

**OHIO SENATE**  
**Committee on Health Minutes**  
**May 6, 2021**  
**134th General Assembly**

The Senate Committee on Health was called to order pursuant to the meeting notice at approximately 9:00 am in the North Hearing Room.

Attendance was taken and a quorum was present.

The meeting minutes of the May 5th meeting were reviewed and approved.

The Chairman called up H.B. 110 for an informal hearing.

The following testimony was provided:

Fred Strahorn, Ohio Healthy Homes Network

Chris Murray, The Academy of Senior Health Sciences, Inc.

Teresa Lampl, The Ohio Council of Behavioral Health Providers

Mark Mecum, Ohio Children's Alliance

Eric Morse, Centers for Families and Children

Dr. Shane Foster, Ohio Optometric Association

Lora Miller, Ohio Council of Retail Merchants

Dr. Amy Burkett, American College of OB/GYNs, Ohio Section (ACOG Ohio)

Kerstin Sjoberg, Disability Rights Ohio

Lamont Mackley, Shoes and Clothes for Kids

Vivian Koob, Elizabeth's New Life Center

Allie Frazier, Ohio Right to Life

Joe Mazzola, Association of Ohio Health Commissioners

Barry Goldberg, NOBLE

Gail Long, NOBLE

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Larry Rodriguez, NOBLE

Phyllis Felix, NOBLE

Diane Howard, NOBLE

Carly Salamone, Hospital Council of Northwest Ohio - Northwest Ohio Pathways HUB

Michelle Edison, Mahoning Valley Pathways HUB

Tanikka C. Price, Central Ohio Pathways Hub

Kurt Miller, Empowering People Inc.

Randi Clites, Ohio Bleeding Disorders Council

Micaela Deming, The Ohio Domestic Violence Network

Austin Hill, The Refuge

Joel B. Day, Mayor, Panel - New Philadelphia City Health District

Nichole Bache, Panel - New Philadelphia City Health District

Vickie Ionno, Panel - New Philadelphia City Health District

Attorney Marvin T. Fete, Panel - New Philadelphia City Health District

Libby Nicholson, Care House

Jack Amrhein, Kent City Health Department

Diane Beastron, Koinonia

Timothy D. Neville, Echoing Hills Village, Inc.

Barbara Riley, Ohio Aging Advocacy Coalition

Kim Russell, Brookside Extended Care  
Dr. Bill Cotton, Ohio Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics  
Dustin McKee, Make-a-Day Foundation  
Jeffrey Johnson, Weaver Industries, Inc.  
Kathy Scanlon, Pregnancy Decision Health Centers  
Jermaine Ferguson, Children's Defense Fund - Ohio  
Sheena Potts, Self

Written Only Testimony was provided by the following:

Shyam Suchak - Anne Grady Services  
Paul Soprano - United Cerebral Palsy Association (UCP) of Greater Cleveland, Inc.  
Justin Gall - Mount Aloysius Corp.  
Roy Cherry - The Epilepsy Center of Northwest Ohio  
Steve King - Anne Grady Services  
Robert Weinhardt - Renaissance House, Inc.  
Fran Nichols - Anne Grady Services  
Amanda Collins - Anne Grady Services  
Laura LaGodney - Ability Works, Inc.  
Dawn Brooks - Clear Skies Ahead LLC  
Beth Canfield - SimbroSelf  
Melanie A. Kasten-Krause - The Society for Handicapped Citizens d.b.a The Society  
Sarah Mills & Dameta Wright - Health Care Access Now (HCAN)  
Christine L. Hill - Ashtabula City Health Department  
Ashley A. Brocious - RT Industries, Inc.  
Randall M. Flint - Alliance City Health Department  
Sheriff Orvis L. Campbell - Tuscarawas County Sheriff's Office  
Joan C. Seidel - Kent City Health Department  
Penny Teifke - Anne Grady Services  
Terri Argent - Massillon City Health Department  
Terry Russell - National Alliance on Mental Illness - Ohio (NAMI Ohio)  
Donna Merrill - Horizons of Tusc. and Carroll Co., Inc.  
Jim Steffey - Envision  
Alan Andreani - City of Alliance  
Tim Johnson - Ohio Poverty Law Center  
Kathryn Shelley - The Ability Center of Greater Toledo  
Dana Fischio - New Philadelphia City Health District  
Lee Carl Finley - New Philadelphia City Health District  
Tom Weaver - Choices In Community Living  
Sandra Black - Self  
Bob Gaston - ARC Industries, Inc.  
Claudia Amrhein - Portage Area Regional Transportation Authority  
Shannon Sweeney - Ohio Dental Hygienists' Association  
Jordan Ballinger - Ohio Home and Community-Based Services Coalition  
Susan Koller - Self  
Leslie M. Shaffer - Alliance City Health Department and University of Mount Union  
Kristen Henry - Advocacy & Protective Services, Inc. (APSI)  
Judy Sicilia - Salem City Health District  
Patricia Tucker - Alliance Board of Health  
Michelle Madden - Self  
Joan Englund - Mental Health & Addiction Advocacy Coalition  
Rob Gress - Alliance City School District

Bryan Hannon - American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network  
Jim Mullen - United Way of Summit and Medina  
Suzanne Tierney - Lupus Foundation of America, Greater Ohio Chapter  
Malcolm J. Costa - Community Action Akron Summit  
Aimee H. Budnik - Community Action Akron Summit  
Lisa Gray - Ohio Excels  
Peggy Zink - Cincinnati Works  
Jennifer Frey - Every Child Succeeds  
Judge Nanette DeGarmo Von Allman - New Philadelphia Municipal Court  
Roger Fortener - Anne Grady Services  
Danielle Stewart - Anne Grady Services  
Janelle Wehrman - Mercer Residential Services  
Rodney Reasonover - Stark County Community Action Agency  
Lisa Henderson - Dayton Regional Pathways HUB

The committee adjourned at approximately 1:45 pm.

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Stephen A. Huffman, Chair