

MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: Nevada Mental Health Plan Implementation Commission (Senate Bill 301 [Chapter 445, *Statutes of Nevada 2003*])

Date and Time of Meeting: Tuesday, November 4, 2003
8 a.m.

Place of Meeting: Legislative Building
Room 2135
401 South Carson Street
Carson City, Nevada

Note: Some members of the Commission may be attending the meeting and other persons may observe the meeting and provide testimony through a simultaneous videoconference conducted at the following location:

Grant Sawyer State Office Building
Room 4401
555 East Washington Avenue
Las Vegas, Nevada

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A G E N D A

- I. Call to Order and Opening Remarks Regarding Goal 4 (Early Mental Health Screening, Assessment, and Referral to Services Are Common Practice) of the Final Report of the President's New Freedom Commission on Mental Health
Senator Randolph J. Townsend, Chairman
- *II. Approval of Minutes of the October 21, 2003, Commission Meeting
- III. Public Comment on Proposed Agenda Items for the November 20, 2003, Commission Meeting
Suggested Agenda Items for Presidential Commission Goal 5 (Excellent Mental Health Care Is Delivered and Research Is Accelerated) and Goal 6 (Technology Is Used to Access Mental Health Care and Information)
 - Research Related to Mental Health Care
 - Public-Private Partnerships for the Provision of Mental Health Care Services and Information
 - Use of Technology and Telehealth for the Provision of Mental Health Care Services and Information
 - Insurance and Other Industry Related to Mental Health
- *IV. Update on Federal and State Mental Health Parity Legislation
Courtney Wise, Senior Research Analyst
Research Division, Legislative Counsel Bureau

- *V. Diversity Issues in the Provision of Mental Health Care
Josie Torralba-Romero, M.S.W., L.C.S.W., President
Board of Directors, National Latino Behavioral Health Association

- *VI. Mental Health Care for Children (Including Without Limitation Early Screening, Mental Health Care Provided at or by Schools, and the Issue of Parents Relinquishing Custody of Children to Enable Children to Receive/Obtain Mental Health Services)
 - A. Jane Adams, Ph.D.
Executive Director, Keys for Networking, Inc.
Commissioner, President's New Freedom Commission on Mental Health

 - B. Amy Bobo, Program Coordinator
Columbia Teen Screen

 - C. Rosemary Virtuoso, M.A., N.C.S.P., Coordinator
Northeast Region, Psychological Services
Clark County School District

 - D. Members of Mental Health Consortia Established Pursuant to *Nevada Revised Statutes* 433B.333, "Establishment of Mental Health Consortia, Members"
 - Les Gruner, Director
Northern Nevada Child and Adolescent Services, Division of Child and Family Services (DCFS), Nevada's Department of Human Resources (DHR)

 - Christa Peterson, Ph.D., Deputy Administrator
Southern Region, DCFS, DHR

 - Carol Johnston, Acting Deputy Administrator
Rural Region, DCFS, DHR

 - E. University Medical Center (UMC)
 - Jim Holt-Voight, R.N., B.S.N., Unit Manager
Pediatric Emergency Room

 - Natalie White, R.N., Clinical Nurse Manager
Pediatric Ward and Pediatric Intensive Care Unit

 - F. Nevada P.E.P., Inc.
 - Kathy Hughes, Family Specialist
 - T. J. Rosenburg, Community Outreach Coordinator
 - Kim Hernandez, Collaboration Specialist

- *VII. Co-Occurring Disorders
 - A. Steven Graybar, Ph.D., Clinical Psychologist
Faculty, Counseling and Testing Center, University of Nevada, Reno
Member, Board of Psychological Examiners

 - B. Division of Mental Health and Developmental Services (DMHDS), DHR
 - David A. Rosin, M.D., Statewide Medical Director
DMHDS, DHR

Larry Buel, Ph.D., Director
Rural Clinics, DMHDS, DHR

Harold Cook, Ph.D., Director
Northern Nevada Adult Mental Health Services, DMHDS, DHR

C. Bureau of Alcohol and Drug Abuse, Health Division, DHR

Tom Murtha, Chief Executive Officer, Bristlecone Family Resources
President, Nevada Alliance for Addictive Disorders, Advocacy, Prevention, and
Treatment Services (Nevada AADAPTS)

Theresa Lemus, Executive Director
Nevada AADAPTS

Tom Bolan, Chief Executive Officer
Step 2/Lighthouse of the Sierra

JoAnn Lujan, L.C.S.W., Interim Director
Community Triage Center, WestCare

Dorothy B. North, President
Board of Examiners for Alcohol, Drug and Gambling Counselors

D. Kathleen Kelly, L.C.S.W., Psychiatric Consultant
Adult and Pediatrics Wards, UMC

*VIII. Final Discussion of Agenda Items for the November 20, 2003, Commission Meeting

IX. Public Comment

X. Adjournment

*Denotes items on which the Commission may take action.

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