Joint Legislative Committee on Aging

1:00 pm, Thursday, April 26th, 20122E.20 (Betty King Committee Room)



Meeting Agenda

I. Call to Order

II. Chair and Member Opening Remarks

III. Invited Testimony

- A. Innovative Transportation Strategies
 - a. Topic 1: Volunteer Based Transport Services
 - i. TAB 1: Katherine Freund, Founder and President of ITN America
 - ii. TAB 2: Jim Hine, CEO and President of Public Policy Solutions

B. The Workforce Serving Aging Texans

- a. Topic 2: Agency Caregiver Initiatives
 - i. TAB 3: Jon Weizenbaum, Deputy Commissioner, Department of Aging and Disability Services
- b. Topic 3: Formal Caregiving Workforce Barriers
 - i. TAB 4: Anita Bradberry *Executive Director, Texas Association for Home Care and Hospice*
- c. Topic 4: Formal Caregiver Workforce Training
 - i. TAB 5: Dr. Cheryl Grenwelge, *Professor and Co-Director* and Eric Roberts, *Doctoral Candidate and Coordinator*, *PATHS: Texas A&M University*
- d. Topic 5: Geriatric Medical Training
 - i. TAB 6: Dr. Carmel Dyer, *Professor and Director, Division of Geriatric and Palliative Medicine at The University of Texas Medical School at Houston*
- IV. Public Testimony
- V. Closing Remarks
- VI. Adjourn