

NEVADA EARLY CHILDHOOD ADVISORY COUNCIL (ECAC)

SYSTEMS ALIGNMENT SUBCOMMITTEE

PUBLIC MEETING

Wednesday, August 28, 2024, at 1pm to 2:30pm

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

Meeting Location:

This meeting will be held via Zoom videoconference:

Topic: ECAC Systems Alignment Subcommittee Join Zoom Meeting

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Agenda

- 1. Welcome, call to order, and roll call, (*Discussion for Possible Action*)**
The Subcommittee will review attendance and welcome members and guests.
Tiffany Olivas, Abbey Bernhardt, 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 the 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. Approval of a Flexible Agenda, (*Discussion for Possible Action*)**
The subcommittee will motion to approve a flexible agenda.
Tiffany Olivas, Abbey Bernhardt, Subcommittee Co-Chairs
- 4. Approval of June 26, 2024, minutes (*Discussion for Possible Action*)**
The Subcommittee will motion to approve minutes from June 26, 2024
Tiffany Olivas, Abbey Bernhardt, Subcommittee Co-Chairs
- 5. Systems Building Initiatives, (*Discussion for Information*)**
The Subcommittee will hear a presentation on Systems Build Initiatives
Rachel Stepina, Grant Manager PDG-5, Nevada Department of Education, Office of Early Learning and Development
Jamelle Nance, Early Childhood Policy Director, Children's Advocacy Alliance
Tiffany Olivas, Early Childhood Comprehensive Systems Manager 2, The Children's Cabinet
- 6. Discuss Plans to Coordinate with Other Committees (*Discussion for Possible Action*)**
The subcommittee will discuss strategies for coordinating with other subcommittees.
Tiffany Olivas, Abbey Bernhardt, Subcommittee Co-Chairs
- 7. Subcommittee Work Plan Review, (*Discussion for Possible Action*)**
The Subcommittee will review, update, and possibly adjust the subcommittee workplan.
Tiffany Olivas, Abbey Bernhardt, Subcommittee Co-Chairs
- 8. Partnering with Advisory Groups and Organizations (*Discussion for Possible Action*)**
The Subcommittee will discuss partnering with Advisory groups and organization and invite list to the System Alignment Meetings.
Tiffany Olivas, Abbey Bernhardt, Subcommittee Co-Chairs
- 9. Discuss agenda items for next meeting (*Discussion for Possible Action*)**
The Subcommittee will discuss topics to add to the next System Alignment Meeting agenda.
Tiffany Olivas, Abbey Bernhardt, Subcommittee Co-Chair

10. Upcoming Meeting Schedule

2024 System Alignment Meetings

1pm- 2:30pm September 25, System Alignment Meeting

1pm-2:30pm October 23rd, System Alignment Meeting

1pm-2:30pm November 27th, System Alignment Meeting

December 2024 no System Alignment Meeting

11. Public comment #2 (Discussion for Possible Action)

Public comment will be taken during this agenda item on any matter within the Council's jurisdiction, control, or advisory power. No action may be taken on a matter raised under this item until the matter is included on the agenda as an item on which action may be taken. The Council Chair will impose a time limit of three minutes.

12. Adjournment

Tiffany Olivas, Abbey Bernhardt, Subcommittee Co-Chairs