



## State of Wisconsin Council on Physical Disabilities

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### For Immediate Release:

Please post and/or share with anyone who might be interested in issues affecting people with physical disabilities, this Open Meeting Notice for a Quarterly Meeting of the Wisconsin Council on Physical Disabilities from July 26, 2017 and July 27, 2017 from 9:00 AM to 3:30 PM (both days) at the Comfort Inn and Suites located at 5025 County Rd V, DeForest, WI 53532. The meeting can also be accessed at:

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A draft agenda with the toll-free telephone number and password information is also attached below. Other documents for the meeting will be sent separately to members of the Council and others who request them.

The Wisconsin Council on Physical Disabilities was created by the state legislature in 1989. Its mission, established by state statute 46.29 is to:

- develop a state plan for services to people with physical disabilities;
- request reports from state agencies regarding programs, funding, clients or services to people with physical disabilities;
- advise state agencies on legislation, funding, programs, policies and operations with respect to people with physical disabilities;
- encourage public understanding of the needs and issues concerning people with physical disabilities;
- FaceTime consider all questions and matters brought to the Council concerning people with physical disabilities; and
- submit an annual report to the state legislature with recommendations on legislation.

The Council envisions a world where all persons with physical disabilities have access to the same life choices and opportunities as any other Wisconsin citizen.

The Council is administratively attached to the Department of Health Services. If you need an interpreter, alternate formats, or other accommodations to participate, please contact Lisa Sobczyk, Independent Living Quality Specialist, with the Bureau of Aging and Disability Resources via email or at the telephone number listed below, as soon as possible.

Thank you for your interest and support.

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**Quarterly Meeting  
Comfort Inn and Suites  
Deforest, WI 53703**

**Wednesday, July 26, 2017  
9:00 AM – 3:30 PM**

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**Draft Agenda**

**July 26, 2017**

- 9:00 AM Welcome and Introductions**
- 9:25 AM Review and Approval of Draft Agenda
- 9:35 AM Review and Approval of Minutes from Quarterly Meeting, April 27, 2017
- 10:00 AM Wisconsin APSE's (Association for People Supporting Employment First) – Shannon Webb
- 10:30 AM Federal Updates: K-12 and Special Education – Eva Kaminski, Department of Public Instruction
- 11:15 AM BREAK**
- 11:30 AM Discussion of IRIS (Include, Respect, I Self Direct) and Concerns to Address with DHS
- 12:00 PM BREAK**
- 12:15 PM Working Lunch – Division of Vocations Rehabilitation Reports on Consumers Served with Physical Disabilities (Craig Wehner with DVR provided data, but is unable to attend). Discussion about DVR employment programs for people with disabilities
- 12:30 PM DNR Accessibility Updates – Nick Zouski, Department of Natural Resources
- 1:30 PM BREAK**



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- 1:45 PM IRIS Program 40- Hour Policy – Jody Brassfield, Office of IRIS Management
- 2:45 PM Liaisons Updates
- 3:15 PM Wrap-Up of Presentations and Identification of Issues for the Work Plan
- 3:30 PM Adjourn Meeting for July 26, 2017. Meeting will reconvene July 27, 2017 at 9:00 AM.**

**Thursday, July 27, 2017  
9:00 AM – 3:30 PM**

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**July 27, 2017**

- 9:00 AM Reconvene Meeting**
- 9:05 AM Public Comment
- 9:15 AM Review of Issues Identified for Work Plan Day One of Meeting
- 10:15 AM Review of data requested by the Council from Secretary Seemeyer including number of individuals on the exchange and homeless data for the state and data requested from David Stepien on IRIS assessments.
- 11:15 AM BREAK**
- 11:30 AM Emergency Preparedness Toolkit Presentation
- 12:30 PM BREAK**
- 12:45 PM Working lunch - Committee Updates**
- 1:00 PM Overview of reports to legislator and work plan. Drafting of Council's Work Plan



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**2:30 PM**      **BREAK**

2:45 PM      Continue Drafting Work Plan

3:15 PM      Old/New Business

**3:30 PM**      **Adjourn**