

STATE OF VERMONT  
GREEN MOUNTAIN CARE BOARD

In re: Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Vermont ) GMCB-18-14-rr  
Vermont Health Connect Rate Filing )  
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SERFF No. BCVT-129572217 )  
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SCHEDULING ORDER

The Green Mountain Care Board hereby orders in the above-captioned matter:

1. No later than July 15, 2014 at 4:00 p.m. the Office of Health Care Advocate (HCA) shall disclose to Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Vermont (BCBSVT), in connection with expert testimony it intends to offer at hearing:
  - a. Its witness's qualifications as an expert, including disclosure of all publications authored in the last ten years;
  - b. A listing of each instance its expert witness has provided expert opinion or testimony for the past four years, including the forum and date of such opinion or testimony;
  - c. The source and amount of expert compensation for the expert review, opinion, and testimony on the current filing.

No later than August 4, 2014 at 4:00 p.m., the HCA shall further provide:

- d. A copy of the expert opinion, prepared and signed by the witness;
  - e. The facts, opinions, data, and documents relied on as basis for the expert opinion.
2. Hearing in this matter shall be held in Room 11 of the Vermont State House, commencing at 9:00 a.m. on August 12, 2014.
3. The HCA and BCBSVT may submit written questions to the Green Mountain Care Board in connection with the Actuarial Opinion issued in this filing by the Board's contract actuaries, Lewis & Ellis, and posted to the web on August 1, 2014. In its discretion, the Board may choose to provide the HCA and BCBSVT with written responses to such questions prior to hearing. The Board will make Lewis & Ellis available for questioning by the parties at the hearing.
4. The parties shall file post-hearing Memorandum of Law no later than August 20, 2014 at 4:00 p.m.

Dated: July 1, 2014 at Montpelier, Vermont.

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