

# Behavioral Health Innovation and Reform Commission

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November 19<sup>th</sup>, 2020

10:00am – 2:45pm

## AGENDA

Meeting Convenes	10:00AM
Opening Remarks (Chairman Tanner)	10:00AM – 10:05AM
<b><u>Subcommittee Overview</u></b>	
Hospital and Short-Term Care Facilities <i>Sub-Chairwoman Dr. Brenda Fitzgerald – Subcommittee Discussion</i> <i>Dr. Dan Salinas and Kristen Cranmer, Children’s Healthcare of Atlanta – The Hospital/Crisis Care Continuum from a Hospitals Perspective</i> <i>Emily Acker, CEO of Hillside – The Hospital/Crisis Care Continuum from a Behavioral Health Treatment Center’s Perspective</i> <i>Sub-Chairwoman Dr. Brenda Fitzgerald – Recommendations</i>	10:05AM – 10:50AM
Workforce and System Development <i>Sub-Chairwoman Gwen Skinner – Workforce and System Development Subcommittee Progress Report</i> <i>Dr. Nicoleta Serban – Health Analytics: From Data to Decision Making</i>	10:50AM – 11:35AM
Involuntary Commitment <i>Sub-Chairman Judge Brian Amero - Subcommittee Discussion</i> <i>Brian Stettin - Recommendations to Improve Inpatient and Outpatient Civil Commitment in Georgia</i>	11:35AM – 12:20PM
Mental Health Courts and Corrections <i>Sub-Chairman Justice Michael Boggs- Overview and Policy Discussion of Subcommittee</i> <i>Angie Gunter, Sr. and Alex Blandford, CSG Justice Center - Research Underway on DCS Specialized MH Caseloads and Potential Policy Areas for Discussion</i>	12:20PM – 1:50PM
Children and Adolescent Behavioral Health <i>Jon Parker Leckerling, JD. Barton Law and Policy Center at Emory Law – Update on Covid- 19, Child Welfare, and Mental Health, Barton Law and Policy Center at Emory Law</i> <i>Dr. Eric Lewkowicz, Medical College of Georgia at Augusta University – Potential Benefits of a Unified Medicaid Formulary</i> <i>Dr. Kalyn Lane, Unison Behavioral Health - Children’s Mental Health in Rural Georgia</i> <i>Sub-Chairwoman Dr. Sarah Vinson – Recommendations</i>	1:50PM – 2:35PM
Closing Remarks (Chairman Tanner)	2:35PM – 2:45PM
Adjourn	2:45PM

**\*Agenda subject to change at the discretion of the Chairman.\***