

**MINUTES OF THE PUBLIC WORKSHOP  
TO CONSIDER  
PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO NEVADA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE 458  
May**

The Public Workshop to consider Proposed Amendments to Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 458 was called to order by Ruth Condray at 1:05 p.m. on Tuesday, May 16, 2017, at 4150 Technology Way, Room 303, Carson City, Nevada. The meeting was videoconferenced to the Southern Nevada Adult Mental Health Services, West Hall Conference Room, Las Vegas, NV. Offsite attendees accessed the meeting through a conference-call number.

**STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT**

Ruth Condray, Ph.D., Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Agency  
Sara Weaver, Administrative Assistant, Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Agency

**OTHERS PRESENT**

Amanda Swenson, WestCare

**Ruth Condray:**

Thank you for attending today's workshop concerning the proposed amendments to Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 458.336. I am Dr. Ruth Condray, and I represent the Division of Public and Behavioral Health, Bureau of Behavioral Health Wellness and Prevention, Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Agency (SAPTA). The Notice of Public Workshop, Small Business Impact Statement, and LCB File No. 134-16 are available for those in attendance. Contact Sara Weaver if you need additional copies.

The purpose of this workshop is to provide an opportunity for the public to assist the Agency in the development of the proposed regulation. The proposed regulation will then be subject to a public hearing conducted by the State Board of Health. Testimony and written materials submitted during this workshop will be considered during the final development phase of this regulation. You may also present testimony and materials for consideration to the State Board of Health prior to or during the public hearing. If you intend to submit written materials to the State Board of Health, they should be addressed to:

Cody L. Phinney, MPH, Secretary  
State Board of Health  
Nevada Division of Public and Behavioral Health  
4150 Technology Way, Suite 300  
Carson City, NV 89706

Materials submitted 15 days prior to a meeting of the Board for which this item will appear on the agenda will be included in the packets sent to the Board members for their review.

We anticipate this proposed regulation will be presented during the June 9, 2017, State Board of Health meeting. If the State Board of Health adopts the proposed regulation, the regulation is then presented to the Nevada Legislative Commission for review.

I will read the proposed amendments from LCB File No. R134-16:

Authority: NRS 458.025 and 484C.310. A regulation relating to abuse of alcohol and drugs; revising a limitation on the common ownership or operation of an evaluation center program and a treatment program in certain counties; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

1. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 2, an evaluation center program must not be operated by an operator who operates or has a financial interest in a treatment program or any other organization which provides treatment for substance-related disorders in the same geographic area at which the evaluation center program will be provided if the evaluation center program is provided in a county whose population is 100,000 or more.

2. The provisions of subsection 1 do not apply to an evaluation center program that is operated by an Indian tribe and provides services only to American Indians and Alaska Natives who are enrolled members of federally recognized tribes and their descendants.

This Workshop is now open to receive your comments regarding LCB File No. R134-16.

*[There were no public comments.]*

**Dr. Condray:**

Are there any general public comments?

*[There were no general public comments.]*

**Dr. Condray:**

Hearing no public comments, the Workshop is adjourned at 1:16 p.m.

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RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:

Signature on File in SAPTA  
Sara Weaver,  
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APPROVED BY:

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Ruth Condray, Ph.D.

DATE: May 17, 2017