

**STATE OF NEVADA COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE
(BATTERER'S TREATMENT CERTIFICATION COMMITTEE)**

AGENDA

Wednesday, December 11, 2013, at 1:00p.m.

Department of Employment, Training, and Rehabilitation
2800 E. St. Louis Avenue
Conference Room C
Las Vegas, Nevada

Please Note: The Committee on Domestic Violence may 1) address agenda items out of sequence to accommodate persons appearing before the Committee 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 Committee may convene in closed session to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person. (NRS 241.030)

Public comment is welcomed by the Committee, but at the discretion of the chair, may be limited to five minutes per person. A public comment time will be available before any action items are heard by the public body 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. Prior to the commencement and conclusions 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.

***Asterisks (*) denote items on which the Committee may take action.
Action by the Committee on an item may be to approve, deny, amend, or table.***

1. Call to order, roll call, establish quorum.

2. Public comment.

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3. *Conduct hearing to solicit comments and adopt proposed Regulation R048-13 which makes changes to Chapter 228 of the Nevada Administrative Code. (For possible action.)

4. ***Discussion, recommendation, and possible action regarding review and approval of minutes of the following meetings (for possible action):**
 - a) August 15, 2013
5. **Updates by Domestic Violence Ombudsman Kareen Prentice.**
 - a) Budget
 - b) Court Assessments
 - c) Match
6. ***Discussion, recommendation, and possible action regarding ideas for increasing treatment in the rural areas. This item will include updates from the Rural Issues Subcommittee, and a proposal from LRS for a rural pilot project. (For possible action.)**
7. ***Discussion, recommendation, and possible action regarding difficulties with programs obtaining police reports from offenders. (For possible action.)**
8. ***Discussion, recommendation, and possible action regarding the following requests for domestic violence continuing education credits and/or formal training (for possible action):**
 - a. Application for 6.25 training credits
NNADV
“Legal Remedies for Immigrant Victims of Domestic Violence and Other Crimes”
October 15, 2013 Elko, NV
(Reviewed by Judge Bunch)
 - b. Application for 16 training credits
Relationship Training Institute
“Staying Ahead of the Curve”
November 1-2, 2014 San Diego, CA
(Reviewed by Carol Ferranti)
 - c. Application for 27 training credits
Pamela Swanner
“CAAW Counselor/Advocate Training”
Various Dates August 2011 Reno, NV
(Reviewed by Judge Bunch)
 - d. Application for 12 training credits
Nevada Public Health Foundation
“Assessing and Treating the Criminal Justice Client”
Various 2013 Dates Reno and Las Vegas, NV
(Reviewed by Judge Bunch)

- 9. *Discussion, recommendation, and possible action regarding requests for approval of the following providers (for possible action):**
- a. Steve Barcia
ACCS
(Reviewed by Carol Ferranti)
 - b. Misty Burkhart
ACCS
(Reviewed by Sue Meuschke)
 - c. Nicole Altamirano
ACCS
(Reviewed by Traci Dory)
 - d. Monica Joyner
ACCS
(Reviewed by Neil Rombardo)
 - e. Pamela Swanner
ACCS
(Reviewed by Tim Hamilton)
- 10. *Discussion, recommendation, and possible action regarding corrective action plans from the following agencies (for possible action):**
- a. ACCS
Sparks, Gardnerville, Elko, NV
(Reviewed by Tim Hamilton)
 - b. Mesa Family Counseling
Las Vegas, NV
(Reviewed by Cheryl Hunt; Continued from May and August Meetings)
- 11. *Discussion, recommendation, and possible action regarding the application for certification renewal from the following agencies (for possible action):**
- a) Counseling Services Plus
Las Vegas, NV
(Reviewed by Meri Shadley; Continued from May and August Meetings)
 - b) ACCS
Sparks, Reno, Gardnerville, Carson City, Elko NV
(Reviewed by Tim Hamilton)
 - c) Options
North Las Vegas, NV
(Reviewed by Neil Rombardo)

- d) Ridgeview Counseling Group
Reno, NV
(Reviewed by Tim Hamilton; Continued from August Meeting)
 - e) Winnemucca Batterers Intervention Program
Winnemucca, NV
(Reviewed by Sue Meuschke)
 - f) Ready for Change
Henderson, NV
(Reviewed by Traci Dory)
 - g) Mesa Family Counseling
Las Vegas, NV
(Reviewed by Cheryl Hunt; Continued from August Meeting)
- 12. *Discussion, recommendation, and possible action regarding the following requests for additional program locations for the following agencies (for possible action):**
- a) ABC Therapy
3351 E. Jennifer St.
Pahrump, NV
(Reviewed by Meri Shadley)
- 13. *Hearing regarding certification of Counseling Services Plus. (For possible action).**
- 14. Updates from Committee Coordinator, Jennifer Kandt.**
- 15. Discussion regarding future agenda items and future meeting dates.**
- 16. Public comment.**

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- 17. *Adjournment. (For possible action.**

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