Behavioral Health Commission Meeting
October 1, 2024 – 2:00 p.m.
Senate Room A (305)
General Assembly Building

Call to order and opening remarks

— Senator Creigh Deeds, Chair

Minimizing assaults on law enforcement & avoidable arrests of individuals in crisis

— Claire Mairead, Ph.D., Policy Analyst, Behavioral Health Commission

Medicaid behavioral health services redesign

— Lisa Jobe-Shields, Ph.D., Behavioral Health Division Director, Department of Medical Assistance Services

Performance of health care workforce programs

— Jennifer Piver-Renna, Ph.D., Deputy Director, Joint Commission on Health Care

Overview of VHWDA behavioral health workforce efforts

— Harrison Hayes, Executive Director, Virginia Health Workforce Development Authority (VHWDA)

Peer perspectives input group

— Christina Kimbrough, Founder, Free Life LLC

Public comments

Closing remarks

— Senator Creigh Deeds

Public streaming link for viewing the meeting and offering public comments

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Next Commission meeting will be on November 12, 2024
Senate Room A, General Assembly Building