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## DIETITIAN ADVISORY GROUP

### MEETING AGENDA

**DATE: JUNE 20, 2024**

**TIME: 3:30 P.M.**

### Meeting Locations:

This meeting will be held online and by phone. The online and phone meeting locations are:

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1. Call to order/roll call:
  - Laura J. Kruskall, PhD, RDN, CSSD, LD, FACSM, FAND, Director, Dietetic Internship & Nutritional Center, Coordinator, MS Nutrition Sciences, Kinesiology and Nutrition Services, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Chair
  - Pam Wagner, RD, LD, CNSC
  - Cheryl A. Kapalka, MPH, RD, LD, CNSC, CSP
  - Sachiko Tokunaga de St. Jeor, RD, LD
  - Paul Hamernik, representing the public

#### HCQC staff:

- Leticia Metherell, RN, CPM, Health Program Manager III
- Keri King, Administrative Assistant III
- Nathan Orme, Education and Information Officer

2. Discussion and Possible Action – Review of minutes from May 9, 2024, DAG meeting.
3. Discussion and Possible Action – Discussion regarding the use of AO Scan Digital Body Analyzer to assess nutritional deficiencies and prescribe supplements, and possible action from the DAG to provide recommendations per NAC 640E.300(10)(c) on use of AO Scan Digital Body Analyzer to assess nutritional deficiencies and prescribe supplements (Leticia Metherell).

Public comment.

4. Discussion and Possible Action – Discussion regarding Nevada entering a multistate dietitian licensing compact and possible action to provide DAG opinion on whether Nevada should enter into a multistate dietitian licensing compact (Dillon Martin and/or Dawn Matusz).

Public comment.

5. General public comment.
6. Adjournment

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

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