***The Missouri Senate Minute* Script
Medicaid Committee Report**

The [Missouri Senate Interim Committee on Medicaid Accountability and Taxpayer Protection](https://www.senate.mo.gov/simt/) releases its final report.

The panel met several times, from August through November.

Senator Bill White of Joplin, who chaired the committee, says part of their goal is to provide more information to the public…

 **White :10 Q: get the answer.**

Some aspects of the panel’s findings can be achieved legislatively, while others — from the *first* report — have already been put into place.

Senator Jill Schupp of Creve Coeur, who served on the committee, says there are health care needs in place now…

 **Schupp :11 Q: accepting new patients.**

The committee’s final report was released on Dec. 1.

Reporting from the State Capitol, I’m Dean Morgan.