

HEALTH ACCESS STUDY GROUP
Wednesday October 28, 2009
9:00-1:00 p.m.
North Carolina Institute of Medicine
630 Davis Drive, Suite 100
Morrisville, NC 27560

9:00-9:15

Welcome and Introductions

The Honorable Hugh Holliman
Representative
NC House of Representatives
Co-Chair

The Honorable Tony E. Rand, JD
Senator
North Carolina Senate
Co-Chair

L. Allen Dobson, MD, FAAP
Vice President
Clinical Practice Development
Carolinas HealthCare System
Co-Chair

9:15-9:45

Update on the Uninsured

Mark Holmes, PhD
Vice President
North Carolina Institute of Medicine

9:45 – 11:00

Update on Access to Study Group Recommendations (2009)

Pam Silberman, JD, DrPH
President & CEO
North Carolina Institute of Medicine

Invited comments from:

Carolyn McClanahan, Chief, Medical Eligibility Unit, Division of
Medical Assistance (enrollment simplification, CHIPRA outreach,
NC Pediatric Society outreach grant)

Michael Keough, Director, Inclusive Health (federal grant to provide
subsidies for the high risk pool)

Jean Holliday, CPM, HIA, Regulatory Project Manager, Life &
Health Division, NC Department of Insurance

Tom Wroth, MD, Medical Director, Piedmont Health Services
(federal funding for FQHC)
Thomas Bacon, DrPH, Associate Dean and Director, Area Health
Education Centers program (Expansion of UNC medical school,
changes in health professional workforce, HIT regional extenders)
Allen Dobson, MD, Co-Chair (646 waiver, NC Healthcare Quality
Alliance)
Steve Cline, DDS, MPH, Deputy State Health Director (HIT)

11:00 – 11:45

Cost estimates for the Study Group's 2009 recommendations

Robert Butler
Senior Consultant

Ed Fischer, MBA
Principal

Mercer Government Human Resources Consulting

Will provide cost estimates for: Medicaid buy-in for disabled children
up to 300% FPG; expansion for adults with limited benefit package
up to 200% FPG; interconception care; insurance subsidy for small
businesses

11:45-12:30

National Health Reform Update

Pam Silberman, JD, DrPH

12:30 – 1:00

Next Steps