Healthy Living/Health Services Subcommittee
Tuesday, November 22, 2011
1:00 p.m.
Senate Room A – General Assembly Building

In attendance:
Delegate Robert H. Brink
Delegate John M. O’Bannon, III
The Honorable William A. Hazel, Jr.
Senator George L. Barker
Senator Ralph S. Northam
Senator Linda T. Puller

Delegate John M. O’Bannon, Subcommittee Co-chair called the meeting to order and recognized Stephen Bowman who provided an overview of the meeting agenda and noted that there were two reports in the member’s notebooks from the Department of Human Resource Management: State Employee Health Insurance Telemedicine Benefit and Early Identification and Preventive Care of Chronic Diseases.

Secretary Hazel updated the members on Virginia’s Health Reform Initiative - the response to House Bill 2434 which addressed four questions concerning health benefits exchange.

Richard J. Bonnie, L.L.B., Chair of the Commission on Mental Health Law Reform and Susan M. Davis, J.D., Assistant Vice President for Student Affairs, University of Virginia provided an overview of the College Mental Health Study Executive Summary and Legislative Recommendations. In addition, Mr. Bonnie presented the final report of the Commission on Mental Health Law Reform. Both topics were originally scheduled to be heard during the Behavioral Health Care Subcommittee meeting in October.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.

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