

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

The Senate Committee on Health was called to order pursuant to the meeting notice at approximately 9:31 am in the North Hearing Room.

Attendance was taken and quorum was present.

The Chairman asked the committee to review the minutes from the September 29, 2021 meeting. The minutes were reviewed and accepted.

The Chairman called up S.B. 191 for its first hearing.

The following testimony was provided:

Sen. Niraj Antani, Ohio Senate - Sponsor (Written Testimony Provided)

The Chairman called up Sub. H.B. 281 for its first hearing.

The following testimony was provided:

Reps. Dontavius Jarrells and Tom Young, Ohio House of Representatives - Sponsor (Written Testimony Provided)

The Chairman called up H.B. 41 for its second hearing.

The following testimony was provided:

Geoff Collver, The Ohio Council of Behavioral Health Providers - Proponent (Written Testimony Only)

Brian Evans, DO, Ohio Psychiatric Physicians Association - Proponent (Written Testimony Only)

The Chairman called up S.B. 204 for its third hearing.

The following testimony was provided:

Richard Yep, American Counseling Association - Proponent (Written Testimony Only)

Brian Carnahan, Ohio Counselor, Social Worker & Marriage and Family Therapist Board - Proponent (Written Testimony Only)

Senator Roegner moved that S.B. 204 be favorably reported to the Committee on Rules and Reference. The motion was agreed to by a vote of 6-0.

The Chairman called up Sub. H.B. 37 for its third hearing.

The following testimony was provided:

Cassandra Freeland, Self - Proponent (Written Testimony Provided)

Lisa Boley, Self - Proponent (Written Testimony Provided)

Justin Funkhouser, The Be A Part Of It Foundation - Proponent (Written Testimony Provided)

Mirna Funkhouser, The Be A Part Of It Foundation - Proponent (Written Testimony Provided)

Mindi Patterson, Self - Proponent (Written Testimony Only)

The committee adjourned at approximately 10:20 am.

Stephen A. Huffman, Chair