



# West Virginia House of Delegates

## Committee on Health Care Regulations

Minutes for March 03, 2025, 3:30 PM

Pursuant to the call of the Chair, the Committee on Health Care Regulations met on March 03, 2025, 3:30 PM, in the House East Wing Committee Room 215-E.

Members present: Delegates Anders, Chiarelli, Clark, Drennan, Jeffries, Lewis, Smith, Vance, Masters.

Members absent: Delegates Amos.

A silent roll call being taken, the presence of a quorum was established.

On motion of Delegate Vance, the minutes of the previous meeting were approved.

Vice Chair Vance moved Com Sub for HB 2172 Relating to adding an athletic trainer to the Board of Physical Therapy. Chair Jeffries recognized counsel to explain the Com Sub for HB 2172. Chair called for questions of counsel. Chair Jeffries called for amendments, there being none. Vice Chair Vance moved Com Sub for HB 2172 be reported to the Standing committee with the recommendation it do pass. Motion carried.

Hearing:

Delegate Vance explained HB 2631 - To require all medical providers to orally explain any and all medical treatments and procedures and all possibilities for potential problems or complications or side effects to patients before proceeding with treatments. Delegate Vance answered questions of the committee. Chair Jeffries recognized and swore in Krista Capehart, Pharmacist, Board of Pharmacy. Ms. Capehart answered questions of the committee regarding counseling. Chair advanced HB 2631 to the mark up.

Delegate Roop explained HB 2789 - Unconscious patients in the ICU (2<sup>nd</sup> REF JUD)

Delegate Roop answered questions of the committee. Chair Jeffries advanced HB 2789 to the mark up.

On Motion of Delegate Vance the committee adjourned.

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Dean Jeffries

Committee Chair

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Martha White

Administrator/Clerk

