California Health and Human Services Agency
Olmstead Advisory Committee
Meeting Notice and Agenda

Tuesday, September 29th, 2020
10:00am – 1:30pm

Call-in Information: Zoom

1. Welcome and Introductions 10:00 a.m.
   Welcome and Introductions by CHHS Secretary Mark Ghaly, Department Directors, and Committee Members.

2. Updates from Agency and Departments 10:15 a.m.
   Departments of Aging, Developmental Services, Health Care Services, Rehabilitation, and Social Services will provide updates.

3. COVID-19 Update 10:45 a.m.
   The committee will hear from Marko Mijic and Alice Chen with the California Health and Human Services Agency on ways the state is building up testing capabilities, as well as how the state is planning for vaccine development and distribution. Additionally, the Committee will hear from Heidi Steinecker from the California Department of Public Health on efforts to mitigate COVID-19 in Skilled Nursing Facilities.

4. Public Safety Power Shutoffs and Wildfires 11:45 a.m.
   The Committee will hear from Liz Basnett and John Ohanian with the California Health and Human Services Agency regarding efforts to leverage data to help inform how we ensure that individuals with access and functional needs are safe and have access to services during a PSPS event or wildfire.

5. Master Plan on Aging 12:45 p.m.
   The Committee will hear from Kim McCoy Wade with the Department of Aging on progress related to the development of the Master Plan on Aging. Additionally, the Committee will hear from Andy Imparato with Disability Rights California and Christina Mills with the California Foundations for Independent Living Centers.

6. Next Steps and Closing Comments 1:15 p.m.

Meeting Adjourns 1:30 p.m.
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