

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Notice of Committee Meeting

Committee on Health and Welfare

Will meet at: 9:00 am Date: Wednesday, May 30, 2012

Location: Committee Room 5

Remarks:

- SCR 79 MURRAY** **MENTAL HEALTH** To study the effects of the reduction of state funds as related to inpatient behavioral health facilities, including those treating both mental illness and substance abuse, in Orleans, Jefferson, Plaquemines, and St. Bernard parishes and have a preliminary and comprehensive report presented to certain entities.
- SCR 111 HEITMEIER** **HEALTH/HOSPITALS DEPT** Directs the Department of Health and Hospitals to submit a report to the legislature that addresses the issue of raising Louisiana's health ranking as determined by the United Health Foundation's "America's Health Rankings".
- SCR 129 BROWN, TROY (TBA)** **HOMELAND SECURITY** Urges and requests parish offices of homeland security and emergency preparedness to maintain a voluntary registry of at risk persons and persons with special needs who will require assistance during times of evacuation and certain other agencies to annually submit names of such persons who have consented to being included in the registry. (Subject to rule suspension)
- SB 446 PETERSON** **MENTAL HEALTH** Prohibits a primary care provider from discriminating in its offering and providing services to a person based on the person's serious mental illness. (8/1/12)
- SB 758 MILLS** **HOSPITALS** Provides for a healthcare service district within Department of Health and Hospitals' Region IV. (8/1/12)
- SB 766 ALARIO (TBA)** **CHILDREN** Provides for the Pain-Capable Unborn Child Protection Act. (8/1/12) (Subject to rule suspension)

Presentation by representatives of AARP.

Scott M. Simon
CHAIRMAN