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**NEVADA OFFICE OF MINORITY HEALTH AND EQUITY (NOMHE)**  
**Quarterly Advisory Committee Meeting**  
**February 8, 2022**  
10:00 am to Adjournment  
Public Meeting Notice

**AGENDA**

**TO PARTICIPATE IN ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING:**

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- *All Advisory Committee members joining virtually, please ENGAGE CAMERAS for duration of meeting; raise your hand to be recognized by Chair to speak*
- *All general public participants, please withhold remarks until Public Comments*
- *For anyone commenting, state and spell your name with each comment*
- *Real time closed captioning and ASL interpretation services will be provided*

**NOTE:** *Agenda items may be taken out of order, combined for consideration and/or removed from the Agenda at the Chairperson's discretion.*

**1. Call to Order / Roll Call and Opening Statement:**

Erik Jimenez, Chair

Members: Erik Jimenez (Chair); Andrea Gregg (Vice Chair); Andre Wade; Dr. Crystal Lee; Rev. Dr. Karen Anderson; Cassandra Cotton; Dr. Jennifer Kawi

Ex-Officio Member: Senator Pat Spearman

**2. Public Comment:**

Erik Jimenez, Chair

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**3. Approval of November 9, 2021 Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes (For Possible Action):**

Erik Jimenez, Chair

**4. Report and Discussion of NOMHE Sustainability / Budget (For Possible Action):**

Erik Jimenez, Chair

**5. Report and Discussion of NOMHE Impacts:**

Tina Dortch, NOMHE Program Manager

Updates on NOMHE’s mission-driven activities, strategic partnerships/initiatives, and status of actioning its CDC Health Disparity Grant by Program Manager and NOMHE Staff

- CDC Health Disparity Grant Update (Building Capacity to Address Health Disparities) - Nevada Minority Health Equity Coalition
- NOMHE’s Equity Filter (Dominique Seck, Nevada Office of Minority Health and Equity)
- NOMHE “Equity Champion” Recognition Initiative (Alexandra Neal, Nevada Office of Minority Health and Equity)

**6. Presentation on the Implementation of an Advisory Committee for Kidney Disease as Required by SB 341 of the 2021 Legislative Session; A Measure Relating to Racial Equity:**

Mitch DeValliere, Quality Improvement Manager - Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Public and Behavioral Health, Behavioral Health Wellness and Prevention

Presentation from the Division of Public and Behavioral Health on its implementation of SB 341's provision to establish and consult with an advisory committee to address reduction of health disparities experienced by racial and ethnic minorities as it relates to kidney disease.

**7. Discussion and Approval of Future Meeting Dates, Agenda Topics (For Possible Action):**

Erik Jimenez, Chair

**8. Public Comments**

Erik Jimenez, Chair

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**9. Adjournment**

Erik Jimenez, Chair

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- Washoe County Health District, 1001 E. Ninth St., Reno, NV
- NV Dept of Public Safety – Capitol Police, **555 E. Washington Ave**, Las Vegas, NV 89101
- State Legislative Building, **401 S. Carson Street**, Suite 3138, Carson City, NV 89701
- Early Intervention Services, 1020 Ruby Vista Drive, Ste 102, Elko, NV
- Division of Public and Behavioral Health, 4150 Technology Way, Carson City, NV 89706
- Aging Disability Services Division, 3320 W Sahara, Ste 100, LV, NV 89102
- Southern Nevada Health District, 280 S. Decatur Blvd. Las Vegas, NV 89107

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