

Universal Health Care Work Group

Public comments

Public comment played an important role in the efforts of the Universal Health Care Work Group while they met from September 2019 through December 2020. The purpose of the work group was to provide recommendations to the Washington State Legislature on how to create, implement, maintain, and fund a universal health care system.

All work group meetings were public meetings, and members of the public had the opportunity to share their input three ways:

1. Verbal comment during a work group meeting.
2. Written comment through an online survey (administered through Survey Monkey), which was posted on the [Universal Health Care Work Group webpage](#) after each meeting.
3. Written comment through Health Care Authority's (HCA's) [email inbox](#).

Below are links to all public comments received—either verbally or in writing—during, after, and in between work group meetings.

December 9, 2020

- [Watch the public comment shared](#) during the work group meeting
- [View public comments received via survey](#)
- [View additional public comments received via email](#)

October 29, 2020

- [Watch the public comment shared](#) during the work group meeting.
- [View public comments received via survey and email](#)
- [View additional public comments received via email](#)
- [Read letter from Washington State Medical Association](#)
- [Read letter from Washington State Society of Anesthesiologists](#)

October 7, 2020

- [Watch public comment shared](#) during the work group meeting
- [View the public comments received via survey and email](#)

September 16, 2020

- [Watch public comment shared](#) during the work group meeting
- [View the public comments received via survey and email](#)



August 25, 2020

- [Watch public comment shared](#) during the work group meeting
- [View the public comments received via survey and email](#)

June 24, 2020

- [Watch public comment shared](#) during the work group meeting
- [View the public comments received via survey](#)

February 7, 2020

- [Listen to public comment shared](#) during the work group meeting
- [View the public comments received via survey and email](#)

December 9, 2019

- [Watch public comment shared](#) during the work group meeting
- [View the public comments received via survey](#)

September 20, 2019

- [Watch public comment shared](#) during the work group meeting
- [View the public comments received via survey](#)

