

NEVADA SUBSTANCE ABUSE WORKING GROUP

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Tuesday, May, 14, 2013 at 2:00 p.m.

Office of the Attorney General
Mock Courtroom
100 N. Carson Street
Carson City, NV 89701

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Room 4500
555 E. Washington Ave.
Las Vegas, NV 89101

AGENDA

Please Note: The Substance Abuse Working Group may 1) address agenda items out of sequence to accommodate persons appearing before the Subcommittee or to aid the efficiency or effectiveness of the meeting; 2) combine items for consideration by the public body; and 3) pull or remove items from the agenda at any time. The Subcommittee may convene in closed session to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person. See NRS 241.030. Prior to the commencement and conclusion of a contested case or a quasi-judicial proceeding that may affect the due process rights of an individual the board may refuse to consider public comment. See NRS 233B.126.

At the discretion of the Chair, public comment is welcomed by the Working Group, but will be limited to five minutes per person. A public comment time will be available at the beginning of the meeting and then once again prior to adjournment of the meeting. The Chair may allow additional time to be given a speaker as time allows and in his/her sole discretion. Once all items on the agenda are completed the meeting will adjourn.

Note: No vote may be taken upon a matter raised under public comment until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken. (NRS 241.020)

1. Call to order and roll call of members of the Substance Abuse Working Group, Catherine Cortez Masto - Chair.
2. Comments from the public – please limit comments to 5 minutes.
3. Review and approve the minutes from January 11, 2013. **For possible action.**

4. Presentation on Washoe County Specialty Courts, Sheila Leslie, Specialty Courts Manager.
5. Presentation on the Merger of Health Division and the Mental Health Division to emphasize a broader view of substance abuse treatment. Richard Whitley, Administrator, Mental Health and Developmental Services, Nevada Dept. of Health and Human Services.
 - a. Treatment services for pregnant and drug dependent parents
 - b. Development of a “whole family” system of prevention and intervention
 - c. Development of community-based early identification and referral systems for first-time juveniles and adult offenders, prior to adjudication.
6. Update from Legislative Sub-Committee. **For possible action.**
7. Appoint a chair and members to the Impaired Driving Sub-Committee. **For possible action.**
8. Discussion regarding date, time, place and agenda items for upcoming meetings. **For possible action.**
9. Comments from the working group.
10. Comments from the public – please limit comments to 5 minutes.
11. Adjourn. **For possible action.**

This agenda has been sent to all members of the Working Group and other interested persons who have requested an agenda from the Working Group. Persons who wish to continue to receive an agenda and notice must request so in writing on an annual basis.

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