

Primary Care Investment Workgroup Meeting Summary

February 24, 2026 | 5:00pm – 6:30pm

- Freedman Healthcare, LLC presented revisions to the proposed approach to calculating payer specific investment targets based on prior workgroup feedback, the process for setting payer-specific targets and an example payer target and progression timeline
- A Hilltop representative discussed the draft approach for the Medicaid fee-for-service and Managed Care Organizations primary care investment targets
- Staff shared an update on the 2026 Report, as well as the timeline and proposed next steps for the investment targets
- Health Services Cost Review Commission staff overviewed the AHEAD Total Cost of Care target process and timeline
- MDH staff shared an update on AHEAD PC and the Maryland Primary Care Program

MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE

Count	First Name	Last Name	Organization
1	Salliann	Alborn	Maryland Community Health System
2	Michael	Barr	MEDIS, LLC
3	Jeffrey	Bernstein	Maryland Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics
4	Tyler	Blanchard	Aledade, Inc.
5	Brad	Boban	Maryland Insurance Administration
6	Tinisha	Cheatham	Kaiser Permanente of the Mid-Atlantic
7	Amar	Duggirala	Maryland Academy of Family Physicians / Poolesville Family Practice
8	Danielle	Stroughton Duncan	COLA, Inc.
9	Laura	Goodman	Health Services Cost Review Commission
10	Seiji	Hayashi	CareFirst
11	William	Henderson	Health Services Cost Review Commission
12	Nora	Hoban	Mid-Atlantic Association of Community Health Centers
13	Jill	Marsteller	Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health
14	Chad	Perman	Maryland Primary Care Program / Office of Advanced Primary Care