

Minutes

Thursday, May 6, 2010

12:00 to 3:00

AUCH

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Topic	Discussion Highlights	Decisions / Next Steps
Introductions		
Celebrate	First, we celebrate! UMP did great work during the legislative session in helping protect and build a better Medicaid program.	
National Reform Status	Quick overview of Medicaid Changes in Reform and what it means for Utah.	
Future of UMP	<p>The Future of UMP: Medicaid is huge. The problems facing the program are many. We cannot do it all. We can, however, do a few things very well...</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Summits: 3-4 summits in 2010 focusing on specific issues facing the Medicaid program (e.g., Medicaid financing, Provider Reimbursement, Optional Benefit Package, Eligibility levels). 2. What should UMP focus on? 	<p>Last month UMP decided to put on three summits in the fall on Medicaid issues (Medicaid and Health Reform; Long-term care and Medicaid; Cost Containment/Revenue Enhancement in Medicaid).</p> <p>The summits will be 90 minutes to two hours. Each seminar will begin with a crash course of Medicaid 101. Try to use the satellite/webcast to reach all areas of the state.</p>
Summits and Nuts and Bolts	<p>Summits: The nuts and bolts</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What do we want the summits to accomplish? 	<p>We want to educate policy leaders and the public about what Medicaid is, who it serves, and the program will be changing due to health reform.</p> <p>The audience of the summits should be broad, but</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2. What is the audience for the summits? 3. Who can help plan each summit? 4. Who should be involved? 	<p>legislators should be a primary target. We will plan specifics at the next meeting in July.</p>
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The Mission of the Utah Medicaid Policy Partnership

Our mission is to help ensure that the Utah Medicaid program provides access to quality, affordable, and comprehensive health care coverage to eligible Utahns