

Government Affairs Committee Meeting Thursday, March 20, 2025 • 9:00 am – 10:00 am

Agenda

I. Welcome/Introductions

Rob Labatch, Government Affairs Committee Chair
Jack Phillips, Director, Government Affairs

II. 2024/25 Legislative Session

Jack Phillips, Director, Government Affairs

1. [RCPA Legislative Priorities](#) Brochure/Talking Points — Updated With Federal Issues (Medicaid) and Modified Priorities

III. State Budget

- A. Managed Care Capitation
- B. Proposed New Revenue
 1. Legalization of Marijuana
 - a. RCPA SUD Provider Survey
 2. Skilled Games of Chance
- C. RCPA Budget Meetings With Leadership and Appropriation Staffers
- D. Overview of DHS Budget Hearings
 1. House Appropriations DHS Budget Hearing — Tuesday, March 4
 2. Senate Appropriations DHS Budget Hearing — Wednesday, March 5
- E. 1115 Waiver
- F. Emergency Waitlist

IV. Staff Updates

Jim Sharp, COO and Director, Mental Health, BH Division
Jason Snyder, Director, SUD Treatment Services, BH Division
Tim Sohosky, Director, IDD Division
Fady Sahhar, Director, PD&A Division

V. Capitol Day — Preview

- A. Press Conference: March 26, 10:00 am – 11:00 am, Main Rotunda
- B. Speakers: Reps. Heffley & Hohenstein, Sens. Brooks & Kearney
- C. Register by [Contacting Christine Tartaglione](#)

VI. RCPA PAC (Rob Labatch) — [Website](#) to Make Donations to the RCPA PAC

VII. Open Forum — Additional Member Topics/Issues/Concerns

VIII. Adjournment

Next Meeting: Thursday, April 17, 9:00 am – 10:00 am, via Webcast