

SUBSTANCE ABUSE WORKING GROUP

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

DATE: Wednesday, June 21, 2017
TIME: 10:00 A.M.
LOCATIONS: Office of the Attorney General
Mock Courtroom
100 N. Carson Street
Carson City, Nevada 89701

VIDEOCONFERENCE TO:

Office of the Attorney General
Conference Room #4500
555 East Washington Avenue
Las Vegas, Nevada 89101

AGENDA

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1. Call to order and roll call of working group members.
 2. Public comment. Action may not be taken on any matter brought up under public comment until scheduled on an agenda for action at a later meeting. **(Discussion only.)**
 3. Approval of March 29, 2017, meeting minutes. **Attachment A. (Discussion and possible action.)**

4. Update on the Substance Abuse Working Group Opioid Initiative including a discussion on incinerators, opioid blockers, and statewide messaging. **Wes Duncan, First Assistant Attorney General. (Discussion and possible action.)**
5. Legislative Update. **Wes Duncan, First Assistant Attorney General. (Discussion only.)**
6. Update on the opening of the Las Vegas Recovery High School. **David Marlon. (Discussion only.)**
7. Update on Law Enforcement/DHHS Grant. **Dr. Stephanie Woodard, DHH, Behavioral and Public Health. (Discussion only.)**
8. Join Together Northern Nevada – “Media, Marketing, and Education.” **Jennifer DeLett-Snyder, Executive Director. (Presentation and discussion only.)**
9. Attorney General’s Statewide Messaging Campaign update. **Linda Lang, Executive Director, NV Statewide Coalition Partnership. (Discussion and possible action.)**
10. Mandatory Quarterly Meetings (NRS 228.810). Adding August meeting to comply with statute. Remaining 2017 meetings:

August 2nd – 10:00
October 11th – 10:00
11. Public comment. Action may not be taken on any matter brought up under public comment until scheduled on an agenda for action at a later meeting. **(Discussion only.)**
12. Adjournment.

Supporting material for this meeting may be requested from Michele Smaltz at (775) 684.1195 (msmaltz@ag.nv.gov), and is available at the Office of the Attorney General, 100 N. Carson Street, Carson City, Nevada 89701.

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Agenda Item #3
Attachment A

March 29, 2017 Meeting Minutes

STATE OF NEVADA SUBSTANCE ABUSE WORKING GROUP

MINUTES OF MEETING

March 29, 2017 – 10:00AM

Location of Meeting

(Videoconferenced)

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Mock Courtroom
100 N. Carson Street
Carson City, NV 89701

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

Members present:

Wesley Duncan, First Assistant Attorney General – Vice Chair
Chuck Callaway, Police Director, Las Vegas Metro Police Department
Pat Hickey, Executive Director, Charter School Association of Nevada
Mark Jackson, Douglas County District Attorney
Linda Lang, Executive Director, Nevada Statewide Coalition Partnership
David Marlon, President, Solutions Recovery, Inc.
Dr. Stephanie Woodard, Licensed Psychologist, Department of Health & Human Services
David Wuest, Deputy Executive Secretary, Nevada State Board of Pharmacy, with proxy
of Dr. Larry Pinson
Asheesh Bhalla, Board Counsel

Members Absent:

Adam P. Laxalt, Attorney General – Chair
Dr. Miriam Adelson, Adelson Clinic
Dr. Larry Pinson, Executive Secretary, Nevada State Board of Pharmacy
Richard Whitley, Director, Department of Health and Human Services

Others Present:

Patricia Cafferata
Shelly Capurro
Jennifer DeLett-Snyder, Executive Director, Join Together Northern Nevada
Sarah Hunt
Marissa Kuckhoff
Liz MacMenamin, Vice President of Government Affairs, Retail Association of Nevada
Chelsey Parvin, Drug Prevention Coordinator, Street Enforcement Team, Reno Police Dept.
Brandi Planet
Jamie Ross
Martie Washington

1. Call to order and roll call of working group members.

Assistant Attorney General Wes Duncan called meeting to order. Secretary Marissa Kuckhoff, called roll.

