

# **BUDGET REVIEW SUBCOMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND FAMILY SERVICES**

## **Minutes of the 1st Meeting of the 2024 Interim**

**June 5, 2024**

### **Call to Order and Roll Call**

The 1st meeting of the Budget Review Subcommittee on Health and Family Services was held on June 5, 2024, at 10:30 AM in Room 129 of the Capitol Annex. Senator Donald Douglas, Chair, called the meeting to order, and the secretary called the roll.

### **Present were:**

Members: Senator Donald Douglas Co-Chair; Senators Karen Berg, and Lindsey Tichenor; Representatives Samara Heavrin, Adam Bowling, Josh Bray, Rebecca Raymer, and Sarah Stalker.

Guests: LRC Staff

LRC Staff: Miriam Fordham, Kevin Newton, and Benjamin Thompson.

### **2024-2026 Fiscal Biennium Overview - Cabinet For Health and Family Services**

Dr. Miriam Fordham and Mr. Kevin Newton, Legislative Fiscal Analysts, provided an overview of the Cabinet For Health and Family Services budget for the 2024-2026 Fiscal Biennium.

In response to a question from Senator Berg, Dr. Fordham stated that she would reach out to the Cabinet to determine what percentage of the Department of Medicaid Services budget is associated with administrative costs rather than benefits.

### **Adjournment**

There being no further business before the subcommittee, the meeting was adjourned at 11:00 AM.