

**Medicaid Reform Advisory Council  
Minutes  
October 11, 2006**

**Members Present: Senator Don Pederson (Chair), Pam Perry, Kathy Campbell (Vice Chair), Gayle-ann Douglas, Cory Shaw, and Pat Snyder.**

**Members Absent: Senator Phil Erdman, Mary Lee Fitzsimmons, Steve Martin, and Linda Ollis.**

The meeting was convened by Senator Pederson at 10:00 a.m. CT at the Nebraska State Capitol, room 1510, in Lincoln, Nebraska. Senator Pederson called the meeting to order. The agenda for the meeting and the minutes of the September 18, 2006 meeting were approved as presented.

Pam Brown has been appointed by Senator Jim Jensen as a Medicaid recipient representative on the council. Ms. Brown is currently the Executive Director of the Nebraska Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Coalition in Lincoln.

Richard Nelson, Director of HHS Finance and Support, presented the October draft biennial summary and analysis of the Medicaid program for review and discussion by the council, as required by LB 1248 (2006). A complete copy of the draft report is available at [www.hhs.state.ne.us/med/reform](http://www.hhs.state.ne.us/med/reform).

Public comment was provided by Kathy Hoell, of Lincoln, representing the Nebraska State Independent Living Council; and Mary Angus, of Omaha, representing ADAPT of Nebraska.

The meeting was adjourned by Senator Pederson at approximately 11:30 a.m.

Minutes prepared by Health and Human Services Committee staff. Minutes are intended to provide only a general summary of council proceedings. A complete transcript of the meeting is available.