

**Blue Ribbon Commission on Health Care Costs and Access**  
**Draft Work Plan and Meeting Schedule**

**JUNE 22, 2006; 8:30 am – 5:00 pm; Olympia High School**

Introductions;  
Review draft problem statement, vision statement, and evaluation criteria;  
Facilitate and discuss feedback from stakeholders.

**JULY 27, 2006; 9:00 am - 5:00 pm; Hilton SeaTac Conference Center**

Revise and adopt final problem statement, vision statement, and evaluation criteria;  
Provide additional context for Commission deliberations through reports from other current health related task forces, committees, and studies (i.e. Long-Term Care Task Force, Health Information Infrastructure Advisory Board, CON Task Force, etc);  
Review process for receiving and evaluating proposals; illustrate process using reform measures proposed and/or adopted in other states;  
Provide direction and consider feedback from stakeholders regarding submission and evaluation of proposals.

**AUGUST**

*No August Meeting Scheduled*

**SEPTEMBER 11, 2006; 8:30 am - 5:00 pm; Doubletree Hotel SeaTac Airport**

Initial presentation of proposals (depending on the number submitted, proposals may need to be pre-screened down to a manageable number);  
Ample time for questions from and discussion among Commission Members;  
Public testimony;  
Identify needed follow-up information.

**OCTOBER 3, 2006; 9:00 am - 4:30 pm; Children's Hospital, Wright Auditorium, Seattle**

Follow-up on presentation of proposals, addressing questions and information needs previously identified  
Ample time for additional questions from and discussion among Commission Members  
Public Testimony  
Identify needed follow-up information.

**OCTOBER 27, 2006; 9:00 am - 5:00 pm; Tumwater Valley Lodge, Tumwater, WA**

Work session to select proposals for recommendation.

**NOVEMBER 14, 2006; 1:00 pm - 5:30 pm; John L. O'Brien, HHR A, Olympia**

**NOVEMBER 15, 2006; 8:00 am - 5:00 pm; John L. O'Brien, HHR A, Olympia**

Presentation and review of draft recommendations, including any corresponding legislation.

**NOVEMBER 28, 2006; 8:30 am - 5:00 pm; Sea-Tac Conference Center, Sea-Tac Airport**

Adoption of final report and recommendations

*Revised 11-22-06*