

# MINNESOTA HEALTH INSURANCE EXCHANGE ADVISORY TASK FORCE

## GUIDING PRINCIPLES

### **Universal Coverage**

The Task Force will foster an Exchange that supports universal access to health care for all Minnesotans.

### **High Quality, Affordable Health Care**

The Task Force will design an Exchange that promotes the delivery of high quality health care at an affordable cost, encouraging innovative payment and delivery mechanisms that increase value.

### **Consumer-Friendly**

The Task Force supports creating an Exchange that provides a simple, user-friendly experience for consumers to find, choose and purchase coverage and to enroll in public programs or obtain financial assistance.

### **Eliminate Health Disparities**

In designing the Exchange, the Task Force will actively seek out and pursue opportunities to eliminate health disparities.

### **Accountable**

The Task Force believes the Minnesota Exchange exists for the benefit of the public, and should be transparent and accountable to the people of Minnesota.

### **Competition**

The Task Force will develop the Exchange in a way that fosters vigorous and fair competition in the health care system among both providers and payers.