



Health and Wellness Council Legislative Workgroup Weekly Touchpoint

Tuesday, January 28 · 9:00 – 9:30am

Time zone: America/New_York

Google Meet joining info

Video call link: <https://meet.google.com/roi-okrw-jrm>

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Members Present:

Lindsay Lotter

Andrew Baker

Esa Davis

Mary Backley

Tara Clemons- Johnson

Teresa Titus-Howard

Members Not Present:

Adeola Alayande

I. Introduction:

Teresa Titus-Howard brought the meeting to order. Roll was taken electronically. A quorum was present.

II. Presentation: Upcoming Legislation

Kate Natafagi, Health Policy Analyst, MDH Cancer and Chronic Disease Bureau presented information about bills currently before the Maryland General Assembly:

- [SB393](#)- Health Insurance - Prescription Drug Formularies and Coverage for Generic Drugs and Biosimilars
- [SB0490](#)- State Boards, Committees, Commissions, Task Forces, and Workgroups - Elimination of Citizenship Requirements and Establishment of Diversity Requirements

III. Workgroup Discussion:

- The workgroup discussed the legislation and decided to take no position on either bill.

Next Meeting: February 4, 2025, 9:00 – 9:30 am