
Maternal and Child Health Advisory Board

MEETING AGENDA

DATE: December 16th, 2022, TIME: 9:00 AM

The meeting will be held via teleconference only. Members of the public who wish to attend and participate remotely are strongly encouraged to do so by utilizing the following meeting link or call-in number:

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Note: Unless a specific time is noted, agenda items may be taken out of order, combined for consideration, and or removed from the agenda at the chairperson's discretion.

1. Call to order/roll call – Linda Gabor, MSN, RN, Chair

Members: Linda Gabor, MSN, RN (Chair), Melinda Hoskins MS, APRN, CNM; Fred Schultz; Marsha Matsunaga Kirgan, MD; Keith Brill, MD; Noah Kohn, MD; Fatima Taylor, M.Ed., CPM; Katie Hackler, BSN, RN, RNC-OB; Lora Carlson, BSN, RN, RNC-OB, C-FMC; Senator Marilyn Dondero Loop; and Assemblywoman Claire Thomas

2. FOR POSSIBLE ACTION: Approval of draft minutes from the Maternal and Child Health Advisory Board (MCHAB) meeting on August 5, 2022 – Linda Gabor, MSN, RN, Chair

PUBLIC COMMENT

3. FOR POSSIBLE ACTION: Discussion and possible approval of Updated Maternal Child Health Advisory Board Committee Bylaws – Linda Gabor, MSN, RN, Chair

PUBLIC COMMENT

4. FOR POSSIBLE ACTION: Discussion and possible recommendations regarding consideration of new appointees and/or to renew expiring terms for MCHAB members. Recommendations will be submitted to the Administrator for consideration of submission to the Nevada State Board of Health for consideration of renewal appointment – Linda Gabor, MSN, RN, Chair

PUBLIC COMMENT

5. INFORMATIONAL: Presentation on Health Workforce Shortages and Policy: Implications for Maternal and Child Health in Nevada–John Packham, M.D., Associate Dean, Office of Statewide Initiatives, Co-Director, Nevada Health Workforce Research Center, University of Nevada, Reno School of Medicine

PUBLIC COMMENT

6. **FOR POSSIBLE ACTION: Presentation and possible recommendations to the Division of Public and Behavioral Health regarding Maternal and Child Health (MCH) COVID-19 Data and Resources – Praseetha Balakrishnan, MS, Biostatistician II, Office of Analytics, Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS)**

PUBLIC COMMENT

7. **INFORMATIONAL: Presentation on Children’s Advocacy Alliance 2023 Legislative Priorities—Jamelle Nance, Strong Start Prenatal-to-Three Director, Children’s Advocacy Alliance**

PUBLIC COMMENT

8. **INFORMATIONAL: Presentation on Nevada Early Childhood Comprehensive System (ECCS) Strategic Priorities –Denise Tanata, J.D., ECCS Director, The Children’s Cabinet**

PUBLIC COMMENT

9. **INFORMATIONAL: Presentation on Health in All Policies (HiAP) – Joyce Abeng, MPH, Public Health Diversity Advisor, Larson Institute, University of Nevada, Reno School of Public Health**

PUBLIC COMMENT

10. **FOR POSSIBLE ACTION: Discussion of Maternal and Child Health Bill Draft Requests, including BDRs 40-380, 15-425, 15-40, 44 and 64, and possible recommendations to the Administrator of DPBH, including possible recommendations to form a BDR subcommittee—Linda Gabor, MSN, RN, Chair**

PUBLIC COMMENT

11. **FOR POSSIBLE ACTION: Updates and possible recommendations to the Division of Public and Behavioral Health regarding the Alliance for Innovation on Maternal Health (AIM) and the Maternal Mortality Review Committee (MMRC) – Tami Conn, MCAH Section Manager, DPBH**

PUBLIC COMMENT

12. **INFORMATIONAL: Presentation on MCH Reports and MCH Updates – Kagan Griffin, MPH, RD, Title V MCH Program Manager, MCAH, DPBH**

PUBLIC COMMENT

13. **FOR POSSIBLE ACTION: Make recommendations for future agenda items – Linda Gabor, MSN, RN, Chair**

PUBLIC COMMENT

14. **FOR POSSIBLE ACTION: Approval of MCHAB meeting dates for 2023—Linda Gabor, MSN, RN, Chair**

- February 10, 2023
- May 5, 2023

- August 4, 2023
- November 3, 2023

15. Public Comment

No action may be taken on a matter raised under this item unless the matter is included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken. The Chair of the Maternal and Child Health Advisory Board will place a five (5) minute time limit on the time individuals addressing the Maternal and Child Health Advisory Board.

16. Adjournment

NOTICES OF PUBLIC MEETING HAVE BEEN POSTED AT THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS:

The Nevada Division of Public and Behavioral Health website at <https://dpbh.nv.gov/Boards/MCAB/Meetings/2022/2022NVMCHAB/>

The Department of Administration's website at <https://notice.nv.gov/>
The Division of Public and Behavioral Health - 4150 Technology Way, Carson City, NV, 89706

We are pleased to make reasonable accommodations for members of the public who are living with a disability and wish to attend the teleconferenced meeting. If special arrangements are necessary, please notify Kagan Griffin in writing by email (kgriffin@health.nv.gov), by mail (Maternal and Child Health Advisory Board, Nevada Division of Public and Behavioral Health, 4150 Technology Way, Suite 210, Carson City, NV 89706) or by calling (775) 684-4134 before the meeting date. Anyone who would like to be on the Maternal and Child Health Advisory Board mailing list must submit a written request every six months to the Nevada Division of Public and Behavioral Health at the address listed above.

If you need supporting documents for this meeting, please notify Kagan Griffin, Division of Public and Behavioral Health, Bureau of Child, Family and Community Wellness, at (775) 684-4134 or by email at kgriffin@health.nv.gov. Supporting materials are available for the public on the Nevada Division of Public and Behavioral Health Website at www.dpbh.nv.gov.

This body will provide at least two public comment periods in compliance with the minimum requirements of the Open Meeting Law prior to adjournment. Additionally, it is the goal of the Maternal and Child Health Advisory Board to also afford the public with an item-specific public comment period. No action may be taken on a matter raised under public comment unless the item has been specifically included on the agenda as an item upon which action may be taken. The Chair retains discretion to only provide for the Open Meeting Law's minimum public comment and not call for additional item-specific public comment when it is deemed necessary by the chair to the orderly conduct of the meeting.

Written comments in excess of one (1) typed page on any agenda items which requires a vote are respectfully requested to be submitted to the Maternal and Child Health Advisory Board at the below address thirty (30) calendar days prior to the meeting to ensure that adequate consideration is given to the material.