Medicaid Study in the Crosshairs

One month after the release of PCG’s 143-page cost-benefit study on Utah’s Medicaid expansion, the report is on the agenda for two key meetings this Thursday at the Utah Capitol. Here’s your guide to the week’s second-most-anticipated debate.

Read more here:

Farewell, Judi Hilman

Before Avenue H. Before Obamacare. Before Romneycare. There was

Health Reform 101

Open Enrollment and October 1st are just 105 days away. UHPP’s
Judi Hilman at the helm of UHPP. And after June 28th, she'll be moving on.

Read more here.

**In the Medicaid Trenches**

Throughout the long, hot summer, the dedicated members of the Medicaid expansion subgroups are crafting options for Gov. Herbert. What have they accomplished so far?

Read more here.

**Staff Profile: Carmina Edwards**

The newest member of UHPP’s team collected lots of passport stamps before arriving to our office as our new Operations and Development Manager.

Read more here:

**Update on Medicaid Management Information System Project**

**Health System Reform Task Force**

Thursday, June 20th
Time: 9:00 AM
Location: 30 House Building
(map)

**Agenda**

Senator Allen M. Christensen, Senate Chair
Representative James A. Dunnigan, House Chair
(Calendar Link)

Agenda Hot Spots: Part-time employee hour cutbacks; Medicaid Expansion (PCG report update); HIPUtah Transition

**Medicaid Expansion Subgroup: Charity Care**

Steering Committee:
Thursday, June 20th
Time: 12pm-1:25pm
Location: Olmstead Room, East Senate Building - first floor (map)

**Summer 2013 Subgroup Calendar**

Note: Lunch meeting, bring your own lunch

**Medicaid Expansion Community Options Workgroup**

Date: Thursday June 20 2013
Meet Our Interns

Every summer UHPP depends on the talents of amazing interns and volunteers to advance the cause of health care reform in Utah. This summer is no different, so let’s meet Mark, Rylee, Kiersten, and Nikita - the new faces in the crowd.

Meet them here:

Best Articles We’ve Read This Month

These are the smartest ideas we’ve been reading. It’s as simple as Point, Click, and Learn.

Read more here:

Ask a Navigator

Dear Navigator:
What makes the Affordable Care Act’s ten essential health benefits so essential?

Read the answer here:

Time: 1:30pm-3:30pm
Location: 210 Senate Building, Utah State Capitol (map)
Summer 2013 Subgroup Calendar
Note: Report from Public Consulting Group, and public comments (for talking points, click here).
Pros and Cons of Medicaid Expansion: A Summary of the PCG Report (pdf)

Medicaid Expansion Subgroup: Full Expansion
Steering Committee: Monday, June 24th
Time: 7:30am-9:00am
Location: Voices for Utah Children (747 E South Temple, Salt Lake City, UT 84102)

Summer 2013 Subgroup Calendar

Utahns for Medicaid Expansion (U4ME)
General Meeting:
Wednesday, July 10th
Time: 3:30pm
Location: Catholic Diocese, 27 C Street (Corner of C Street and South Temple)
Salt Lake City, Utah 84103 (map)
Note: Open to all members of the U4ME coalition