



## **West Virginia Senate**

### **Committee on Health and Human Resources**

**Minutes for March 06, 2025, 1:00 PM**

Pursuant to the call of the Chair, the Senate Committee on Health and Human Resources met on March 06, 2025, 1:00 PM in Room 451-M.

Members present: Senators Chapman, Deeds, Azinger, Bartlett, Grady, Maynard, Roberts, Rose, Rucker, Takubo, Taylor

Members absent: Senators Martin, Queen, Willis, Garcia

A silent roll call being taken, the presence of a quorum was established.

On motion of Senator Deeds, the minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

Senator Chapman recognized Cindy Dellinger, Counsel, Senate Health and Human Resources, who explained Senate Bill 710 and the committee substitute.

With leave of Committee, Senator Chapman recognized Dr. Daniel Joseph and administered the oath pursuant to Senate Rule 28a. Dr. Joseph delivered a presentation to the Committee and answered questions.

The language of the committee substitute was agreed to. Senator Deeds moved that the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill 710 be reported to the full Senate with recommendation that it do pass, but under the original double committee reference, first be referred to the Committee on Finance. The motion carried.

Senator Chapman recognized Jenna Fonner, Counsel, Senate Health and Human Resources, who explained Senate Bill 606 and the committee substitute.

With leave of Committee, Senator Chapman recognized David Frercks and administered the oath pursuant to Senate Rule 28a. Mr. Frercks answered questions from the Committee.

The language of the committee substitute was agreed to. Senator Deeds moved that the Committee Substitute for Senate Bill 606 be reported to the full Senate with recommendation that it do pass, but under the original double committee reference, first be referred to the Committee on The Judiciary. The motion carried.

On Motion of Senator Deeds the committee adjourned.



Laura Wakim Chapman

Chair



John T. Giovengo

Committee Clerk

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Testimony taken this 10<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2025, in  
the Senate Committee on Health + Human Resources

"I solemnly swear (or affirm) that the testimony I shall give shall be  
the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, so help me  
God."

Daniel I Joseph

Print Witness Name

Daniel I Joseph

Sign Witness Name

Oath was administered by:

Laura Chapman

Print Member Name

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Sign Member Name

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Testimony taken this 16<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2025, in  
the Senate Committee on Health + Human Resources.

"I solemnly swear (or affirm) that the testimony I shall give shall be  
the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth, so help me  
God."

David M. Fercks

Print Witness Name

D. H. Lane

Sign Witness Name

Oath was administered by:

Laura Chapman

Print Member Name

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