Possible Topics for CSEAC Recommendations Suggested by MNsure Board Members

Board members expressed an interest in the following topics. You are *not* being instructed to make recommendations around all or any of these topics; rather, board members have identified these as topic areas to which they are particularly receptive.

Attracting Off-exchange Consumers – What motivates many Minnesotans to buy individual market coverage in the off-exchange market, and what steps could MNsure take to attract these consumers? Should attracting off-exchange enrollees to purchase on-exchange be a priority for MNsure?

Price Transparency – What steps can MNsure take to improve price transparency for consumers and to better communicate the total cost of care when picking a plan? This should include both the cost of care with APTC discounting premiums, but also the cost of care with pre-deductible health care spending.

Affordability "Cliff" – What steps can MNsure take to ease the transition between public programs and the private market, in either direction? (Steps could be related to communication, services or products; related to affordability or the hassle of transition.)

Individual Market Stabilization – How should MNsure and the state of Minnesota react to the changes and trends in the individual market? What steps can MNsure take by itself, and what policy solutions (or 1332 waiver provisions) should MNsure advocate for, particularly at the state level, that would support individual market stabilization?

Public Good – What other services might MNsure provide or support that would serve its purpose and mission?