

Independent Review Panel Meeting Minutes

Date	Monday, March 11, 2019
Time	9:30 am
Location	Bienville Building, Room 671-673, 628 North 4 th St., Baton Rouge, LA 70802
Facilitator	Michael Boutte
Note Taker	Deidra Hickman

Attendees:

Michael Boutte: present in person
Kevin Bridwell: present in person
Mark Grippi: present in person
Karl Lirette: present in person
Laurie Jewell: LDH staff, present in person, non-voting
Stacy Guidry: LDH staff, present via telephone, non-voting
Kayla Gourgues: LDH staff, present in person, non-voting
Whitney Martinez: LDH staff, present in person, non-voting
Keith Winfrey: not present

Minutes:

1	Approval of minutes from October 12, 2018 Motion to approve: Mark Grippi Seconded by: Kevin Bridwell
2	Old Business: The Chairman had no old business to discuss.
3	New Business: The panel reviewed updated LDH independent review request forms and their location on the LDH Independent Review webpage.
4	New Business: The panel reviewed 2018 and 2019 independent review data.
5	New Business: The panel reviewed the providers that submitted 10 or more independent reviews and the percentage of those overturned in 2018.
6	New Business: The panel discussed the timeframes for independent reviewers to render their final decision on cases.
7	Adjournment Motion to adjourn: Kevin Bridwell Seconded by: Karl Lirette Chairman declared the meeting adjourned.