



**Interim Joint Committee on Health Services
Meeting 5 Agenda
Tuesday, October 20, 2026
1:00 PM ET / 12:00 PM CT
Annex Room 149**



1. Call to Order and Roll Call

2. Approval of Minutes

September 15, 2026 Meeting

3. Update on the Rural Health Transformation Program

Dr. Steven J. Stack, Secretary
Cabinet for Health and Family Services

Tom Walton, Director
Kentucky Rural Health Transformation Program

4. The Kentucky Employee Health Plan – Vendor Contracting and Procurement

Robert Long, Deputy Secretary, General Counsel
Kentucky Personnel Cabinet

Chris Chamness, Commissioner, Department of Employee Insurance
Kentucky Personnel Cabinet

5. Alpha-gal Syndrome (2027 Regular Session Bill Request 427)

Representative Deanna Gordon, House District 81

Sharon Graves, Constituent Living with Alpha-gal Syndrome

6. Prenatal and Postpartum Care for Incarcerated Women (2027 Regular Session Bill Request 425)

Representative Emily Callaway, House District 37

Layal Bou Harfouch, Policy Analyst
Reason Foundation

David L. Morgan, Governmental Affairs Associate
Reason Foundation

Lieutenant Colonel Gene Llaguno
Louisville Metro Department of Corrections

Dr. Martha Knighton, Medical Director
Louisville Metro Department of Corrections

Sarita Schoenbachler, Health Services Administrator
Louisville Metro Department of Corrections

7. Consideration of Referred Administrative Regulations

201 KAR 028:240 Emergency

Occupational Therapy Licensure Compact.

201 KAR 046:035 Proposed

Practice standards, scopes of practice, and ethical standards.

915 KAR 002:050 Proposed

Qualifying Medical Conditions.

8. Adjournment