Agenda: Investor Ownership and Influence in Healthcare Working Group | 11/06/2026

Date: November 6, 2026

Location: Wilder Foundation – 451 Lexington Pkwy N, St. Paul, MN 55104
Amherst H. Wilder Auditorium (Auditorium A)

Teams link: Join Meeting (https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/275714064697817?p=b7tcaps3YqUAKVsXml)

Meeting Objectives

- Review what is currently known about private equity activity and reach in Minnesota's healthcare system.
- Outline the current landscape of physician practices and other outpatient facilities in Minnesota, including trends in consolidation and declines in independent ownership.
- Review the current Minnesota policy landscape relevant to investor ownership and influence in healthcare, including corporate practice of medicine and healthcare transaction oversight laws.
- Identify the range of short- and longer-term policy options for addressing issues and concerns related to investor ownership and influence in Minnesota's healthcare market.

Pre-reads

- Optional:
- NASHP: Targeted Analyses of Private Equity Ownership in Hospitals and Provider Groups (https://nashp.org/targeted-analyses-of-private-equity-ownership-in-hospitals-and-provider-groups/)
- CAHPR: Supporting State Policymakers to Understand Private Equity in Health Care through Data – An Overview of Private Equity Investments in Physician Practices (https://eadn-wc03-8290287.nxedge.io/wp-content/uploads/2026/07/PE_NASHP_Singh-20260416.pdf)

Agenda

9:00 – 9:10	Welcome and introduction
9:10 – 9:20	Working group status update and roadmap
9:20 – 9:50	What We Know, What We Can Track, and Current Oversight of Private Equity in Minnesota *Guest presenter: Center for Advancing Health Policy through Research (CAHPR), Brown University School of Public Health*
9:50 – 10:20	Landscape of Physician Practices and Other Outpatient Facilities in Minnesota
10:20 – 10:30	Break
10:30 – 11:55	State Policy Options to Improve Oversight of Investor Influence in Outpatient Clinics *Guest presenter: CAHPR, Brown University*
11:55 – 12:00	Closing and next steps

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