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AGENDA January 21, 2014 – 1:00 PM Legislative Office Building – Room 643

- I. Welcome and Opening Remarks Senator Ralph Hise
- II. Trends in the Supply and Distribution of Optometrist in North Carolina
 Erin Fraher, PhD, MPP, Director, Program on Health Workforce Research and Policy,
 Cecil G. Sheps Center for Health Services Research, Assistant Professor, Depts. Of Family Medicine
 and Surgery, University of North Carolina Chapel Hill
- III. Comments on the Future of Optometry Dr. Steve Eyler, O.D. Dr. Hall Herring, O.D.
- IV. Trends in the Supply and Distribution of Health Care Providers in North Carolina

 Erin Fraher, PhD, MPP, Director, Program on Health Workforce Research and Policy,
 Cecil G. Sheps Center for Health Services Research, Assistant Professor, Depts. Of Family Medicine
 and Surgery, University of North Carolina Chapel Hill
- V. State Health Plan and Senate Bill 561

 David Vanderweide, Fiscal Research Division
- VI. Outcomes, Access, and Cost: The Chiropractic Answer

 Dr. Joe Siragusa, Doctor of Chiropractic, Executive Director, NC Chiropractic Association

 Dr. Joel M. Stevans, Doctor of Chiropractic, PhD(c) University of Pittsburg

Dr. Eugene A. Lewis, Doctor of Chiropractic, MPH

- Dr. Shawn Phelan, Doctor of Chiropractic, Principal Investigator Chiropractic Study
- VII. Health Plan Coverage of Chiropractic Care

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Dr. Brian Caveney, Vice President and Medical Director, Blue Cross and Blue Shield of North Carolina

- VIII. Healthcare Transparency: Obstacles and Opportunities

 Dr. Tom White, President-Elect, North Carolina Academy of Family Physicians
 - IX. Fee Transparency in Primary Health Care and the Impact on Health Insurance Industry Harry Kaplan, NC Association of Health Plans
 - X. Committee Discussion