



HOME CARE EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS BOARD

MEETING AGENDA

August 23, 2022

2:00 pm to Adjournment

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Members: Cody Phinney, Safiyyah AbdulRahim, Robert P. Crockett, Farren Epstein, Gerardo Louis Gonzalez, Maxine Hartranft, Stephanie Schoen, Sue Wagner, Shanieka Cooper, Kristi De Leon

1) Call to Order – Cody Phinney, Chair

2) Roll Call – Kayla Samuels, Management Analyst I, Health Care Quality and Compliance (HCQC)

3) GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT: Public Comment will be taken during this agenda item. No action may be taken on a matter raised under this item until the matter is included on an agenda as an item on which action may be taken. The

Chair Designee may place a (2) minute limit on the time individuals have to address the Board. The Chair Designee may elect to allow public comment on a specific agenda item when that item is not being considered.

- 4) POSSIBLE ACTION: Approval of meeting minutes from the Home Care Employment Standards Board (HCESB) meeting on July 26, 2022 – Board
- 5) INFORMATIONAL ITEM: Progress update on HCESB recommendation regarding NAC 449.3973 – Leticia Metherell, Health Program Manager III, Health Care Quality and Compliance
- 6) INFORMATIONAL ITEM: Progress update on HCESB recommendation regarding the Medicaid Home and Community Based Services Plan – Kirsten Coulombe, Social Services Chief, Health Care Financing and Policy
- 7) POSSIBLE ACTION: Discussion and possible action to appoint a new representative of home care recipients to the HCESB Subcommittee on Systemic Racism & Economic Injustice – Kayla Samuels, Management Analyst I, Bureau of Health Care Quality and Compliance
- 8) INFORMATIONAL ITEM: Update on Provider Type 30 and 83 enrollment figures – Wendy Montgomery, Provider Enrollment, Division of Healthcare Financing and Policy; Cathy Vairo, Social Services Chief, Provider Enrollment, Division of Healthcare Financing and Policy
- 9) POSSIBLE ACTION: Discussion and possible recommendation to Director of DHHS to distribute a Know Your Rights bulletin to home care workers – Kayla Samuels, Management Analyst I, Bureau of Health Care Quality and Compliance
- 10) POSSIBLE ACTION: Discussion and possible recommendation to Director of DHHS regarding job-related expenses for home care employers and workers – Shanieka Cooper, Representative for Home Care Employees
- 11) INFORMATIONAL ITEM: Discussion on current HCQC licensing requirements as it regards to personal care agencies – Cody Phinney, Deputy Administrator, Division of Public and Behavioral Health
- 12) INFORMATIONAL ITEM: Discussion on the impact of home care on the overall healthcare industry – Kayla Samuels, Management Analyst I, Bureau of Health Care Quality and Compliance
- 13) POSSIBLE ACTION: Discussion and possible action to determine date for the September HCESB meeting – Kayla Samuels, Management Analyst I, Bureau of Health Care Quality and Compliance
- 14) POSSIBLE ACTION: Recommendations for future agenda items.
- 15) INFORMATIONAL ITEM: Discussion on Board member experiences regarding family caregiving in preparation for presentation on consumer-directed models – Kayla Samuels, Management Analyst I, Division of Public and Behavioral Health
- 16) GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT
- 17) Adjournment – Cody Phinney, Chair

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On the Internet at:

- The Nevada Department of Health and Human Services website: https://dhhs.nv.gov/Programs/HCESB/2022_Home_Care_Employment_Standards_Board_Meetings/
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