



STATE OF LOUISIANA
DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATION
OFFICE OF GROUP BENEFITS



OGB ESTIMATING CONFERENCE MEETING MINUTES

Tuesday, May 25, 2021

1:30 PM

**1201 North Third Street,
Louisiana Purchase Room 1-100
Baton Rouge, LA 70802**

- I. Call to Order
 - a. Roll Call


Connie Nelson	Present
Bill Guerra	Present
Chas Nichols	Present
Mei Su	Present
Manfredo Dix	Present
- II. Approval of Minutes from April 2, 2021 meeting
 - a. Motion to approve minutes made by Mr. Chas Nichols and seconded by Ms. Mei Su. Minutes approved unanimously.
- III. Public Comment
 - a. There were no public comments.
- IV. Pharmacy Benefit Manager Status Update
 - a. Colonel David Couvillon provided the history about inception of the 2021 Emergency Contract with MedImpact and how OGB anticipated receiving savings of approximately \$197,000,000. These savings were based on OGB's current formulary and plan design. But MedImpact is taking the position that OGB will not get the savings because, under the terms of the Emergency Contract, OGB does not have a plan design that qualifies for the rebate guarantees. As such, OGB is not expected to realize the amount of savings it expected. This will likely result in future premium increases.
 - b. Colonel Couvillon advised that OGB plans to terminate the Emergency Contract with MedImpact and enter into another emergency contract to continue to provide pharmacy services to plan members.
 - i. Mr. Nichols asked what a qualifying plan design was and what is different from OGB's previous contract with MedImpact.
 1. Colonel Couvillon stated that there is a dollar amount difference and a percentage difference.
 - c. Colonel Couvillon asked for a Motion to forward the information discussed to the OGB Policy and Planning Board.
 - i. Motion to forward the information discussed to the OGB Policy and Planning Board made by Ms. Connie Nelson and seconded by Mr. Nichols. Motion was approved unanimously.

V. New Business

- a. There was no new business.

VI. Adjournment

- a. Motion to adjourn made by Ms. Nelson. Motion was seconded by Mr. Manfredo Dix. Motion was unanimously approved. Meeting adjourned at 2:31 P.M.

Approved by Estimating Conference Committee: _____ 

Date Approved: _____ 