

**TENTATIVE
AGENDA***

**2021 SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON KANSAS MENTAL HEALTH MODERNIZATION
AND REFORM**

December 15 – 16, 2021

Wednesday, December 15
All Day Session
Room 112-N—Statehouse

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- 9:00 a.m. Opening Remarks by Chairperson
- 9:10 a.m. Follow-up Information from November 17, 2021, Meeting
- Iraida Orr, Principal Research Analyst, Kansas Legislative Research Department (KLRD)
- 9:15 a.m. Review of Working Group Report Recommendation Process; Overview of Working Group Report
- Kari Bruffett, Vice-president for Policy, Kansas Health Institute (KHI)
- 9:30 a.m. Review of Services and Workforce Working Group Report Recommendations
- Services and Workforce Working Group Co-chairpersons: Will Warnes, Sunflower State Health Plan; Shane Hudson, CKF Addiction Treatment; and Charles Bartlett, Kansas Department for Aging and Disability Services (KDADS)
- 10:10 a.m. Review of System Capacity and Transformation Working Group Report Recommendations
- System Capacity and Transformation Working Group Co-chairpersons: Kyle Kessler, Association of Community Mental Health Centers of Kansas; Laura Brake, KDADS
- 10:50 a.m. Review of Telehealth Working Group Report Recommendations
- Hina Shah, Senior Analyst, KHI
 - Telehealth Working Group Co-chairpersons: Sunee Mickle, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Kansas, and Dr. Shawna Wright, University of Kansas Center for Telemedicine and Telehealth
- 12:00 p.m. Break – Working Lunch

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- 12:30 p.m. Roundtable Discussion on Key Recommendations from 2020 Special Committee Report and Proposed 2021 Report Recommendations
- 1:30 p.m. Special Committee Review of Working Group Report Recommendations
- Iraida Orr, Principal Research Analyst, and Melissa Renick, Assistant Director for Research, KLRD
 - Services and Workforce Working Group Recommendations
 - System Capacity and Transformation Working Group Recommendations
 - Telehealth Working Group Recommendations
- 2:30 p.m. Recommendations by Special Committee on Working Group Report; Discussion and Special Committee Recommendations for Committee Report to the 2022 Legislature
- 3:30 p.m. Adjourn

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- 9:00 a.m. Welcome
- 9:05 a.m. Continuation of December 15 Topics and Discussions, As Needed
- 12:00 p.m. Adjourn