



Seclusion Working Group

November 5th, 2025, Meeting Minutes

Members Present:

Senator Seeberger, Chair

Senator Coleman

Nicole Woodward

Dave Haveman

Fatima Molas

Melissa Winship

Jessica Heiser

Erin Sandsmark

Kate Hulse

Greta Kjos

Members Excused:

Representative Engen

Representative Sencer-Mura

Heather Halstead

Kim Baker

Jamie Harthan

James Schmidtke

1. Call to Order

Senator Seeberger convened the Working Group at 2:03 PM. A quorum was present.

2. Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes

Senator Coleman moved approval of the previous meeting minutes. The motion was approved by a voice vote.

3. Introduction of New Members

Greta Kjos, Director of Children's Programs for NAMI Minnesota, introduced herself to the Working Group

4. Presentations on School-linked Mental Health Services

Teresa Steinmetz, DHS Assistant Commissioner for the Behavioral Health Administration and Kristy Graume, DHS Director of State Government Relations, testified to the Working Group on DHS's work around school-linked mental health.

Dr. Mark Sander, Hennepin County Director of school Mental Health, presented on the work of Hennepin County for school-based mental health services.

5. Working Group Discussion

The Working Group discussed the presentations and testimony received at the meeting.

6. Adjournment

There being no further business, the Working Group adjourned at 3:24 PM