**Explanation of Changes Reflected in the Chairman's
Amendment in the Nature of a Substitute to
H.R. 3414, *the "Opioid Workforce Act of 2019''***
June 25, 2019

The Chairman's amendment in the nature of a substitute includes the following changes to H.R. 3414 as introduced (page and line references are to H.R. 3414 as introduced):

1. Page 2, Line 18: Strike "For each"; and insert "During the period".

2. Page 3, Lines 1-2: Strike "for cost reporting periods occurring on or after"; and insert "beginning".

3. Page 3, Line 6: Strike "1000"; and insert "500 in fiscal year 2022 and 500 over the period of fiscal years 2023 through 2026".

4. Page 3, Line 12: Strike "500 of"; and insert after positions "available for distribution for such fiscal year (as".

5. Page 3, Line 13: Strike "(A)"; and insert "(A))".

6. Page 3, Line 23: Strike "(as determined by the Secretary)"; and insert ", as determined by the Secretary,".

7. Page 3, Line 24: Insert after positions, "within the first 4 training years (as specified by the Secretary) after the increase would be effective.".

8. Page 5, Line 9: Insert after "paragraph" "(v) POSITIONS NOT DISTRIBUTED DURING FISCAL YEAR 2022.—If the number of full-time-equivalent residency positions distributed under this subparagraph is less than the aggregate number of positions available for distribution for fiscal year 2022 (as described in subparagraph (A)), the difference between such number distributed and such number available for distribution shall be added to the aggregate number of positions available for distribution under subparagraph (C).".

9. Page 5, Line 13: Strike "500 of".

10. Page 5, Lines 14-15: Strike "under subparagraph (A)"; and insert "for such period (as described in subparagraph (A)), and any positions made available pursuant to subparagraph (B)(v),".

11. Page 7, Line 17: Strike "500"; and insert "1000".

12. Page 7, Line 22: Strike "500"; and insert "1000".

13. Page 8, Line 7: Strike "for portions of cost reporting periods".

14. Page 8, Line 8: Strike "on or after".