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AGENDA

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TUESDAY

Date: September 30, 2025
Time: 2:30 PM
Room: HR D

Organizational Meeting

Adoption of Proposed Committee Rules

Informational Meeting

Invited Speakers Only

Overview of *Wyatt v. Kotek* Settlement and Neutral Expert's Initial Review

Matthew Perreault, Legislative Policy and Research Office (LPRO)

Overview of 9th Circuit Court Opinion on *Wyatt v. Kotek* regarding "Child in Care" and Related Matters

Lori Anne Sills, Senior Deputy Legislative Counsel

Family Court, Child Welfare and Domestic Violence: Risks and Opportunities in Coordination

Ann Samuelson

Additional presenters to be determined

Stabilization and Crisis Unit (SACU) Transformation Planning: Collaboration, Values and Timelines

Darlene O'Keefe, Interim Director, Office of Developmental Disabilities Services (ODDS), Oregon Department of Human Services (ODHS)

Winston Brown, SACU Interim Director, ODDS, ODHS

Leslie Sutton, Residential Facilities Ombudsman, Office of the Long Term Care Ombudsman

Christina Sydenstricker-Brown, SACU worker; President, AFSCME Local 1256

Beth Brownhill, Managing Attorney, Developmental Disability Rights Project, Disability Rights Oregon

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Update on SB 91 (2023) Implementation—Children’s Extraordinary Needs Waiver

Darlene O’Keefe, Interim Director, Office of Developmental Disabilities Services (ODDS),
Oregon Department of Human Services (ODHS)
Caitlin Shockley, ODDS, ODHS

Culture of Yes: Progress, Challenges and Timelines for Delivery of Mandatory Services to Kids With Complex Needs (SB 1557, 2024)

Holly Heiberg, Medicaid Policy Director, Oregon Health Authority (OHA)
Christa Jones, Behavioral Health Deputy Director, Service Delivery, OHA

Public Hearing

Youth Voice

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