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Nevada Speech-Language Pathology, Audiology And Hearing Aid Dispensing Board

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Wednesday, October 15, 2025 ~ 4:30pm

Location: Board Office ~ 6170 Mae Anne Avenue, Suite 1, Reno, Nevada 89523

Supporting materials relating to this meeting will be physically available but in an effort to reduce costs and preserve resources, attendees are encouraged to access electronic copies on the Board's website at <https://www.nvspeechhearing.org/about/Minutes.asp>

Teleconference Access

ZOOM VIDEO & AUDIO:

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Meeting ID: 826 3498 6193 **Passcode:** 028072

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Public Comment

Any person wishing to make public comment may attend the meeting and provide comment as follows:

- 1) In person at the physical location(s) listed above,
- 2) Virtually through the Zoom teleconference video link listed above, or
- 3) Telephonically through the Zoom telephone number listed above.

Please see additional public comment instructions at the end of this agenda.

AGENDA

The **STATE OF NEVADA SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY, AUDIOLOGY AND HEARING AID DISPENSING BOARD** 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: Board Meeting of July 9, 2025 *(for possible action)*

4. Disciplinary/Administrative Matters and Applications for Board Review *(for possible action)*

- a. Case #UP25-02 Sarah Simminger, License #SP-3635 Provisional (Expired): Administrative Unlicensed Practice Case and License Reinstatement Application *(for possible action)*
- b. Case #UP25-04 Deanna Pollock, License #SP-2135 (Expired): Administrative Unlicensed Practice Case and License Reinstatement Application *(for possible action)*
- c. Katherine Rose: Application for a license to practice audiology for Board review, submitted July 25, 2025 *(for possible action)*
- d. Jenessa Bolenbaugh: Application for an apprentice license to practice hearing aid fitting & dispensing for Board review, submitted August 25, 2025 *(for possible action)*
- e. Recommendation for Dismissal: Case #S25-02 *(for possible action)*

5. Public Hearing to Consider Public Comment on the Proposed Adoption, Amendment, or Repeal of Regulations NAC 637B, LCB File R026-25 *(informational only)*

- a. Introduction to Proposed Regulations *(informational only)*
- b. Public Comment on Proposed Regulations

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6. Consideration to Adopt, Amend, or Repeal Proposed Regulations NAC 637B LCB File R026-25 Based on Comments Received at Public Hearing *(for possible action)*

The Board will consider additions, amendments, and/or repeal of regulations for adoption, taking into consideration comments from the public. *(for possible action)*

7. Work Session on Licensing, Website, and Policy Revisions, Fee Waivers, and Licensee/Stakeholder Outreach & Education Related to AB177 & ASLP Interstate Compact *(for possible action)*

- a. Update on AB177/AB230 Workplan and Application/Website Revisions & Plan to Manually Convert Dispensing Audiologist Licenses *(for possible action)*
- b. Discussion on AUD-D License Conversion & Waiver and/or Reimbursement of Fees Impacted by AB177 *(for possible action)*
- c. Consideration to Approve New SLP Assistant Clinical Training Plan Forms *(for possible action)*
- d. ASLP-IC Update (AB230) & Report-Out on ASLP-IC Annual Commission Meeting *(for possible action)*
- e. Board Policy Revisions for Review & Approval *(for possible action)*
- f. Consideration of Licensee & Stakeholder Outreach & Education Plan Related to AB177 & AB230, Including Partnering with NSHA and Other Stakeholders *(for possible action)*

8. Executive Director's Report and Consideration to Approve Revised FY26 Budget *(for possible action)*

- a. Licensure Statistics *(for possible action)*
- b. FY25 Q4/End of Year & FY26 Q1 Financial Reports *(for possible action)*
- c. FY24-FY25 Biennial Audit Update with Consideration to Delegate Authority to Board Chair & Executive Director to Accept Audit & Submit to LCB *(for possible action)*
- d. FY26 Budget Revised for Review & Approval *(for possible action)*
- e. NCSB Annual Conference Report-Out *(for possible action)*
- f. Update on Proposed Regulations from the Office of Boards & Commissions *(for possible action)*
- g. Update on CMS Reimbursement for Provisional SLP Licensees *(for possible action)*

- h. Nevada Commission for Persons who are Deaf and Hard of Hearings' 2025 October Town Hall Tour and 2025 Engagement Conference *(for possible action)*
- i. Board Member Appointments/Reappointments and Update on Appointment of Banking Signatories *(for possible action)*
- j. Complaints *(for possible action)*

9. Report from Legal Counsel *(informational only)*

10. Reports from Board Chair and Members

- a. Report from Board Chair and Board Members *(for possible action)*
- b. 2026 Proposed Meeting Schedule: *(for possible action)*:
 - Wednesday, January 14, 2026 at 4:30pm. Teleconference: Reno Board Office & Zoom
 - Wednesday, April 15, 2026 at 4:30pm. In-Person: Las Vegas hosted by Adrienne Williams & Zoom
- c. Future Agenda Items *(for possible action)*
 - 1) Update on Regulation Revisions LCB File R026-25 *(for possible action)*
 - 2) ASLP Interstate Compact Update *(for possible action)*
 - 3) Other Items as Proposed *(for possible action)*

11. Public Comment

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12. Adjournment *(for possible action)*

PUBLIC COMMENT

Public comment is welcomed by the Board. 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 Board Chair, additional public comment may be heard when that item is reached. The Board Chair may allow additional time to be given a speaker as time allows and in their 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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- Nevada Speech-Language Pathology, Audiology and Hearing Aid Dispensing Board [Website](#) and Office, 6170 Mae Anne Avenue, Suite 1, Reno, Nevada 89523
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