

Interim Committee Agenda

Committee: Medical Marijuana Oversight Committee
Meeting: Second Meeting, 2026 Interim South Dakota Legislature
Room: Room 362 - State Capitol, Pierre, South Dakota
Date: Tuesday, October 13, 2026
Time: 10:00 AM CT

Register electronically to testify: <https://sdlegislature.gov/testify/307903>

Representatives Garcia (Chair) and Andera and **Senators** Carley (Vice-Chair) and Nelson and **Non-Legislators** Francine Arneson, Julie Bostic, Kasey Entwisle, Kristi Palmer, Andrew Schock, Jon Thum, and Pat West

10:00 AM	Call to Order Determination of Quorum Approval of the Minutes of the Meeting - August 17, 2026
10:05 AM	Federal Re-Scheduling Discussion <i>Grant Flynn, Attorney General's Office</i>
10:30 AM	Presentation <i>Bertha Madras, Professor of Psychobiology, Department of Psychiatry, Harvard University Medical School</i>
11:00 AM	Presentation <i>Kevin Sabet, Fellow, ISPS, Yale University; President and CEO, Smart Approaches to Marijuana</i>
11:30 AM	Follow-up from the August 17, 2026 Meeting <i>South Dakota Department of Health</i>
12:00 PM	Presentation <i>Jeremy Barthels, Department Chair and Associate Professor, Health Promotions and Associated Clinical Sciences, Northwestern Health Sciences University</i>
12:30 PM	Presentation <i>Kenneth Finn, Editor, Cannabis in Medicine: An Evidence-Based Approach; Board of Directors, International Academy on the Science and Impacts of Cannabis</i>
1:00 PM	Public Comments
1:30 PM	Committee Discussion and Directives
2:00 PM	Adjourn

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