



NOTICE OF COMBINED PUBLIC MEETING AND EXECUTIVE SESSION OF THE ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF CHILD SAFETY (DCS) COMMUNITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the Arizona DCS Community Advisory Committee and to the general public that the Arizona DCS Community Advisory Committee will hold a meeting open to the public on Friday October 1, 2021 from 2:00p.m.- 4:00 p.m. virtually. The public may call in and listen to these proceedings in real time at:

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In addition to being able to call in and listen to these proceedings in real time, the public may also observe a recording of the meeting by accessing:

<https://dcs.az.gov/about/community-advisory-committee>

A copy of the agenda and background materials will be available at:

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AGENDA

1. Welcome, Introductions, and Meeting Format
2. Staffing shortages and the effect on timely service referrals
A representative of DCS will address the topic of staffing shortages and the impact on timely service referrals. A representative from the provider community will address the topic from the provider lens and the impact on timely services. The Committee will discuss and take possible action based on the information provided.
3. SB1391/Assignment of an attorney for juveniles in dependency matters
A representative of the juvenile courts will address the topic of signed Senate Bill 1391 and its impact on juveniles in dependency matters. The committee will discuss and take possible action based on the information provided.

4. Crimes Against Children/SB1660/Multidisciplinary Approach
A representative of law enforcement will address the topic of Crimes Against Children in Maricopa county as well as surrounding counties and how this process is implemented and investigated. The Committee will discuss and take possible action based on the information provided.
5. Members of the Committee to provide updates/highlight developments for the benefit of the other members of the Committee.
6. Call for Public Comment
The call for public comment portion of the October 1, 2021 meeting will require the public to forward comments to CommunityAdvisoryCommittee@azdcs.gov or through the following link <https://dcs.az.gov/about/community-advisory-committee> prior to the meeting, or during the meeting. The Committee Chair will read the comments into the official record of the meeting. The Committee requests that anyone wishing to comment provide their name and contact information on the comment card.
7. Set Agenda for next meeting
The committee will finalize the agenda for the next meeting December 3, 2021
8. Meeting Schedule for Fiscal Year 2022
August 6, 2021
October 1, 2021
December 3, 2021
February 4, 2022
April 1, 2022
June 3, 2022
9. Executive Session:
The Committee may vote to go into Executive Session for discussion and consultation with the DCS General Counsel regarding agenda items 1-5 above pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3).

A copy of the agenda and background material provided to Committee members (with the exception of material relating to possible executive sessions) are available for public inspection at the Committee's office, 3003 N. Central Ave. Phoenix, AZ 85012 and on <https://dcs.az.gov/about/community-advisory-committee>.

Persons having a difficulty connecting into the meeting can contact Sarah Torres at 602-318-3567 for assistance.