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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING
of the
PSYCHEDELIC MEDICINES WORKING GROUP

DATE: Friday, April 12, 2024

TIME: 9:00am - Adjournment

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- *“For Information” items are informal in nature and may include discussion and ideas.*
- *“For Possible Action” items may be voted on or approved by members of the working group.*

AGENDA

1. **Call to Order**
2. **Welcome and Introductions (Roll Call)**
3. **Public Comment** (*Action may not be taken on any matter brought up under this Agenda item until scheduled on an Agenda for a later meeting*)
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4. **For Information:** Overview of Senate Bill 242

Marla McDade Williams, Chair
5. **For Information:** Presentation on Data Related to Addiction, Treatment-Resistant Depression, Major Depressive Disorder, Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder, and Psychological Distress Resulting in the End of a Person's Life

Kyra Morgan, Chief Biostatistician, Office of Analytics, Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS)
6. **For Information:** Discussion of Suicide Prevention Programs Administered by the Following Agencies
 - a. Office of Suicide Prevention, Bureau of Behavioral Health, Wellness, and Prevention, Division of Public and Behavioral Health, DHHS

Misty Vaughn Allen, Suicide Prevention Coordinator
 - b. Nevada Department of Veteran Services

Aimee Green, Suicide Prevention Program Manager
7. **For Information:** Discussion of Mental Health Needs in Nevada

Robin Reedy, Executive Director, National Alliance on Mental Illness, Nevada
8. **For Information:** Overview of Current Treatment Options for Mental Health, Addiction, and Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder

Dr. Burton Tabaac
9. **For Information:** Science of Psychedelics Overview

Dr. Dustin Hines

10. For Possible Action: Discussion of Future Topics and Adoption of Work Plan for Working Group

11. Public Comment (*Action may not be taken on any matter brought up under this Agenda item until scheduled on an Agenda for a later meeting*)

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12. Adjournment

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