



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

REP. MARY WHITEFORD

CHAIR

COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Wednesday, March 17, 2021

10:30 AM

Room 519, House Office Building

The House Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services was called to order by Chair Whiteford.

The Chair requested attendance be called:

Present: Reps. Whiteford, Green, Allor, Bollin, Glenn, Huizenga, VanWoerkom, Beson, Hammoud, Hood, Tate, Brabec, Thanedar.

Absent: None.

Excused: None.

Representative VanWoerkom moved to adopt the meeting minutes from March 9, 2021. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

Mr. Sudhakar Ramaswamy, Senior Deputy Director for Strategic Integration Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, presented on the FY 2021-22 Executive Budget Recommendation for the Strategic Integration Administration.

Mr. Ramaswamy and Ms. Farah Hanley, Senior Deputy Director for Financial Operations Administration, received and answered questions from the Subcommittee.

The department agreed to provide the following additional information to the Subcommittee:

1. The amount of funding for IT-related contracts through the Michigan Public Health Institute
2. The planned number of user types for the Comprehensive Child Welfare Information System statewide users
3. Additional billing systems that need to be transferred over to the Michigan Medicaid Information System (also known as CHAMPS).
4. A comprehensive list of IT projects that exceeded planned budget
5. Current and planned spending on the top five department IT programs

There being no further business before the Subcommittee, Rep. Mary Whiteford adjourned the meeting at 10:57 AM.

Representative Mary Whiteford, Chair

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