



**QUALITY RATING AND IMPROVEMENT SYSTEM (QRIS) ADVISORY COMMITTEE
PUBLIC MEETING
Tuesday August 31, 2021
1:00 PM**

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AGENDA

Welcome, Call to Order, and Roll Call

John Cregg, Committee Chair

Public Comment #1

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Approval of Flexible Agenda

(For Possible Action) The Council will approve a flexible agenda.

John Cregg, Committee Chair

Item A: Minutes from April 2021

(Discussion, For Possible Action) The Committee will discuss and approve the minutes.

John Cregg, Committee Chair

Item B: QRIS Updates - OELD Team

(Information/Discussion)

Emily Champlin, NDE- OELD, QRIS Administrator

- a. Welcome to New Committee Members**
- b. QRIS Bylaws review and updates.**
- c. Confidentiality Agreements**
- d. Subsidy Onboarding Process**
- e. Updates to the QRIS Models**
 - i. LEA Model**
 - 1. Updated LEA Model**
 - ii. Center Model**
 - 1. Quality Indicator Survey - NICRP**
 - iii. FCC Model**
- f. QRIS Vision & Mission**
- g. QRIS website transition**
- h. QRIS partnership with the Military MCCYN -Plus Program**
- i. Future Meeting Dates:** October 26, 2021 January 25, 2021
 - 1. QRIS Administrator would like to request an August/September 2021 committee or subcommittee additional meeting.**

Public Comment Allowed

Item C: Committee Member Updates

(Information/Discussion)

- a. John Cregg -Chair, T.E.A.C.H. Early Childhood® NEVADA*
- b. Shelly Nye, The Nevada Registry*
- c. Dr. Krisann Alvarez, Early Childhood Mental Health*
- d. Marty Elquist, The Children's Cabinet, SEED Director*
- e. Tammy Hutchinson, State CC Licensing Staff*
- f. Chrystal Johnson, Child Care Development Fund*
- g. Marci Hosier-Behmaram, Early Head Start*
- h. Patrice Gardner, Head Star State Collaborations Director*
- i. Tammy Bock, Family Childcare Provider Northern NV*
- j. DeAnna Owens, HCSD Grass Valley School Early Learning Center*
- k. Melissa Konkol, Under the Magic Pine Tree, Center Director N. Nevada*
- l. Jazmin Gamonal, Lucky Kids Daycare, Center Director S. Nevada*
- m. Kisha Gray, Keys Kids Childcare, Family Childcare Director Southern Nevada*
- n. Jennifer Moretensen, Parent Representative*
- o. Washoe County Licensing, TBD*
- p. Tribal Program, TBD*

Item D: Future Agenda Items

(Discussion, For Possible Action) Committee will discuss what they would like on the upcoming agendas

John Cregg, Committee Chair

- **2022 Meeting Dates**

Public Comment #2

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Adjournment