



Agenda: Health Care Workforce & Education Committee

Date: 02/04/2026

Time: 1-3 pm

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Welcome: Dr. Thomas Satre, Committee Chair

- Updates by Members

Updates & Funding Opportunities: MDH/DHS Staff

- Medical Education & Research Cost (MERC)
 - Medical Education Component in Inpatient FFS Rates: Michaelyn Bruer, DHS
 - Current Application/Funding Cycle: Diane Reger, MDH
 - Clinical Training Expenditures: Sarah Grafstrom, MDH
- Site-Based Clinical Training (SBCT): Erik Larson, MDH
- Rural Health Transformation Plan: Zora Radosevich, MDH

Sparks for Discussion: Membership & Zora Radosevich, MDH

- How do organizations build a culture that promotes clinical training - for medicine, but also for other provider types where more staffing is needed?
- Can you share examples of where it's been done well?
- What are the steps an organization can take to build it?

Legislative Update: Membership & Zora Radosevich, MDH

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Other Topics & Next Steps/Meetings:

- Other topics?
- 2026 Meetings
 - May 27, August 5, and November 4
 - Time: 1 – 3 pm

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