Barriers to Accessing Care Workgroup: AGENDA

Friday, September 11, 2015

State Office Building

100 Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd, Saint Paul, MN

Minutes

| **Item** | **Presenter** | **Discussion /Resolution** |
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| Meeting Schedule | Workgroup | * The subgroup agreed it would be helpful to meet the mornings of the full task force given the distance members have to travel. * Committee also agreed to have MDH and DHS provide the information outlined below, followed by discussion and identification of next steps. * The group agreed to meet the next three Fridays from 8-11. |
| Information Gathering | Workgroup | * Committee agreed that they would like to receive additional background information in order to inform their recommendations. * Department of Health offered to bring forth a summary of information they have that identifies barriers. * The committee asked for information that outlines the cost-sharing, premiums and deductibles within current programs, including understanding what it looks like when enrollees move between programs. * The Committee also asked for the demographics and the breakdown of number of individuals are enrolled in each insurance affordability program as well as those who get their insurance through their employer or the commercial market. |
| Subgroup Charter | Workgroup | * The committee agreed to edit the charter to ensure it was clear that the charge included reviewing access to health care coverage, not just health care once they have obtained coverage. |