

State of Nevada
Speech-Language Pathology, Audiology and Hearing Aid Dispensing Board

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Advisory Committee on Fitting and Dispensing Hearing Aids

Teleconference - Friday January 11, 2019 at 3:30 p.m.

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Board Administrative Office
6160 Mae Anne Avenue, Suite 3
Reno, Nevada 89523

AGENDA

The **STATE OF NEVADA SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY, AUDIOLOGY AND HEARING AID DISPENSING BOARD, Advisory Committee on Fitting and Dispensing Hearing Aids** may (a) address agenda items out of sequence (b) combine agenda items or (c) pull or remove items from the agenda at any time. The Board may convene in closed session to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person. (NRS 241.020, NRS 241.030). Action by the Board on any item may be to approve, deny, amend or table.

1. Call to Order, Confirmation of Quorum.
2. Public comment

No vote may be taken upon a matter raised during a period devoted to public comment until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken. (NRS 241.020)
3. Approval of the Minutes of the Advisory Committee Meeting (for possible action)
 - October 19, 2018
4. Exemption from the sales and use tax on durable medical equipment - Ballot Question 4, 2018 Elections (informational)
5. Discussion and recommendation regarding support of federal legislation; Audiology Patient Choice Act (for possible action)
6. Discussion on role of Audiology Assistants vs Use of Assistants, Aids and Technicians NAC 637B.0442 (for possible action)
7. Discussion of FDA approval of Bose self-fitting hearing aids and applicability of Nevada law and regulations (for possible action)
8. Discussion of including Masking as an additional State requirement, IHS Practical Exam (for possible action)
9. Discussion of NAC 637B.0398, duties of a sponsor and NAC 637B.042, professional responsibilities as they pertain to unlicensed practice by an apprentice (for possible action)
10. Report by Committee Chair, Meeting Schedule, Practical Exam Proctor Training, Items From the Floor (informational)

11. Public comment

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12. Adjournment (For possible action.)

Public comment is welcomed. Public comment will be limited to five minutes per person and comments based on viewpoint will not be restricted. A public comment time will be available prior to action items on the agenda and on any matter not specifically included on the agenda as the last item on the agenda. At the discretion of the Chair, additional public comment may be heard when that item is reached. The Chair may allow additional time to be given a speaker as time allows and in his/her sole discretion. (NRS 241.020, NRS 241.030)

Prior to the commencement and conclusion of a contested case or a quasi-judicial proceeding that may affect the due process rights of an individual, the Board may refuse to consider public comment. (NRS 233B.126)

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