2. Public Comment.

None.

3. Discussion and possible action on approval of February 8, 2017, meeting minutes. (Attachment "A")

David Marlon moved to approve the minutes as written. Chuck Calloway seconded the motion and the motion passed with Mark Jackson abstaining from the vote.

4. The Attorney General's Statewide Messaging Campaign update. Linda Lang/Carson City. (DISCUSSION AND ACTION.)

Linda Lang gave a brief overview of the progress of the Statewide Messaging Campaign. Lang looked at advertisements previously done through the Attorney General's Office (AGO) and found they were completed using the Nevada Broadcasters Association. Lang contacted the Nevada Broadcasters Association and obtained costs. Per Chuck Callaway's suggestion at the last meeting, Lang contacted R&R Partners and will continue to compile information to provide to Attorney General Laxalt. Dr. Stephanie Woodard researched Master Service Agreements and the State's Purchasing Department was contacted. Trey Delap and Lang researched the Good Samaritan Act. Lang explained that further research needed to be done and that the goal is to meet with AG Laxalt to present the proposals once the research phase is completed. Patricia Cafferata suggested contacting the State Treasurers Office to obtain the advertising agency used in past campaigns.

5. Quick update on Legislative matters from the 2017 Session. Wes Duncan/Las Vegas. (Discussion)

Duncan updated the group as to Senate Bill (SB) 59. The bill was heard and amended. Dr. Woodard reported on Assembly Bill (AB) 474. Liz MacMenamin of the Retail Association of Nevada reported that AB 474 is waiting to be heard by the committee. She stated that the AGO's bill and the Governor's bill have different language but it appears doctors will be required to register with the Prescription Drug Monitoring Program (PMP). Lang asked about prescribing limits. MacMenamin believes this would be discussed in committee. Dr. Woodard reported that she worked with Dr. John DiMuro and S. Paul Edwards to draft the prescribing guidelines in the bill.

Mark Jackson updated the group as to AB 438 and how it would change the drug-trafficking laws and scheduling of controlled substances. Penalties would be reduced under this bill. Chuck Callaway reported that Speaker Jason Frierson plans to bring a bill or bill amendment regarding trafficking levels. The Senate Judiciary Committee will be hearing SB 329, SB 341, SB 344, SB 374, and SB 378 on marijuana. SB 344 prohibits the sale and packaging of candy-like marijuana products. Callaway reported that of particular concern to public safety is bill language that exempts owners of businesses where marijuana can be consumed from any type of prosecution

of illegal activity related to marijuana. Pat Hickey reported that the Governor's Regulatory Task Force met and Senator Joe Hardy and Assemblywoman Jill Tolles are receptive to recommendations from the group. Jeffrey Zinsmeister of Smart Approaches to Marijuana (SAM), reported to Hickey growing concerns over the use of medical marijuana. Marlon reported that SB 262 would require assignment of benefits to be adhered to and insurance companies to directly pay the provider of treatment and not the patient, as that process has resulted in patient relapse and non-payment to providers.

6. Planning and update regarding National Take Back Day, April 29, 2017. (Group Discussion and possible action.)

Callaway reported that there has been discussion of closing the incinerator in Utah used to dispose of LVMPD Metro's controlled substances. He anticipates needing an alternative method of disposal. Lang reported that in northwestern Nevada the Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA) takes the controlled substances to Crow's Landing, California and in the northeastern part of the they are taken to Utah for disposal.

Lang reported that 14 out of 17 Nevada counties will have disposal locations for Take Back Day. There will be six locations in Washoe County (four in Reno and two in Sparks); four locations in Carson City; seven locations in Las Vegas; five locations in Douglas County (four in the Valley and one in South Lake Tahoe); one location in Winnemucca; one location in Fallon; and a location in Elko and Spring Creek.

