



**State Medicaid Advisory Committee (SMAC)**

Quarterly Meeting  
 Wednesday, April 8, 2026  
 (Hybrid Meeting)  
**1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.**

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**Agenda**

<b>I. Attendance and Quorum Confirmation</b>	<b>Desiree Greene, SMAC &amp; BAC Liaison, AHCCCS</b>
<b>II. Welcome and AHCCCS Update</b>	<b>Roberta Harrison, Interim Director, AHCCCS</b>
<b>III. SMAC Member Spotlight Update</b>	<b>Dr. Aaron Knudson, Internist, Page Hospital</b>
<b>IV. SMAC Voting Session</b>	<b>Vicki Staples, Director of Outpatient Behavioral Health Programs, Valleywise Health</b>
<b>V. Differential Adjusted Payments (DAP) Update</b>	<b>Margaret Hackler DAP Manager, AHCCCS</b>
<b>VI. Upcoming Community Forums Update</b>	<b>Jakenna Lebsock, Deputy Assistant Director, AHCCCS</b>
<b>VII. Rural Health Transformation/H.R.1 Updates</b>	<b>Marcus Johnson, Deputy Director, AHCCCS</b>
<b>VIII. H.R.1 Implementation Update</b>	<b>Josue Macias, Executive Consultant H.R.1, AHCCCS</b>
<b>IV. Call to the public</b>	<b>Roberta Harrison, Interim Director, AHCCCS</b>
<b>V. Adjourn at 3pm</b>	<b>All</b>

### **SMAC Meetings**

Per SMAC Bylaws, meetings are to be held on the first or second Wednesday of January, April, July and October.

All meetings will be held from 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. unless otherwise deemed necessary by the Director.

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