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MEETING NOTICE

The fourth meeting of the Commission on Mental Health will be held on October 9, 2007. The meeting will convene at 1:30 P.M. in the Senate Chamber in the State House, 200 W. Washington St., Indianapolis, Indiana.

The meeting will include information on forensic issues including diversion, reentry, and community intervention training (CIT). The Commission will also receive a presentation from Cathy Boggs concerning financing for mental health services. There will be an update on whether facility fees should continue to be paid for outpatient behavioral services that have been carved into Hoosier Healthwise. There will be a presentation by the Sojourner Truth Center in Gary on Kendra's Law and Laura's law concerning outpatient commitment and a comparison by FSSA of the two law's with Indiana law.

The fifth meeting of the Commission will be held on October 30. At that meeting, the Commission will have follow up on questions raised during the presentation from the three managed care organizations (MCO's) at the September 11 meeting, discuss bill drafts, and conduct any other business left from this year.

If you have any questions, please contact Susan Kennell, 317-234-2104.

(The meeting will be broadcast over the Internet for those unable to attend. Please visit <http://mediaserver.ihets.org/senate> to listen to the Webcast.)

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