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# DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

DIVISION OF CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES  
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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING NEVADA CHILDREN'S BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CONSORTIUM

### AGENDA

<b>DATE OF MEETING:</b>	June 1, 2023
<b>TIME:</b>	2:00 pm until Adjournment
<b>VIRTUAL MEETING:</b>	Microsoft Teams Meeting <a href="#">Click here to join the meeting</a> Meeting ID: 277 408 300 319 Passcode: eTJY58 <a href="#">Download Teams</a>   <a href="#">Join on the web</a>
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**\*NOTE:** Per Open Meeting Law, when speaking, **please state your full name** for the record whether appearing by phone, video, or in person. All Voting Members should leave their cameras on for the duration of the meeting according to Nevada Open Meeting Law.

### **PUBLIC SESSION MEETING AGENDA**

Items may be taken out of order; items may be combined for consideration by the public body; items may be pulled or removed from the agenda at any time; the public body may place reasonable restrictions on the time, place, and manner of public comments, but may not restrict comments based upon viewpoint.

- 1. Call to Order, Roll Call, Introductions. – Ellen Richardson-Adams, Chair**

2. **Public Comment.** No action may be taken upon a matter raised during a period devoted to comments by the general public until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken.
3. **For Possible Action.** Approval of the April 18, 2023 meeting minutes – *Ellen Richardson-Adams, Chair*
4. **For Information Only.** Announcements – *All Members*
5. **For Information Only.** Division of Child and Family Services update – *Dr. Cindy Pitlock, Administrator, Division of Child and Family Services (DCFS)*
6. **For Possible Action for Support of DCFS Programs.** Division of Child and Family Services updates on American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) dollar programs and status of standing up these programs including timelines, strengths, and barriers. What actions can the Nevada Children’s Behavioral Health Consortium take to support these programs and Division of Child and Family Services? – *Dr. Cindy Pitlock, Administrator, Division of Child and Family Services (DCFS)*
7. **For Possible Action.** Legislative Workgroup update: discussion and possible approval of legislative activities and support – *Charlene Frost, Workgroup Chair, Statewide Family Network Director, Nevada PEP*
8. **For Possible Action for Support of Requested Policy Changes.** Medicaid Formulary Workgroup update: discussion and possible approval of Medicaid Formulary Policy changes – *Jacquelyn Kleinedler, Workgroup Chair, Washoe County Children’s Mental Health Consortium Chair, Dr. Jose Cucalon-Calderon, Pediatrician in Washoe County*
9. **For Information.** The Harbor Juvenile Assessment Center expansion and services – *Cheryl Wright, Assistant Director, Clark County Juvenile Justice Services*
10. **For Information.** Updates on youth and families served at certified community behavioral health clinics (CCBHs) – *Shannon Bennett, Bureau Chief, SAPTA Bureau of Behavioral Health, Wellness and Prevention*
11. **For Information.** Regional Children’s Mental Health Consortia updates – *Jacquelyn Kleinedler, Chair, Washoe County Children’s Mental Health Consortium, Melissa Washabaugh, Chair, Rural Nevada Children’s Mental Health Consortium*
12. **For Information Only.** Medicaid update and changes – *Sarah Dearborn, Social Services Chief II, Nevada Department of Health and Human Services*
13. **For Information Only.** Regional school updates to include health and mental health wellness – *Katherine Loudon (Washoe County Schools), Jennifer Lords (Rural School Districts), Christopher Merritt (Clark County School District)*

14. **For Information Only.** Update on System of Care (SOC) Grant including a status update on the grant's life and ability to continue the System of Care if the grant sunsets – *William Wyss, Department of Child and Family Services (DCFS)*
15. **For information Only.** Update on the Pediatric Mental Health Care Access Program Grant Award to DCFS – *Nicole Mara, Education and Information Officer, Department of Child and Family Services (DCFS)*
16. **For Possible Action.** Make recommendations for agenda items for the next meeting – *All Members*
17. **Public Comment.** No action may be taken upon a matter raised during a period devoted to comments by the general public until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken.
18. **Adjournment.** – *Ellen Richardson-Adams, Chair*

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Division of Child and Family Services – 2655 Enterprise Rd., Reno, NV

Division of Child and Family Services – 100 Youth Center Rd., Elko, NV