7. Update on the Dept. of Health and Human Services and Law Enforcement Grant Application. Dr. Stephanie Woodard/Carson City. (Discussion and possible action.)

Dr. Woodard reported that two grants are being worked on. The first is a formula grant that determines the disease burden and population statistics. The grant determined that Nevada would receive approximately \$5.5 million dollars each year for two years, 20% to prevention; 80% to treatment, and a cap for a Law Enforcement Coordinator. Finalized funding has not been determined. The second grant would fund a comprehensive opioid abuse site-based program, specifically infrastructure for information sharing between law enforcement and public health. DHHS is working with the AGO on this grant application.

8. Public comment.

No public comment from Las Vegas. Jennifer Delett-Snyder of Join Together Northern Nevada reported from Carson City that Washoe County includes visits to senior centers and the Reno Sparks Indian Colony in Take Back Day. She further reported that the University of Nevada, Reno has secured a drop box and is in the process of securing a second one.

9. Adjournment.

The meeting was concluded by Duncan at approximately 10:35 a.m.

Agenda Item #8
Attachment B
Opioid Safety and How to Use
Naloxone

What is an opioid overdose?



Taking too many opioids at once or mixing them with other drugs can make your breathing slow or stop.

TO AVOID AN

ACCIDENTAL OPIOID OVERDOSE

- Avoid mixing your opioids with alcohol, benzodiazepines (Xanax, Ativan, Klonopin, Valium), or medicines that make you sleepy.
- Be extra careful if you miss or change doses, feel ill, or start new medications.

Now that you have naloxone...

Tell someone where it is and how to use it.

Common opioids include:

GENERIC	BRAND NAME
Hydrocodone	Vicodin, Lorcet, Lortab, Norco, Zohydro
Oxycodone	Percocet, OxyContin, Roxycodone, Percodan
Morphine	MS Contin, Kadian
Codeine	Tylenol III
Fentanyl	Duragesic
Hydromorphone	Dilaudid
Oxymorphone	Opana
Meperidine	Demerol
Methadone	Dolophine, Methadose
Buprenorphine	Suboxone, Subutex, Buprenex, Butrans

For more information and additional materials, please visit healthiernv.org

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Opioid safety and how to use naloxone



A GUIDE FOR PATIENTS AND CAREGIVERS

Nevada Statewide
Coalition Partnership

How to identify an opioid overdose:

LOOK FOR THESE COMMON SIGNS:

- The person won't wake up or respond to voice or touch
- Breathing slows or even stops
- Lips and fingernails turn blue or gray
- Skin gets pale, clammy

IN CASE OF OVERDOSE:

1. Call 911 and begin chest compressions.
2. Administer naloxone.
If no reaction in 3 minutes, give second naloxone dose.

Nevada's Good Samaritan Law offers protection to individuals who seek medical assistance for a person experiencing a drug or alcohol overdose.

How to administer naloxone:

Follow the instructions below for the type of naloxone you have.

NASAL SPRAY NALOXONE



Step 1: Remove protective caps.

Step 2: Screw on white cone.

Step 3: Remove protective cap from naloxone.

Step 4: Gently screw capsule of naloxone into barrel of syringe.

Step 5: Insert white cone into nostril; give a short, strong push on end of capsule to spray naloxone into nose: **ONE HALF OF THE CAPSULE INTO EACH NOSTRIL.**

Step 6: If no reaction in 3 minutes, administer another dose.



NARCAN

Nasal Spray:

Follow directions on package.

INJECTABLE NALOXONE



Step 1: Remove cap from naloxone vial and uncover the needle.

Step 2: Turn vial upside down and insert needle through rubber plug. Pull back on plunger and take all liquid. Get rid of excess air.

Step 3: Inject into an upper arm, thigh muscle, or buttocks.

Step 4: If no reaction in 3 minutes, give a second dose.



Evzio Auto-Injector:

The naloxone auto-injector contains a speaker that provides instructions. Availability is limited in our community.