

Assembly

INFORMATIONAL HEARING

Committee on Mental Health and Substance Abuse Prevention

The committee will hold a public hearing on the following items at the time specified below:

Tuesday, March 28, 2023
10:00 AM
417 North (GAR Hall)

Testimony from invited speakers only, regarding mental health and substance abuse prevention in Wisconsin and issues for legislative consideration

Department of Veterans

Cal Stammer Supervisor, Veteran Outreach and Recovery Program
Joseph Hoey, Assistant Deputy Secretary

Department of Corrections

Dr. Kevin Kallas, Director of Psychiatry in the Division of Adult Institutions
Anna Neal, Legislative Advisor

Wisconsin Psychiatric Association

Dr. Jacqueline Landess, Medical College of Wisconsin
Dr. Michael Peterson, University of Wisconsin, Department of Psychiatry

The Production Farm

Wyatt Kuether, Chief Executive Officer
Katie Heinzen, Director of Behavioral Health
Kayla Hohmann, Chief Operations Officer

Office of Children's Mental Health

Linda Hall, Director

Badger State Sheriffs' Association and Wisconsin Sheriffs and Deputy Sheriffs Association

Sheriff Brett Semingson, Trempealeau County
Sheriff Joel Wener, Pepin County

Wisconsin Counties Association

Chelsea Shanks, Government Affairs Associate
John Tuohy, Executive Director, Wisconsin County Human Services Association

Wisconsin Association of Family & Children's Agencies

Kathy Markeland, Executive Director

National Alliance on Mental Illness

Sita Diehl, MSSW Public Policy & Advocacy Director – NAMI Wisconsin

Department of Public Instruction

Tom McCarthy-Department of Public Instruction, Executive Director, Office of the State superintendent

Louise Wilson-Department of Public Instruction, Consultant - School Nursing and Health Services, Student Services/Prevention and Wellness

Monica Caldwell- Department of Public Instruction, Consultant - School Mental Health, Student Services/Prevention and Wellness

03/22/2023: The Production Farm was added to the list of items to be heard.

03/27/2023: Wisconsin Counties Association was added to the list of items to be heard.

Representative Paul Tittel
Chair