



**Advisory Council on Quality Supports for People with
Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities**

**Feb. 8, 2024
ZOOM Meeting
9:00 am to 1:00 pm**

Mission: *The Advisory Council advises the New Mexico Department of Health on the systems guiding the provision of services and supports that assist people with Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities of all ages and their families to be fully included in New Mexico communities.*

Vision: *People with Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities of all ages and their families receive the support and services needed to live inclusively and as independently as possible within their community.*

9:00 Welcome and announcements- Lisa Blue

- Introductions will be made by printing names and agencies in the chat box.
- ACQ BOD members, please list this on ZOOM with your name (not just in the chat) so the ACQ co-chairs can easily identify BOD members.
- A reminder that everyone is invited to participate during Public Comment periods but otherwise the discussions are for ACQ members. ACQ BOD members only will be called on during the discussion periods.
- The annual orientation for new and current ACQ BOD members will be scheduled in April 2024.
- The ACQ Exec. Comm. will host ACQ Exec. Comm. Listening sessions bi-monthly (the opposite month from the ACQ meetings) to hear and discuss people's concerns/questions, etc. The next Listening session will be Thursday, March 14 at 9:00 am.
- A special welcome to Ms. Kim Skinner, Mayor Pro Tem of Elephant Butte!
- A reminder that the ACQ is a safe, respectful place for all. Please direct all comments to the issues, not about specific individuals.
- Please provide feedback at <https://s.surveyplanet.com/jmes7mjb>
- If you have any concerns you want to bring to the attention of the ACQ Exec. Comm. please contact any ACQ Exec. Comm. member: Daniel Ekman (daniel.ekman@ddc.nm.gov), Lisa Blue (tblue11@comcast.net), Tracy Perry (tracy@directtherapyservices.com), Siri Guru Nam Khalsa (sirigurunamkaur@hotmail.com), Scott Doan (scott.doan@doh.nm.gov) or Wendy Corry (wendy@corryconsulting.com)

9:10 Meet and greet in break-out rooms (groups of three people)- Lisa Blue

9:20 Review and request approval for minutes from December 2023- Daniel Ekman

9:25 Public Comment: Lisa Blue

9:40 Review purpose and guidelines for the ACQ/Partnership with State Agencies, Advocates, ect.: Daniel Ekman, Lisa Blue, Exec. Comm.

10:00 DOH/DDSD Director Question and Answers to the ACQ Questions submitted from the ACQ Dec. 14, 2023, meeting: Dr. Acosta

11:00 Annual Mortality Review Comm. Report- Dr. Toni Benton

Break

12:10 Legislative Updates pending speaker availability: Rep. Kathleen Cates

12:20 Standing Committee Updates: Lisa Blue

- Mi Via Advisory Committee Update- Denise Balderas (MVAC Rep)
- Questions for any committees or input requested from the ACQ.

12:35 Public Comment-Lisa Blue

12:50 Share positive stories/Announcements: All

1:00 Closing- Lisa Blue

UNM/CDD TS-2 is inviting you to a scheduled Zoom meeting.

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