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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING AND AGENDA

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to members of the **DDD District West Independent Oversight Committee** and to the general public that the Council will hold a meeting, open to the public, on **November 26, 2024 at 6:00 pm. This meeting will be held virtually. Instructions on how the public may participate in this meeting are below.** For additional information, please call **480-431-4155** or contact staff at dddioes@azdes.gov.

The following options will be available for public attendance. Details on available options and associated instructions are included below:

Google Meet - Join by phone: (US) +1 405-380-9093 PIN: 674 377#

Google Meet - Video Link: <https://meet.google.com/xhy-ikfv-nbg?authuser=0>

****NOTE: Members of the public do not need to have a Google account to participate in this meeting.****

****Please note that members of the public that choose to utilize Google Meet must keep their microphone muted for the duration of the meeting. If a member of the public is invited to speak, they may unmute their microphone by pressing *6.***

The Board/Committee allows time for public comment on any item on the agenda. Members may not discuss items that are not specifically identified on the agenda. Therefore, pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.01(H), action taken as a result of public comment will be limited to directing staff to study the matter, responding to any criticism, or scheduling the matter for further consideration and decision at a later date.

Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation, such as a sign language interpreter, by calling staff at 480-431-4155. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.

A copy of the material provided to members (with the exception of material relating to possible executive sessions) will be available for public inspection on <https://ioc.az.gov/>

Under A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3), the Board/Committee may vote to go into executive session, which will not be open to the public, for the purpose of obtaining legal advice on any item on the agenda.

At its discretion, the Board/Committee may consider and act upon any agenda item out of order. Members may appear by electronic means. The agenda for the meeting (subject to change up to 24 hours before the meeting) is as follows:

A. CALL TO ORDER

B. DISCLOSURES OF CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

C. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

D. CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

The Consent Agenda items may be considered for approval as a single action unless a Council member wishes to remove an item for discussion. The Board/Committee will review and may vote to take action on the following matter(s):

- 1. Member Death Data, DDD Tracking and Trending**
- 2. DDD Incident Reports: Expected and Unexpected Death Categories**
- 3. DDD Mortality Review Processes**
- 4. Article on DDD Member Deaths - ref “The problem is the way people with disabilities are seen - as subhuman and of no value”, [Peoria Independent Stories], 9/16/24 <https://www.yourvalley.net/peoria-independent/stories/carbello-the-problem-is-the-way-people-with-disabilities-are-seen-as-subhuman-not-really.534323>**
- 5. Holiday Gifts from the Heart Program**
- 6. Changing DW IOC Monthly Meeting Day**
- 7. Discussion, Review, and Possible Action regarding any policy issues of concern to IOC Members including requests for education presentations**
- 8. DDD and AHCCCS Policy Notification Review and Discussion**
 - a. [DDD Operations Policy Manual - 113 Committee Membership](#)**
- 9. DDD Staff updates**
- 10. Updates from Arizona Department of Administration**
- 11. Updates from Integrated Health Plans & AHCCCS**
- 12. Updates from DDD IOC liaison**
- 13. Discussion, Review, and Possible Action on Committee Membership**
- 14. Discussion and Review of Incident Reports and Behavior Plans**

E. PUBLIC COMMENT

F. CONSIDERATION, DISCUSSION, AND POSSIBLE ACTION The Board/Committee may vote to go into Executive Session on any item on the agenda pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3)

- 1. Confidential Incident Report and Individual Behavior Plan Discussions**
- 2. IOC Membership Discussions**

G. EXECUTIVE SESSION

H. ADJOURNMENT
