



Aging and Disability Services Council

Texas Department of Aging and Disability Services
John H. Winters Building – Public Hearing Room
701 W. 51st Street, Austin, Texas

Agenda
September 17, 2015
8:30 AM

1. **Welcome and Call to Order**
2. **Approval of the Minutes of the June 11, 2015 Council Meeting** [*Item open for action*]
3. **Commissioner's Quarterly Update**
 - Activities
 - Special Recognition(s) / Announcement(s)
 - Staffing and Personnel
4. **Proposed 2016 Meeting Dates**
5. **Public Comment**
6. **Informational Items:**
 - a. [The adoption of an amendment to §97.501 and repeal of §97.502 are in response to Senate Bill \(S.B.\) 1880, 84th Legislature, Regular Session, 2015, which amends Texas Health and Safety Code \(HSC\), §142.009 \(c\) to transfer, from DADS to the Department of Family and Protective Services \(DFPS\), the authority to investigate an allegation of abuse, neglect, or exploitation \(ANE\) of a child under the age of 18 who is receiving services from a home and community support services agency \(HCSSA\) licensed under Chapter 142. S.B. 1880 also amends Texas Family Code, §261.404 to give DFPS the authority to investigate an allegation of ANE of a child receiving services from a HCSSA if the person who is alleged to have committed the ANE is an officer, employee, agent, contractor, or subcontractor of the HCSSA.](#)
7. **Recommendations to Propose:**
 - a. [Recommendation to propose amendments and new sections in 40 TAC Chapter 2, Subchapter L, Service Coordination for Individuals with an Intellectual Disability; 40 TAC Chapter 9, Subchapter D, Home and Community-based Services \(HCS\) Program; 40 TAC Chapter 9, Subchapter N, Texas Home Living \(TxHmL\) Program; 40 TAC Chapter 41, Consumer Directed Services Option; 40 TAC Chapter 42, Deaf Blind with Multiple Disabilities \(DBMD\) Program; 40 TAC Chapter 45, Community Living Assistance and Support Services; and 40 TAC Chapter 49, Contracting for Community Services.](#) [*Item open for action*]
8. **Adjourn**