

# Lobbying And Time Expenditures

2017-2018 Legislative Session

January-June 2017

Wisconsin Health Care Association Inc

Description Of Totals And Expenditures	Hours Communicating	Hours Other	Dollars
<b>Contract Lobbyists</b>	<b>44.75</b>	<b>167.20</b>	<b>\$20,024.00</b>
DeWitt Ross & Stevens S.C.			\$0.00
Brian R Purtell	0.00	11.70	\$2,024.00
Hubbard Wilson & Zelenkova			\$18,000.00
Ramie Zelenkova	16.75	61.25	\$0.00
Gregory Hubbard	0.00	0.00	\$0.00
Katie White	28.00	94.25	\$0.00
Comments:			
<b>In-House Lobbyists</b>	<b>106.00</b>	<b>231.25</b>	<b>\$18,517.33</b>
John J VanderMeer	97.50	168.00	\$16,275.15
Jim Stoa	8.50	63.25	\$2,242.18
Comments:			
<b>Non-Lobbyist Employees</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
Comments:			
<b>Fringe Benefits<sup>1</sup></b>			<b>\$5,555.20</b>
<b>Overhead<sup>2</sup></b>			<b>\$7,221.76</b>
<b>Payments to Officials<sup>3</sup></b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Travel and Living Expenses</b>			
a) Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
b) Non-Lobbyist Employees			\$0.00
<b>All Other Lobbying Expenses</b>			<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Total Lobbying Time And Expenditures:</b>	<b>150.75 Hours</b>	<b>398.45 Hours</b>	<b>\$51,318.29</b>
<b>Allocation of Lobbying Effort</b>			<b>Percent</b>
<b>Legislative Proposals</b>			<b>20%</b>
Assembly Bill 432			20 %
<b>Budget Bill Subjects</b>			<b>25%</b>
Health Services: Departmentwide			15 %
Health Services: Medicaid Services			5 %
Workforce Development: Departmentwide			5 %
<b>Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings</b>			<b>0%</b>
<b>Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number</b>			<b>55%</b>
Wisconsin Long-term care workforce shortage, and a budget provision for increasing skilled nursing and assisted living reimbursement.			30 %

Wisconsin's Long Term Care Workforce Crisis	15 %
WHCA opposes a proposal that provides an exemption from the definition of nursing home in the statutes to allow the construction of additional facilities despite a nursing home bed moratorium and bed cap.	5 %
Nursing Home Reimbursement, bed tax.	5 %
<b>Minor Efforts</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>All Other Matters</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>Total Reported Lobbying Effort:</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Report Certified On: Monday, July 31, 2017**

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[Wis. Stats. 13.68\(d\)](#): Reimbursement to officials.

#### **Certification and Electronic Signature**

I certify I am John VanderMeer and certify that the information entered and reported to the Wisconsin Ethics Commission is an accurate record of the lobbying activities of Wisconsin Health Care Association Inc.

I further understand that if I know or believe that the records I submit are not complete or that any part of it is not true, I may be fined \$10,000 or imprisoned for 5 years or both. I understand that Wisconsin Statutes require me to retain until 3 years from the date that the records are filed documents necessary to substantiate these reports.