South Dakota Newborn Screening Advisory Committee

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Advisory Committee Speakers – will be invited to speak on an as needed basis

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Medical experts

- Other medical experts: Genetic Counselors, Metabolic Dietitian, Endocrinology, SCID, Infectious Disease, Cystic Fibrosis, Hematology

Bioethicist

- Individual from DeGroot Center at Sanford. This Center provides clinical ethics consultations, bioethics education, organizational ethics support, and community education