

Blue Ribbon Commission on Health Care Costs & Access



Tuesday, October 3, 2006

9:00 am – 4:30 pm

Wright Auditorium

Children's Hospital and Regional Medical Center

4800 Sand Point Way NE, Seattle

Governor Christine Gregoire, Co-Chair

Senator Pat Thibaudeau, Co-Chair

9:00 am – 9:30 am

Introduction

- Welcome from Thomas Hansen, M.D., CEO, Children's Hospital and Regional Medical Center
- Staff Review of Agenda, Work Plan, and Resource Materials

9:30 am – 11:15 am

Strategy 1: Systems Reform

- A structured discussion among Commission members and invited panelists

11:15 am – 11:30 am

Break

11:30 am – 12:30 pm

Lunch

- "100 Years of Market Distortions" – Greg Scandlen, President & CEO, Consumers for Health Care Choices

12:30 pm – 2:15 pm

Strategy 2: Prevention and Health Promotion

- A structured discussion among Commission members and invited panelists

2:15 pm – 2:30 pm

Break

2:30 pm – 4:15 pm

Strategy 3: Affordable, Meaningful Benefit Designs

- A structured discussion among Commission members and invited panelists

4:15 pm – 4:30 pm

Wrap Up/Next Steps

Staff/Commission Members