

**Joint Subcommittee to Study  
Mental Health Services in the Commonwealth in the  
21<sup>st</sup> Century**

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Tuesday, December 16, 2014, 11:00 am

General Assembly Building, Richmond, Virginia

Senate Room A

- I. Introductions and Opening Remarks
- II. PRESENTATION: Recommendations of the Governor's Taskforce on Improving Mental Health Services and Crisis Response - The Honorable Bill Hazel, Secretary of Health and Human Resources
- III. Public Comment
- IV. Discussion & Vote on Recommendations
- V. Adjourn

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