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## The Advisory Council on the State Program for Wellness and the Prevention of Chronic Disease (CWCD)

Meeting Agenda

February 27, 1:00 PM until adjournment.

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  2. Two or more items may be combined; and
  3. Items may be removed from agenda or delayed at any time
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1. Call to Order and Roll Call.

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3. Possible Action: Review and approve October 24, 2024, Meeting Minutes – Dr. Krista Schonrock, Chair

4. Information Item: Introduction of new CWCD members and transition of chair position to Dr. Schonrock. - Dr. Krista Schonrock, Chair

5. Informational: Kidney Disease Advisory Committee Annual Report update – Michelle Harden, Quality Improvement Manager, Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion (CDPHP), Bureau of Child, Family, and Community Wellness (CFCW), Division of Public and Behavioral Health (DPBH)

6. Discuss and Possible Action: The annual stroke report – Michelle Harden Quality Improvement Manager, CDPHP, CFCW, DPBH

a. Per [NRS 439.5297](#) *Any recommendations for legislation designed to improve the quality of care provided to patients who suffer from stroke in this State.*

7. Discuss and possible Action: Nevada Statewide Learning Collaborative overview and request for Council collaboration. - Irazema (Yami) Melendez, Systems Improvement Coordinator, CDPHP, CFCW, DPBH

8. Information Item: Present partner Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion Program Reports – Dr. Krista Schonrock, Chair

Maria Azzarelli, EMHA, CHES®, Manager, CDPHP, Southern Nevada Health District

Kellie Goatley – Seals, MPH, Public Health Supervisor, Northern Nevada Public Health  
Suzi Ledezema Rubio, CDPHP Division Manager, Carson City Health and Human Services  
Brooke Conway Kleven, PT, DPT, PhD, Nevada Institute for Children’s Research and Policy (NICRP), University of Nevada, Las Vegas

9. Information Item: Present Division of Public and Behavioral Health CDPHP Section Updates and Program Reports- Michelle Harden, Quality Improvement Manager, CDPHP, CFCW, DPBH

10. Discuss and Possible Action Item: Discussion and possible action to make recommendations on new initiatives and potential collaborations- Dr. Krista Schonrock, Chair

11. Discuss and Possible Action Item: Discussion on Legislative session priorities and potential bills and bill draft reviews of interest – Dr. Krista Schonrock, Chair
  
12. Discuss and Possible Action Item: Approval of 2025 CWCD meeting dates – Dr. Krista Schonrock, Chair
  
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14. Adjournment: Dr. Krista Schonrock, Chair

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