

**Committee on Energy and Commerce  
U.S. House of Representatives**

Witness Disclosure Requirement - "Truth in Testimony"  
Required by House Rule XI, Clause 2(g)

1. Your Name: <i>Dennis G. Smith</i>		
2. Are you testifying on behalf of the Federal, or a State or local government entity?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No
3. Are you testifying on behalf of an entity that is not a government entity?	Yes	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4. Other than yourself, please list which entity or entities you are representing:		
5. Please list any Federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) that you or the entity you represent have received on or after October 1, 2009: <i>The Wisconsin Department of Health Services receives a variety of federal grants for Medicaid, the Food Stamp program, mental health and substance abuse programs and public health.</i>		
6. If your answer to the question in item 3 in this form is "yes," please describe your position or representational capacity with the entity or entities you are representing:		
7. If your answer to the question in item 3 is "yes," do any of the entities disclosed in item 4 have parent organizations, subsidiaries, or partnerships that you are not representing in your testimony?	Yes	No
8. If the answer to the question in item 3 is "yes," please list any Federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) that were received by the entities listed under the question in item 4 on or after October 1, 2009, that exceed 10 percent of the revenue of the entities in the year received, including the source and amount of each grant or contract to be listed:		
9. Please attach your curriculum vitae to your completed disclosure form.		

Signature: [REDACTED]

Date: *Dec. 11, 2012*

## **Bio for Department of Health Services Secretary Dennis G. Smith**

Dennis Smith was appointed by Governor Scott Walker to serve as Secretary of the Department of Health Services on January 3, 2011. The agency is responsible for Wisconsin Medicaid programs which provide health care and long-term care services to more than 1 million enrollees, operates four mental health facilities, regulates state hospitals and coordinates the public health response for the state of Wisconsin.

Secretary Smith previously served as Director of the Center for Medicaid and State Operations at the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services under Secretaries Tommy G. Thompson and Michael O. Leavitt. Smith served on various staff positions in the U.S. Senate and U.S. House of Representatives. In previous state roles, he also served as Medicaid Director for the Commonwealth of Virginia and as Chief of Planning for the California Department of Developmental Services.

In addition to his state and federal government service, Secretary Smith has worked as Managing Director of Medicaid Practice at Leavitt Partners, a partnership that advises clients in the practice areas of health, environment and trade. He was also a Senior Fellow at the Heritage Foundation, a Washington, D.C. think tank.

Smith has a Master's Degree in Public Administration from George Mason University and completed his undergraduate work at Illinois State University. Smith and his wife Laurel have four daughters.