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L&H Industry Meeting (Virtual via Zoom)

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1. **Welcome** – Marie Grant, Insurance Commissioner
2. **Federal Updates** – Marie Grant, Insurance Commissioner
3. **2025 L&H Legislative Updates – Impacts to Form Filing** – David Cooney, Associate Commissioner, Life & Health
 - a. [HB 11](#) / [SB 902](#) (Chs. 660 & 661) – Health Insurance - Access to Nonparticipating Providers - Referrals, Additional Assistance, and Coverage – *Effective June 1, 2025 and January 1, 2026*
 - b. [HB 848/SB 474](#) (Chs. 669 & 670) – Health Insurance - Adverse Decisions - Notices, Reporting, and Examinations – *Effective June 1, 2025 and October 1, 2025*
 - c. [HB 820](#) (Ch. 747) – Health Insurance - Utilization Review - Use of Artificial Intelligence – *Effective October 1, 2025*
 - d. [HB 1007](#) (Ch. 394) – Disability and Life Insurance - Medical Information (Genetic Testing Protection Act) – *Effective October 1, 2025*
 - e. [SB 773](#) (Ch. 692) – Health Benefit Plans - Calculation of Cost-Sharing Contribution – Requirements – *Effective January 1, 2026*
 - f. [HB 1243/SB 975](#) (Chs. 729 & 728) – Health Insurance - Coverage for Specialty Drugs – *Effective January 1, 2026*
 - g. [HB 1355/SB 641](#) (Chs. 742 & 743) – Health Insurance - Required Coverage - Hearing Aids – *Effective January 1, 2026*
 - h. [HB 666/SB 60](#) (Chs. 684 & 685) – Maryland Medical Assistance Program and Health Insurance - Required Coverage for Calcium Score Testing – *Effective January 1, 2026*
 - i. [HB 1069](#) (Ch. 396) – Life and Health Insurance Policies and Annuity and Health Maintenance Organization Contracts - Discretionary Clauses - Prohibition - *Effective October 1, 2025*

- j. [HB 102](#) (Ch. 363) - Family and Medical Leave Insurance Program - Revisions - *Effective June 1, 2025*
4. **2025 L&H Legislative Updates – General Bills** – Jamie Sexton, Associate Commissioner, External Affairs and Policy Initiatives
- a. [HB 974](#) (Ch. 745) – Health Insurance - Preventive Services - High Deductible Health Plans and Enforcement Authority – *Effective June 1, 2025*
 - b. [HB 1315](#) (Ch. 738) – Vaccinations by Pharmacists and Health Insurance Coverage for Immunizations – *Effective June 1, 2025*
 - c. [HB 297/SB 5](#) (Chs. 721 & 722) – Maryland Health Benefit Exchange – State-Based Young Adult Health Insurance Subsidies Pilot Program – Sunset Repeal – *Effective July 1, 2025*
 - d. [HB 1351](#) (Ch. 746) – Health Insurance - Provider Panels - Credentialing for Behavioral Health Care Professionals – *Effective October 1, 2025*
 - e. [HB 936](#) (Ch. 744) – Health Insurance - Cancellation and Nonrenewal of Coverage - Required Notice – *Effective January 1, 2026*
 - f. [SB 956](#) (Ch. 740) – Health Insurance - Medicare Supplement Policies - Insurance Producer Commission – *Effective October 1, 2025*
5. **L&H Legislative Workgroups and Commissions** - Riley Williams, Assistant Director, Legislative & Regulatory Policy
- a. [HB 718](#) (Ch. 696) – Maryland Health Insurance Coverage Protection Commission – Established – *Effective June 1, 2025*
 - b. [HB 813](#) (Ch. 730) – Maryland Insurance Administration and Maryland Department of Health - Workgroup to Study Pharmacy Benefits Managers – *Effective June 1, 2025*
 - c. [HB 995/SB 776](#) (Chs. 672 & 671) – Workgroup to Study the Rise in Adverse Decisions in the State Health Care System – Establishment – *Effective June 1, 2025*
 - d. [HB 939/SB 674](#) (Chs. 294 and 293) – Maryland Commission for Women - Maryland Collaborative to Advance Implementation of Coverage of Over-the-Counter Birth Control – *Effective July 1, 2025*
6. **State Subsidy Update** - Brad Boban, Chief Actuary
7. **Cybersecurity Updates** – Solon Webb, Senior Market Conduct Examiner
8. **Impact of Federal Non-Enforcement of 2024 MHPAEA Final Rule** - David Cooney, Associate Commissioner, Life & Health
9. **Bulletin 21-21 Reminder** (Process for Filing Certain Annual Life and Health Reports) - David Cooney, Associate Commissioner, Life & Health

10. Questions and Comments

11. Closing Remarks – Marie Grant, Insurance Commissioner