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## NEVADA COMMISSION ON AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS MEETING

**Date and Time of Meeting:** March 16, 2021 3:30 PM  
**Location of Meeting:** Aging and Disabilities Services Division  
Teleconference:

In accordance with Governor Sisolak's Declaration of Emergency Directive 006; Subsection 1; The requirement contained in NRS 241.023 (1) (b) that there be a physical location designated for meetings of public bodies where members of the public are permitted to attend and participate is suspended.

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### AGENDA

1. **Call to Order:** Welcome and Introductions
2. **Roll Call** - Abbie Chalupnik
3. **Public Comment:**  
(No action may be taken upon a matter raised under public comment period unless the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an action item. Comments will be limited to three minutes per person. Persons making comment will be asked to begin by stating their name for the record and to spell their last name and provide the secretary with written comments.)
4. **For Possible Action:** Approval of Meeting Minutes from the Previous Meeting held February 9, 2021
5. **For Information:** Nevada Early Intervention Services Presentation of Modified Checklist for Autism in Toddlers (MCHAT) Data
6. **For Discussion and Possible Action:** Subcommittee Updates and Strategies Addressing the Lifespan of People Diagnosed with Autism
  - Workforce Development
  - Funding and Insurance

7. **For Discussion and Possible Action:** Legislative Updates to Include Review of and Discussion for Senate Bill 2 and Senate Bill 96 as it Relates to Medicaid Budget, ATAP Budget, and Private Insurance impacting Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) Services for Individuals with Autism, to include Discussion of and Preparation for a Letter from the Commission or Public Comment
8. **For Information:** Autism Treatment Assistance Program (ATAP) Updates
9. **For Possible Action:** Discuss and Approve Agenda Items and Discuss Future Commission Meeting Dates
10. **Public Comment:**  
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11. **Adjourn:**

### **Autism Commission Members**

Trisha Lozano (Chair), Antonina Capurro (Co-Chair), Julie Ostrovsky, Korri Ward, Lenise Kryk, Ritzie Gratrix, James Howells.

NOTE: Items may be taken out of order, combined for consideration, and/or removed from the agenda at the Chairperson's discretion. The public body may combine two or more agenda items for consideration. The public body may remove an item from the agenda or delay discussion relating to an item on the agenda at any time. The public body may place reasonable restrictions on the time, place, and manner of public comments based on viewpoint.

NOTE: We are pleased to make reasonable accommodations for members of the public who have disabilities and wish to attend the meeting. If special arrangements for the meeting are necessary, please notify Tiffany Ellis 702-668-3276 as soon as possible and at least five days in advance of the meeting. If you wish, you may E-mail her at [TiffanyEllis@adsd.nv.gov](mailto:TiffanyEllis@adsd.nv.gov) Supporting materials for this meeting are available at: 3416 Goni Rd, D-132, Carson City, NV 89706 or by contacting Tiffany Ellis at 702-668-3276 or by E-mail at [TiffanyEllis@ADSD.NV.gov](mailto:TiffanyEllis@ADSD.NV.gov).

**In accordance with Nevada Governor Sisolak's Declaration of Emergency Directive 006 there will not be a physical location for the Governor's Commission on Behavioral Health Meeting regarding the Annual Governor's Letter. The public is strongly encouraged to participate by phone using phone number 877-810-9415 Access Code:3254745 and downloading any material provided for the meeting at the website addresses below.**

- As per Nevada Governor Sisolak's Declaration of Emergency Directive 006; Subsection 3: The requirements contained in NRS 241.020 (4) (a) that public notice agendas be posted at physical locations within the State of Nevada are suspended.
- As per Nevada Governor Sisolak's Declaration of Emergency Directive 006; Subsection 4: Public bodies must still comply with requirements in NRS 241.020 (4)(b) and NRS 241.020 (4)(c) that public notice agendas be posted to Nevada's notice website and the public body's website, if it maintains one along with providing a copy to any person who has requested one via U.S. mail or electronic mail.
- As per Nevada Governor Sisolak's Declaration of Emergency Directive 006; Subsection 5: The requirement contained in NRS 241.020 (3)(c) that physical locations be available for the public to receive supporting material for public meetings is suspended.

- As per Nevada Governor Sisolak's Declaration of Emergency Directive 006; Subsection 6: If a public body holds a meeting and does not provide a physical location where supporting material is available to the public, the public body must provide on its public notice agenda the name and contact information for the person designated by the public body from whom a member of the public may request supporting material electronically and must post supporting material to the public body's website, if it maintains one.

Agenda and supporting materials posted online on the following sites:

<http://adsd.nv.gov/Boards/Autism/Autism/>

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