, LFD

[EXHIBIT\(jhh12a06\)](#)

[EXHIBIT\(jhh12a07\)](#)

**Discussion:**

01:18:11 Chair Ehli  
01:18:16 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
01:19:52 Chair Ehli  
01:20:08 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
01:23:22 Sen. Caferro left.  
01:23:31 Chair Ehli  
01:23:40 Rep. Noonan  
01:24:08 Chair Ehli  
01:24:45 Rep. Burnett  
01:25:29 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
01:26:47 Rep. Burnett  
01:27:02 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
01:27:35 Chair Ehli  
01:28:08 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
01:29:30 Chair Ehli  
01:29:43 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
01:30:06 Chair Ehli  
01:30:23 Lois Steinbeck  
01:31:00 Chair Ehli  
01:31:05 Lois Steinbeck  
01:31:29 Sen. Caferro returned.  
01:31:40 Rep. Burnett left.  
01:35:19 Rep. Burnett returned.  
01:35:21 Sen. Caferro left.  
01:37:47 Chair Ehli  
01:37:53 Rep. Burnett  
01:38:58 Chair Ehli  
01:40:19 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
01:42:13 Chair Ehli  
01:42:20 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
01:44:07 Chair Ehli  
01:44:09 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
01:45:18 Chair Ehli

01:45:27 Recess  
02:07:16 Reconvened

**EXHIBIT(jhh12a08)**

**Discussion:**

02:07:22 Sen. Caferro returned.  
02:07:40 Chair Ehli  
02:08:27 Richard Opper, DPHHS  
02:09:02 Rep. Burnett  
02:10:43 Richard Opper, DPHHS  
02:10:59 Rep. Noonan  
02:11:12 Chair Ehli  
02:11:27 Rep. Burnett  
02:11:49 Chair Ehli  
02:12:18 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
02:17:54 Chair Ehli  
02:18:37 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
02:19:20 Sen. Webb  
02:19:31 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
02:20:04 Chair Ehli  
02:20:20 Sen. Webb  
02:20:26 Chair Ehli  
02:20:43 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
02:21:07 Chair Ehli  
02:21:12 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
02:22:13 Chair Ehli  
02:22:31 Lois Steinbeck, LFD  
02:23:53 Chair Ehli  
02:23:59 Richard Opper, DPHHS  
02:24:15 Chair Ehli

**ADJOURNMENT**

Adjournment: 02:25:04

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Additional Documents:

**EXHIBIT([jhh12aad.pdf](#))**