Health, Education and Welfare

The Health, Education and Welfare (HEW) Committee has oversight responsibility for the following Ventura County agencies:

- County Superintendent of Schools
- Health Care Agency
- Human Services Agency
- Library Services
- Twenty School Districts
- Ventura County Community College District

Listed below are the issues that engaged the attention and efforts of this committee over the past year

- School Safety
- The County Homeless
- CalWORKS
- Medical Care in County Jails
- Colston and Gateway Schools
- Air pollution from agricultural pesticides
- Unsafe spraying practices in industry
- Status of childcare facilities in the County
- Juvenile Hall Facility
- · Condition of Dietary Unit at Ventura County Medical Center
- Transfer of funds from the Behavioral Health Agency to the Health Care Agency

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