

Commission on Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Funding Sub-Committee

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Meeting Minutes

February 27, 2025 10:00 am – 11:00 am Virtual Meeting via Microsoft Teams

Welcome/Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 am by Senator Darryl Rouson, Subcommittee Chair.
Roll call was taken by Aaron Platt.

The following members or designees were in attendance:

Senator Darryl Rouson, Subcommittee Chair Brian Meyer, Subcommittee Co-Chair Jay Reeve, Commission Chair (Governor Appointee) Ann Berner, (Speaker of the House Appointee) Richard Weisberg, (President of the Senate Appointee) Chad Barrett, Subject Matter Expert Mercedes Bosque, Subject Matter Expert Matt Cooper, Subject Matter Expert Lynne Daw, Subject Matter Expert Lynne Daw, Subject Matter Expert Shay Holloway, Subject Matter Expert Natalie Kelly, Subject Matter Expert Nickie Zenn, Subject Matter Expert Carali McLean, Subject Matter Expert Ivan Cosimi, Subject Matter Expert Tara Martinson, Subject Matter Expert

Subcommittee Introductions

Subcommittee Chair Senator Rouson requested that all new subcommittee subject matter experts introduce themselves. New subject matter experts include Chad Barrett (Florida Department of Children and Families), Matt Cooper (Agency for Health Care Administration), Carali McLean (NAMI Florida), Ivan Cosimi (Lee County Human and Veteran Services).

2025 Subcommittee Structure - Chair/Co-Chair/SME Lead Duties

Commission Chair Jay Reeve outlined the subcommittee structure and the duties and responsibilities of the co-chair and subject matter experts. Additionally, Chair Reeve briefly discussed the parameters of Florida's Sunshine Law and its applicability to the Commission and subcommittees. Chair Reeve informed the subcommittee that the Commission's final report is due to the Legislature in September 2026 and the final draft should be prepared during the Spring of 2026.

Subcommittee Goals and Objectives

Commission Chair Jay Reeve detailed the goals and objectives of the Funding subcommittee. Chair Reeve explained the differences between the charge of last year's (2024) Finance and Workforce subcommittee versus this year's (2025) Funding Subcommittee.



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Other Issues for Discussion

Subcommittee Chair Rouson requested that all subject matter experts forward ideas and suggestions for presentations to Aaron Platt by March 7, 2025.

Public Comment

No Public Comment

Closing Remarks

Subcommittee Chair Rouson provided closing remarks and a brief statement was provided by Commission Chair Reeve.

Meeting adjourned at approximately 10:30 am.