



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
REPRESENTATIVE MARK J. ROMANCHUK  
HOUSE DISTRICT 2

**House Finance Subcommittee on Health and Human Services**

**March 21, 2017 – Minutes**

*Statehouse Room 313*

Chair Romanchuk called the meeting of the Finance Subcommittee on Health and Human Services to order at 9:11 a.m. A quorum was present. The minutes from the previous meeting were read and approved without objection.

The Chair called House Bill 49 for its 12th hearing.

Miranda Motter, President and CEO, Ohio Association of Health Plans gave testimony and introduced panel.

Bruce Hill, President and CEO of Buckeye Health Plan, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Anthony Evans, Senior Vice President of Integrated Care for Care Source, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Tony Solem, CEO of Aetna Better Health of Ohio, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Holly Saelens, Vice President of Molina Healthcare of Ohio, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Jeff Martin, Vice President of Operations for Paramount Healthcare, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Tracy Davidson, CEO for United Healthcare Community of Ohio, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Kathleene Cormute, member of MyCare, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Rochelle Robinson, member of MyCare, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Allan Clapp, member of MyCare, gave testimony to the committee.

Steven Wermuth, Network Manager for the Ohio Aging Services Network, provided proponent testimony.

Elizabeth Newman, President and CEO for the Centers for Families and Children, gave testimony and answered question from the committee.

David Parker, Vice President and General Manager of the Central Division for HCR ManorCare, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Jill Herron, Welcome Nursing Home Administrator, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Dr. Benjamin McDonald, Neonatologist with the Pediatrix Medical Group, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Pastor Eugene Norris gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Denise Driehaus, Chair of the Hamilton County Heroin Coalition, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Pam Johnson, Director of the Recovery Council, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Dustin McKee from NAMI Ohio gave testimony.

Susan Geary, Parent advocate for NAMI Ohio, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Gayle Channing Tenenbaum, Medicaid Consultant with the Center for Community Solutions, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Mark Butler gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Raphael Weston, Advocate for the Youth Empowerment Council, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Elisha Cangelosi, Association Director of Provider Services for Franklin County Children Services, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Tara Britton, Director of Public Policy with the Center for Community Solutions, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Loren Anthes, Public Policy Fellow with the Center for Community Solutions, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Cheri Walter, CEO of the Ohio Association of County Behavioral Health Authorities, gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

Representative LaTourette took over the Chair at 2:44 p.m.

Hubert Wirtz, CEO of the Ohio Council of Behavioral Health and Family Services Providers gave testimony and answered questions from the committee.

The Chair made members aware that written testimony had been submitted for their review.

With no further business, the subcommittee adjourned at 3:06 p.m.

---

Chairman

---

Secretary