

## Medicaid Services Advisory Committee

### Summary

The Medicaid Services Advisory Committee is a federally mandated committee designed to provide guidance to the state Medicaid agency on specific policies, initiatives, and proposed program changes that help to improve and maintain the quality of Minnesota's Medicaid program. The committee must include Medicaid beneficiaries, consumer/non-profit/health and human services organizations and physicians and other health care providers.

### Committee membership

#### Medicaid beneficiaries or caregivers of beneficiaries

Seat	Name	Term Start	Term End
1	Robert Marcum	8/30/2018	8/30/2020
2	George Klauser, Executive Director Community Services, LSS/Altair	10/2/2019	9/30/2021
3	Kate Quale	10/2/2019	9/30/2021
4	Bradford Teslow	10/2/2019	9/30/2021

#### Consumer, non-profit or human services organizations familiar with the health care needs of Medicaid beneficiaries

Seat	Name	Term Start	Term End
1	Hodan Guled, MPH, Chief Executive Officer, Briva Health	8/30/2018	8/30/2020
2	Kerri Gordon, Director of Public Policy and Government Affairs, Allina Health	8/30/2018	8/30/2020
3	Dominic McQuerry, Policy Analyst, Amherst H. Wilder Foundation	5/29/2019	5/29/2021
4	Elizabeth McMullen, VP Government Affairs, Alzheimers Association	10/2/2019	9/30/2021
5	Samuel Moose, Director of the Human Services Division, Fond du Lac Band of Lake Superior Chippewa	10/2/2019	9/30/2021

#### Physician or provider organizations familiar with the health care needs of Medicaid beneficiaries

Seat	Name	Term Start	Term End
1	Dr. Christine Foulkes, Dentist, Apple Tree Dental	8/30/2018	8/30/2020
2	Shannon Bakshian, Planned Parenthood Clinical Director	8/30/2018	8/30/2020
3	Dr. Jean Balestrery, PHD, MA, MSW, Clinical Therapist	10/2/2019	9/30/2021
4	Dr. Micah Niermann, Chief Medical Officer & VP of Clinical Affairs, Gillette Childrens	10/2/2019	9/30/2021
5	Lynette Tahtinen, Business Manager, Bois Forte HHS	10/2/2019	9/30/2021