

I. Board of Health essay

1. Strengthen the public health system
2. Encourage healthy behaviors
3. Reduce health disparities
4. Promote healthy and safe environments
5. Increase access to preventive services
6. Increase health care quality and contain costs

II. 2007—Setting the agenda

- SB 5930—Blue ribbon commission
 - Planning for quality
 - Decision aids
 - Quality forum
 - Health records bank
 - Administrative costs
 - Coverage to 25-year-olds
 - Leverage federal funding
 - Prevention & promotion
 - State employee demonstration project
 - Prescription monitoring
 - OFM strategic planning
 - Jail health
 - Reinsurance
- SB 5093—Children’s health
 - Children’s access to coverage
 - Targeted provider increases
 - School goals on advisory committees, nutrition standards, PE
 - Select legislative task force on school health reform
- HB 1088—Children’s mental health
- HB 1569—Health connector
- Environmental health bills (PBDEs, etc.)

III. Planning for the future

- Prevention and Health Promotion—A Five-Year Plan (SBOH #2 & #5)
(summarize August 31 report to Legislature from DSHS HRSA)
- State Purchasing to Improve Health Care Quality (SBOH #6)
(summarize September report to Legislature from HCA)
- Public Health Performance Measures and Core Services (SBOH #1)
(summarize work of 5930 committees and Secretary of Health)
- Eliminating Health Disparities—Developing A State Action Plan (SBOH #3)
(summarize January legislative update of Governor’s Interagency Council)
- PBTs—Lead Chemical Action Plan & Next Steps (SBOH #4)

- NOTE: Additional possibilities not currently included:
 - Mental Health Promotion (SBOH #2)
 - Targeted provider increases report (SBOH #5)
 - Anything from LNI? Ag? Other agencies?
 - OIC report on administrative costs