

Requirements of Senate Bill 776, *Telemedicine Task Force – Maryland Health Care Commission*

The below topics of discussion are aimed at achieving the requirements of Senate Bill 776, [*Telemedicine Task Force – Maryland Health Care Commission*](#) (SB 776) and have been assigned to the Telemedicine Task Force Clinical Advisory Group. Please use these discussion topics to guide the development of recommendations from the advisory group.

Clinical Advisory Group	Finance and Business Model Advisory Group	Technology Solutions and Standards Advisory Group
The role of telemedicine in advance primary care delivery models; innovative service models for diverse care settings	Applications for cost-effective telehealth	Supportive uses of electronic health records and health information exchange
Use cases for evaluation (e.g. stroke, dermatology, emergency services, etc.)	Innovative payment models	Emerging technology and standards for security
Patient engagement, education and outcomes	Public and private grant funding	
Health professional productivity, resources and shortages; underserved population areas	Identify strategies for telehealth deployment to meet any increased demand for health care due to the implementation of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act	

Reporting Timeframes

Legislative Reports	Due Date
Interim report to Governor, Senate Finance Committee, and House Health and Government Operations Committee	January 1, 2014
Final report to Governor, Senate Finance Committee, and House Health and Government Operations Committee	December 1, 2014

Advisory Group Recommendations for 2013 Interim Report	Due Date
Draft report recommendations from each advisory group	September 13, 2013
Final report recommendations from each advisory group	October 18, 2013