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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING WASHOE COUNTY CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH CONSORTIUM MAIN MEETING AGENDA

**DATE OF MEETING:** March 21, 2024

**TIME:** 10:00 a.m. until Adjournment

**VIDEO CONFERENCE:** [https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting\\_MjBIMGQ2OTEtMDE5OS00M2QzLTgwNmEtNGZhYmYyZTRkMmY0%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22e4a340e6-b89e-4e68-8eaa-1544d2703980%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22d95acdce-4a5b-4306-89f8-98c027590794%22%7d](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_MjBIMGQ2OTEtMDE5OS00M2QzLTgwNmEtNGZhYmYyZTRkMmY0%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22e4a340e6-b89e-4e68-8eaa-1544d2703980%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22d95acdce-4a5b-4306-89f8-98c027590794%22%7d)  
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**Supporting material may be obtained online at:**

<https://dcfs.nv.gov/Meetings/WCCMHC/2024MeetingsandAgenda/>

**This will be a virtual only meeting as authorized pursuant to NRS 241.023.**

Members of the public may hear and observe the meeting and participate by video or phone. Members of the public may also provide live public comment during the public comment sections of the agenda. If members of the public desire to provide a pre-recorded public comment for a meeting, it must first be authorized before the meeting by the public body. Contact Kary Wilder at the Division of Child and Family Services ([kwilder@dcfs.nv.gov](mailto:kwilder@dcfs.nv.gov)), 2655 Enterprise Road, Reno, NV 89512, in order to provide a pre-recorded public comment prior to the meeting.

As required by Open Meeting Law, this public meeting contains this agenda, the meeting will be recorded, and minutes will be completed following the public meeting.

### **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**
2. **Introductions**
3. **Public comment and discussion** – No action may be taken on a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on the agenda as an item upon which action can be taken.

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4. **For possible action: Review and approval of outstanding minutes:**
  - a. January 4, 2024 – Annual Report/Budget Workgroup Meeting
  - b. January 8, 2024 – Annual Report/Budget Workgroup Meeting
  - c. January 17, 2024 – Annual Report/Budget Workgroup Meeting
  - d. January 22, 2024 – Annual Report/Budget Workgroup Meeting
  - e. January 31, 2024 – Special Meeting To Approve Annual Report
  - f. February 15, 2024 – Main Meeting
5. **For information only: Family Voice** – A time to hear from families and those in attendance who work with families about their successes, challenges, and themes.
6. **For information only: Update on Certified Community Behavioral Health Centers (CCBHCs)** – Lori Follett, Social Services Specialist III, Division of Health Care Financing and Policy
7. **For information only: Presentation on groups and resources available from the Office of Suicide Prevention** – Representative from the Office of Suicide Prevention
8. **For possible action: Discussion of Consortium progress and plans for the remaining year**
  - a. Review, discussion, and possible votes on recommendations from the Budget Workgroup on FY 2024 Budget and FY 2025 Budget.
9. **For possible action: Washoe County Children’s Mental Health Consortium Bylaws**
  - a. Review, discussion, and possible vote to move forward with updated and amended Bylaws. Review of voting membership, changes in the Bylaws.
10. **For possible action: Approval of recommendations of Washoe County Children’s Mental Health Consortium voting membership and vacancies including:**
  - a. Current open roles – Provider of foster care, Representative of a parent advocacy group; person with lived experience in needing youth mental health services OR parent of a youth who has accessed or needed to access youth or family mental health services; review Representative of youth wellness and prevention as related to bylaw changes
11. **For information only: Updates from Medicaid** – Sarah Dearborn, Social Services Chief II,

**12. For information only: Legal Hold Process for minors**

- a. Update by the providers in the community to give the Consortium more information on this topic.
- b. Review and discussion to identify possible steps to move forward with community education, outreach, and presentations on the Legal Hold Process for minors.

**13. For possible action: Consortium member announcements** – To provide the voting members a chance to share any updates they may have, and to discuss and take possible vote(s) on important issues impacting children’s mental health such as upcoming events, services, legislation, and related community factors.

**14. For possible action: Approval of next meeting date and agenda items**

- a. April 18, 2024

**15. Public comment and discussion** – No action may be taken on a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been specifically included on the agenda as an item upon which action can be taken.

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**16. Adjournment**

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This notice/agenda was posted on the following websites:

- Division of Child and Family Services website: <https://dcfs.nv.gov/Meetings/WCCMHC/2024MeetingsandAgenda/>
- State of Nevada Meeting Notice Website: <https://notice.nv.gov>

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- Division of Child and Family Services – 4126 Technology Way, Carson City, NV
- Division of Public and Behavioral Health – 4150 Technology Way, Carson City, NV
- Division of Child and Family Services – 6171 W. Charleston Blvd. Building 8, Las Vegas, NV
- Division of Child and Family Services – 2655 Enterprise Rd., Reno, NV
- Division of Child and Family Services – 100 Youth Center Rd., Elko, NV