

Joint Legislative Audit and Review Commission



2009 Report to the General Assembly

Commission Briefing

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JLARC Is Required to Follow Up on Recommendations

- Agencies report what they've done in response to recommendations
- JLARC reports to General Assembly
 - Summary of significant actions by agencies
 - Matters requiring additional legislative consideration
 - Annotated bibliography of reports

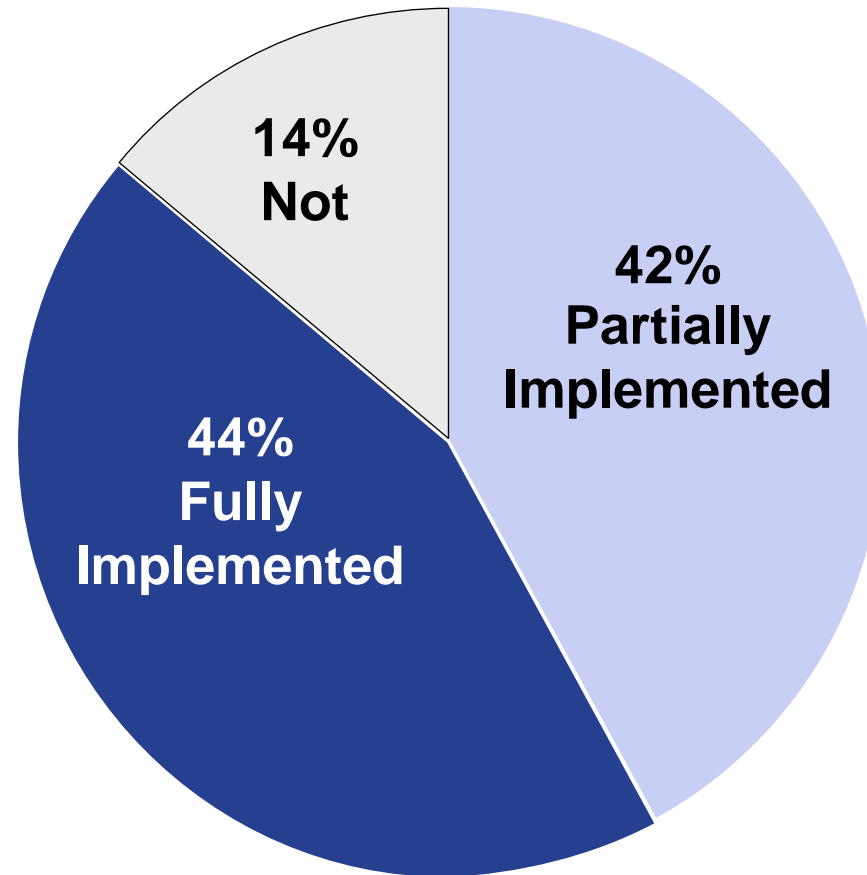
RGA Highlights Study Findings and Actions of Agencies and General Assembly

- 22 State agencies reported on status of recommendations and savings
 - VDH had most recommendations, at 33
 - DSS and DMHMRSAS each had 20
 - DOE (19)
 - Other agencies included those who oversee environmental and human services programs—
DEQ, OCS, DMAS, DRS

2009 Performance Scorecard

Number of products in last year	71
Products on time	100%
Recommendations implemented <i>(made four years ago)</i>	44% <i>(target is 75%)</i>
Savings <i>(past four years)</i>	\$172 million
Cumulative savings <i>(since 1975)</i>	\$677 million

86% of Recommendations From 2004 at Least Partially Implemented



\$677 Million in Savings Since 1975

	Savings Reported for 2008-2009
Elimination of DRS Brain Injury Registry <i>(duplicative of VDH Trauma Registry)</i>	\$ 104,232
Lower Medicaid reimbursement rates to for-profit psychiatric hospitals	\$ 597,958*
Medicaid reimbursements to school divi- sions for school health services (FY07-09)	\$ 37.7 million
Subtotal	\$ 38.4 million
Savings reported through 2007	\$638.6 million
Cumulative savings (1975-2009)	\$677 million

* DMAS reports this will be a recurring savings



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Study Reports and Briefings

Each JLARC study results in a published report and a presentation to the Commission. Some studies also have separate appendices or other supporting documentation. JLARC document links are PDFs except In Briefs, which are HTML.

Recent Studies

Study Title	In Brief	Report	Briefing
Impact of eVA on Small Virginia Businesses (Jul 2009)		Draft	Briefing
388. Assessment of Services for Virginians with Autism Spectrum Disorders (Jun 2009)	In Brief	Report	Briefing
387. Review of Department of General Services Internal Service Funds (Jun 2009)	In Brief	Report	Briefing
386. Semi-Annual VRS Investment Report No. 32 (Jul 2009)	In Brief	Report	Briefing
385. Evaluation of HB 2191 and SB 1458: Mandated Coverage of Telehealth Services (Jun 2009)	In Brief	Report	Briefing
384. Evaluation of HB 2337: Addendum to 2008 Evaluation of HB 615 and HB 669, Mandated Coverage of Amino-Acid Based Formulas (Jun 2009)		Report	Briefing
383. State Spending on Standards of Quality (SOQ) Costs, FY 2008** (Dec 2008)	In Brief	Report	Briefing
382. The Potential for Improving Budget Review in Virginia (Dec 2008)	In Brief	Report	Briefing
381. Interim Review of the Virginia Information Technologies Agency (Dec 2008)	In Brief	Report	Briefing
380. VRS Biennial Status and Semi-Annual Investment Report No. 31** (Dec 2008)	In Brief	Report	Briefing
379. Two-Year Review of Initial Higher Education Management Agreements (Nov 2008)	In Brief	Report	Briefing
378. Review of State Employee Total Compensation (Oct 2008)	In Brief	Report	Briefing More
377. Review of State Spending: 2008 Update (Nov 2008)	In Brief	Report	Briefing
376. Waste Reduction Efforts in Virginia (Sep 2008)	In Brief	Report	Briefing
375. Mandated Coverage of Treatment for Infertility* (Oct 2008)	In Brief	Report	Briefing
374. Mandated Coverage of Hearing Aids for Children* (Oct 2008)	In Brief	Report	Briefing
373. Special Report: VCU Degree Award (Oct 2008)	In Brief	Report	Briefing
372. Mitigating the Costs of Substance Abuse in Virginia (June 2008)	In Brief	Report	Briefing Appendix
371. Evaluation of HB 83: Mandated Coverage of Autism Spectrum Disorders* (Sep 2008)	In Brief	Report	Briefing
370. Evaluation of HB 615 and HB 669: Mandated Coverage of Amino Acid-Based Formulas* (Sep 2008)	In Brief	Report	Briefing
369. Evaluation of HB 667: Mandated Coverage of Alternatives to Surgery* (Sep 2008)	In Brief	Report	Briefing
368. Semi-Annual VRS Investment Report No. 30 (Jul 2008)	In Brief	Report	Briefing
367. Special Report: Review of Selected Issues in the Virginia Election and Registration Information System (Jun 2008)	In Brief	Report	Briefing



New in 2009

- Status of JLARC recommendations made since 2002 will be available online
 - Implemented (fully or partially) or not implemented