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Senate Budget & Fiscal Review

**OUTCOMES: Senate Subcommittee #3 on Health & Human Services
Agenda - Part 2
Thursday, May 24 (Room 112)**

VOTE ONLY CALENDAR

A. 4440 Department of Mental Health

1. Community Treatment Facilities

- Action – Approve Administration’s proposal.
- Vote – 3-0

2. Reappropriation Metropolitan New Main Kitchen Project

- Action – Approve Administration’s proposal.
- Vote – 3-0

B. 0977 California Health Facilities Financing Authority

1. Funding for Competitive Grant Program for New Methods of Health Care Delivery

- Action – Approve staff recommendation.
- Vote – 2-1 (Senator Emmerson voting no.)

C. 4260 Department of Health Care Services

1. Eliminate Sunset Date for Specialty Provider Contracting

- Action – Reject Administration’s proposal.
- Vote – 3-0

2. Adjustments to Gross Premium Tax
 - Action – Approve Administration’s proposal.
 - Vote – 2-1 (Senator Emmerson voting no.)
3. Technical Changes to Implement AB 396 – Medi-Cal Juvenile State Inmate Program
 - Action – Reject Administration’s proposal.
 - Vote – 3-0

ISSUES FOR DISCUSSION

A. 4440 Department of Mental Health, Community Mental Health

1. Realignment - Medi-Cal Specialty Mental Health and EPSDT
 - Held open
2. Transfer of State Administration of Medi-Cal Specialty Mental Health
 - Held open
3. Transfer of Non Medi-Cal Community Mental Health Programs
 - Action – Approve staff recommendation.
 - Vote – 2-0 (Senator Emmerson not voting.)
4. Proposition 63 – Mental Health Services Act
 - Action – Approve staff recommendation.
 - Vote – 2-0 (Senator Emmerson not voting.)
5. Patients’ Rights Office
 - Action – Approve staff recommendation.
 - Vote – 2-1 (Senator Emmerson voting no.)
6. Elimination of Remaining Department of Mental Health Statutes
 - Action – Approve staff recommendation.
 - Vote – 3-0

B. 4140 Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development

1. Mental Health Services Act Workforce Education and Training Fund
 - Action – Approve Administration’s proposal.
 - Vote – 3-0

C. 4265 Department of Public Health

1. Mental Health Services Act – California Reducing Disparities Project
 - Action – Approve Administration’s proposal.
 - Vote – 2-1 (Senator Emmerson voting no.)
2. Office of Health Equity
 - Action – Approve staff recommendation.
 - Vote – 2-1 (Senator Emmerson voting no.)
 - Per Senator Alquist's request received commitment from the department to provide an update on the Licensing and Certification Program's efforts to improve its enforcement of state and federal law regarding health facilities and the activities of the Office of Health Equity in six months.
3. April Letter – Special Fund Efficiency – Drinking Water Certification Program
 - Action – Reject Administration's proposal.
 - Vote – 2-1 (Senator Emmerson voting no.)

D. 4260 Department of Health Care Services

1. Cash Flow Loan for the County Medical Services Program
 - Action – Approve Administration’s proposal.
 - Vote – 3-0

2. Children Services Program/Medical Therapy Program Financial Test
 - Action – Approve staff recommendation and the addition of budget bill language to reflect that federal funding be used for related services pursuant to the IDEA.
 - Vote – 2-0 (Senator Emmerson not voting.)
3. Value Based Purchasing
 - Action – Approve staff recommendation.
 - Vote – 3-0
4. Eliminate Sunset Date for Nursing Home Quality Assurance Fee
 - Action – Approve staff recommendation.
 - Vote – 3-0
5. Nursing Home Rate Reduction
 - Held open
6. Public Hospitals and Low Income Health Programs
 - Action – Approve staff recommendation.
 - Vote – 3-0
7. Hospital Quality Assurance Fee Background & Technical Adjustment
 - Action – Approve Administration’s proposal.
 - Vote – 3-0
8. Hospital Quality Assurance Fee Positions
 - Action – Approve Administration’s proposal.
 - Vote – 3-0
9. May Revision – Hospital Solutions Summary and Background
 - Information item
10. Non-Designated Public Hospitals – Change Reimbursement Methodology
 - Held open
11. Designated Public Hospitals – Unexpended Public Hospital Waiver Funds
 - Held open
12. Redirect Hospital Fee Revenue
 - Held open