

State of Minnesota

H. F. No. 1491

- 2.1 (8) ~~a midlevel practitioner~~ an advanced practice professional;
- 2.2 (9) a registered nurse or licensed practical nurse;
- 2.3 (10) a licensed health care professional from an occupation not otherwise represented
- 2.4 on the committee;
- 2.5 (11) a representative of an institution of higher education located outside the seven-county
- 2.6 metropolitan area that provides training for rural health care providers; ~~and~~
- 2.7 (12) a member of a Tribal nation;
- 2.8 (13) a representative of a local public health agency or community health board;
- 2.9 (14) a health professional or advocate with experience working with people with mental
- 2.10 illness;
- 2.11 (15) a representative of a community organization that works with individuals
- 2.12 experiencing health disparities;
- 2.13 (16) an individual with expertise in economic development, or an employer working
- 2.14 outside the seven-county metropolitan area; and
- 2.15 ~~(12)~~ (17) three consumers, at least one of whom must be ~~an advocate for persons who~~
- 2.16 ~~are mentally ill or developmentally disabled~~ from a community experiencing health
- 2.17 disparities.

2.18 The commissioner will make recommendations for committee membership. Committee

2.19 members will be appointed by the governor. In making appointments, the governor shall

2.20 ensure that appointments provide geographic balance among those areas of the state outside

2.21 the seven-county metropolitan area. The chair of the committee shall be elected by the

2.22 members. The advisory committee is governed by section 15.059, except that the members

2.23 do not receive per diem compensation.