



NEVADA EARLY CHILDHOOD ADVISORY COUNCIL (ECAC)
DATA & EVALUATION SUBCOMMITTEE
PUBLIC MEETING
THURSDAY, 02/15/2024
1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

“Nevada’s children will be safe, healthy, and thriving during the first eight years of life, and the system will support children and families in achieving their full potential.”

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AGENDA

1. Welcome, Call to Order, and Roll Call

*Karissa Loper Machado and
Marty Elquist, Subcommittee Co-Chairs*

2. Public Comment #1

Public Comment will be taken during this agenda item regarding any item appearing on the agenda. No action may be taken on a matter discussed under this item until the matter is included on an agenda as an item on which action may be taken. The Co-Chairs may impose a time limit of three minutes. Public Comment #2 will provide an opportunity for public comment on any matter within the Subcommittee’s jurisdiction, control or advisory power.

3. Review and Approve Minutes from December 21, 2023

*(Discussion, For Possible Action)
Karissa Loper Machado and
Marty Elquist, Subcommittee Co-Chairs*



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4. Vulnerable and Underserved Population Definition

The Committee will revisit and potentially amend any part of the Vulnerable and Underserved Population Definition (Discussion, For Possible Action)

Karissa Loper Machado and

Marty Elquist, Subcommittee Co-Chairs

5. Identify Gaps Between the Data Dictionary and Research Questions and Data Points Draft

The Committee will compare what has been collected in the “Data Dictionary” to the data points that the Committee would still like to collect. The Committee will also discuss if the data can further be disaggregated by the Vulnerable Populations definition. (Discussion, For Possible Action)

Amanda Haboush Deloye, Executive Director, Nevada Institute for Children’s Research & Policy

Justin White, Founding Partner, Data Insight Partners

6. Subcommittee Workplan Review

(Discussion, For Possible Action)

The subcommittee will review and potentially act upon and/or update the workplan.

Karissa Loper Machado and Marty Elquist, Subcommittee Co-Chairs

7. Discuss Agenda Items for Next Meeting

(Discussion, For Possible Action)

Karissa Loper Machado and

Marty Elquist, Subcommittee Co-Chairs

8. Public comment #2

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9. Adjournment