

*Virtual Meeting  
(in lieu of meeting at the 2021 Fall National Meeting)*

**HEALTH ACTUARIAL (B) TASK FORCE**

Monday, November 29, 2021

**Meeting Summary Report**

The Health Actuarial (B) Task Force met Nov. 29, 2021. During this meeting, the Task Force:

1. Adopted its Sept. 14 minutes, which included the following action:
  - A. Adopted its April 23 and April 6 minutes, and the May 17 and March 29 minutes of the Long-Term Care Actuarial (B) Working Group, which included the following action:
    - i. Exposed a proposal to revise the instructions for the health Statement of Actuarial Opinion (SAO) for a public comment period ending May 7.
    - ii. Discussed a long-term care insurance (LTCI) data call.
    - iii. Heard a presentation from the Society of Actuaries (SOA) on COVID-19 impacts on LTCI.
  - B. Adopted a motion to disband the Health Care Reform Actuarial (B) Working Group and the State Rate Review (B) Subgroup.
  - C. Adopted its 2022 proposed charges.
  - D. Discussed its proposal to revise instructions for the Health Annual Statement SAO.
2. Heard an update from the federal Center for Consumer Information and Insurance Oversight (CCIIO) on a system connection between the System for Electronic Rates & Forms Filing (SERFF) and the Health Insurance Oversight System Unified Rate Review (HIOS URR) module
3. Heard an update on SOA health care trend research.
4. Heard an update from the American Academy of Actuaries (Academy) Health Practice Council.
5. Heard an update from the Academy and the SOA Research Institute on an LTCI mortality and lapse study.
6. Discussed the impact of legislation adding dental, hearing, and vision benefits to Medicare Part B on Medicare supplement plans.
7. Heard an update on short-term, limited-duration insurance (STLDI) plans in Idaho.

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