

Texas Statewide Health Coordinating Council Meeting Agenda

February 29, 2024 - 10:00 am

Department of State Health Services, Robert D. Moreton Building, Room M-100
1100 West 49th Street, Austin, TX
78756

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1. Presiding member's welcome and introductions.
2. Establish a quorum: roll call and possible action to approve excused absences.
3. Statewide Health Coordinating Council (SHCC) discussion and possible action to approve October 5, 2023, Meeting Minutes.
4. Presentation by Clair Benitez, Director of the Office of Disability Services Coordination, from the Texas Health and Human Services Commission, Community Services Division.
5. SHCC agency representatives' reports.
 - a. Texas Health and Human Services Commission
 - b. Texas Department of State Health Services
 - c. Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board
6. Update on SHCC representation on the Texas Health and Human Services Commission E-Health Advisory Committee
7. Health Professions Resource Center and SHCC coordinator's report
8. Texas Center for Nursing Workforce Studies report
9. Report on the State Health Plan update: review of draft, timeline.
 - a. Subcommittee reports from Elizabeth Mayer, Courtney Harvey and Quincy Moore on progress of the State Health Plan update.
10. Administrative items and next steps
 - a. Tentative SHCC meeting dates: June 6, 2024.
11. Public comment and adjourn.

Note: The Council may act upon any agenda item.

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