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The Division of Child and Family Services is proposing to Adoption of regulations pertaining to Chapter 433B of the Nevada Administrative Code. A workshop has been set for 12:00pm to 4:30pm on November 27, 2017.

Locations:

In person at:

401 North Carson St.
Laxalt Building
2nd Floor Chambers
Carson City, NV 89701

Video Conferencing at:

555 E. Washington Ave #5100
Governor's Conference Room
Las Vegas, NV 89101

The purpose of the workshop is to solicit comments from interested persons on the following general topic that may be addressed in the proposed regulations NAC 433B:

- Establishes factors for a juvenile court to consider before placing child at a child care facility or with an agency that provides child welfare services;
- Establishes required protocols for foster homes, child care facilities and emergency shelters, foster care agencies and agencies which provide child welfare services to ensure each child who is placed in out-of-home care is placed in a manner that is appropriate for the gender identity and expression of the child; and
- Establishes a procedure for children and if applicable parents or guardians to file a grievance concerning a foster home, foster care agency, an agency which provides child welfare services, an out-of-home placement, or a facility in which the child who is in the custody of an agency which provides child welfare services is placed, a division facility, a psychiatric hospital or any public or private institution or agency to which a child is committed by a court. Such procedure must include a process for resolving grievances by a natural party with remedies including but not limited those found in statute.
- Establishes requirements for foster caregivers and employees to receive approved training in working with lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and questioning children, initially and annually thereafter.

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A copy of all materials relating to the proposal may be obtained at the workshop or by contacting the Division of Child and Family Services, 4126 Technology Way, 3rd Floor, Carson City, NV 89706, 775 684-4434. A reasonable fee for copying may be charged. The agency's small business impact statement is attached.

The Notice of Workshop to Solicit Comments on Proposed Regulation has been to all persons on the agency's mailing list for administrative regulations and posted at the following locations.