

Task Force on Alzheimer's Disease (TFAD)

MEETING NOTICE

Date: March 17, 2026

Time: 10:00am

Pursuant to NRS 241.020(3)(a), as amended by Assembly Bill 253 of the 81st Legislative Session, this meeting will be held using remote technology only. The meeting can be listened to via telephone or viewed live over the internet.

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AGENDA

Items may be taken out of order, combined for consideration, and/or removed from the agenda at the Chairperson's discretion.

1. Roll Call & Opening Statement:

2. 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. To provide public comment telephonically, dial +1 (775) 321-6111. When prompted to provide the meeting ID, enter 969 478 286#. Comments will be limited to three (3) minutes per person. People making comments will be asked to begin by stating their name for the record, spelling their last name, and providing the Administrative Support Staff with any written comments.

3. For Possible Action: Vote of approval of TFAD's January 20, 2026, meeting minutes.

4. For Information Only: Presentation and Discussion US Pointer Study by Claire Day.

5. For Information Only: Presentation on Discussion the 2025 legislation on Hospice (Bill AB161) of Rights and Long Term Care Planning (AB461) by Shauna Brennan.

6. For Information Only: Discussion of member status.

- Departure of Ben Challinor from the Alzheimer's Association.
- Phil Kaufman from the Alzheimer's Association will be serving on the board as a representative of professionals working with individuals affected by Alzheimer's while Nikki Rubarth will serve as the backup representative, pending approvals.

7. For Possible Action: Review, Discuss and possible vote on to approve recommendations (1-14 listed below) to be Retained, retired, or Revised in the TFAD's State Plan.

- Dementia Support Specialists (DCS) Program (#1) – Jennifer Carson/Stacey Dubowitch
- Developing Community Awareness Around Increased Brain Health Literacy (#2) – Ben Challinor
- Veterans and their Families (#3) - Ben Challinor /Jennifer Carson
- Telehealth (#4) – Peter Reed
- Outreach to Primary Care Providers (#5) – Peter Reed
- Hospital Transitional Care Practices (#6) – Gini Cunningham
- Residential Long-term Care (#7) – Amy Dewitt-Smith
- Advanced Care Planning (#8) – Cecilia Alonso
- Driving and Dementia (#9) - Gini Cunningham
- Choice in Care Settings (#10) – Jennifer Carson/Amy Dewitt-Smith
- Dementia Training (#11) – Ben Challinor/Jennifer Carson
- Caregiver Support (#12) – Cecilia Alonso/Amy Dewitt-Smith
- Cultural Competence (#13) – Duy Nguyen/Ben Challinor
- Awareness of Dementia and the Legal Profession (#14) – Duy Nguyen/Dr. Jennifer Carson

8. For Information Only: Potential Agenda Topics for TFAD's May 19, 2026, meeting.

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10. Adjournment:

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- 1550 E College Parkway, Carson City, NV 89706
- Aging and Disability Services Division webpage: [Task Force on Alzheimer's Disease \(TFAD\)](#)
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