



Quarterly PDN Contractor Meeting

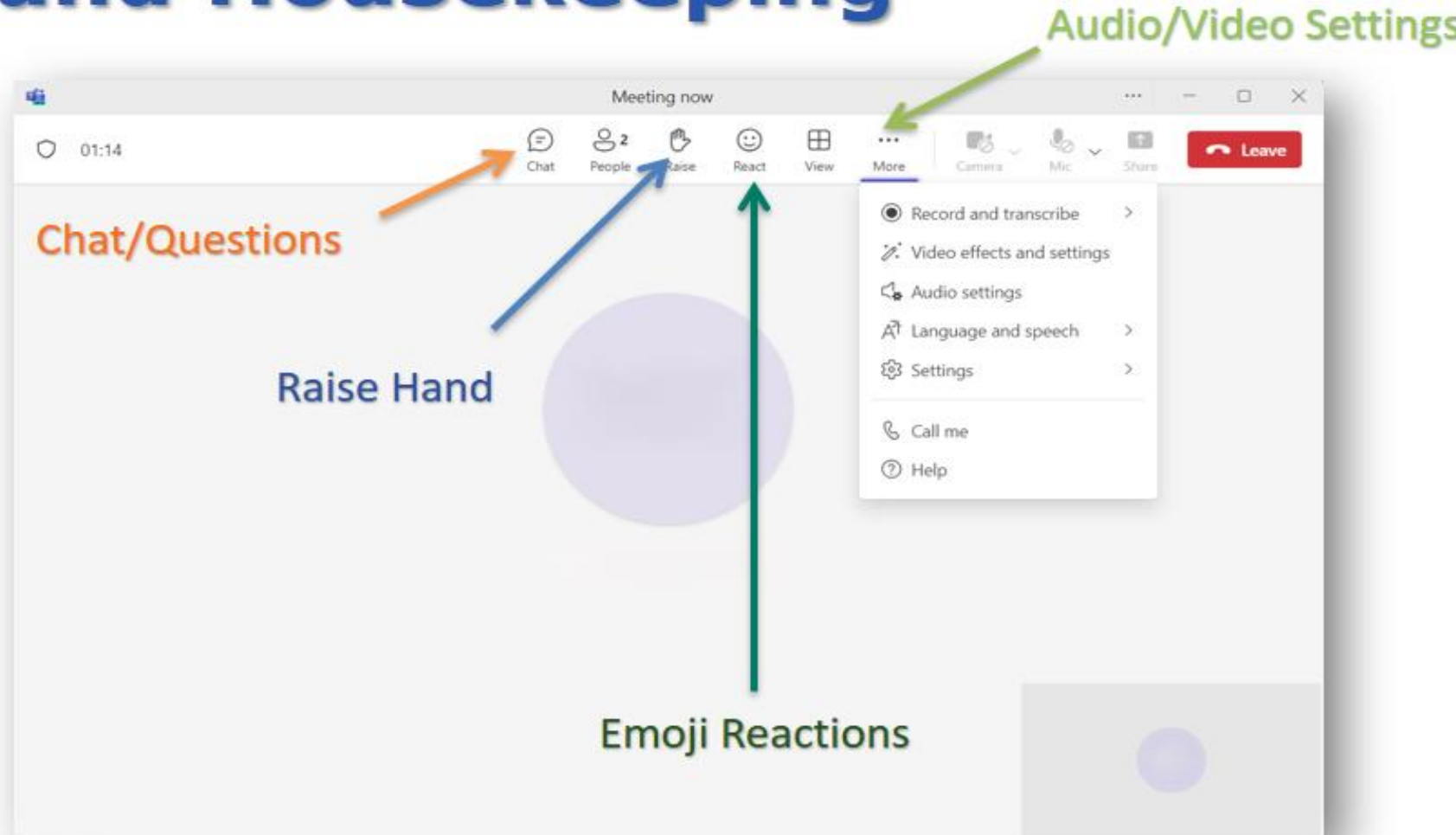
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Guidelines, Class Expectations, and Housekeeping

Expectations:

- ✓ Collaboration and Participation
- ✓ Curiosity
- ✓ Shared Responsibility
- ✓ Respect and Safety



Q#4 Agenda:

- PDN Clarifications
- PDN Updates from Troy
- Guest Speakers from Medicaid Fraud Control Division
- Q/A with guest speakers
- Wrap-up general PDN Q/A



PDN and RND

- PDN and RND are not allowed to both be billed (WAC 388-106-1047).



PDN and RND Continued...

What is included in the all-inclusive daily rate payment to the adult family home (AFH) providing private duty nursing (PDN) services?

Department of social and health services (DSHS) will pay the adult family home (AFH) an **all-inclusive daily rate for a private duty nursing (PDN) client, which includes payment for PDN services, all skilled nursing tasks, and all personal care services.** DSHS will not authorize payment for nurse delegation services or hours provided by the in-home services agency nurses in addition to the PDN all-inclusive daily rate.



PDN and RND continued....

- PDN and additional services may not be billed at the same time. (388-106-1050).



WAC 388-106-1050

May I receive other long-term care services in addition to PDN?

- (1) In addition to PDN services, you may be eligible to receive care through community options program entry system (COPEs), or medicaid personal care (MPC), for unmet personal needs not performed by informal supports.
- (2) PDN hours will be deducted from the personal care hours generated by CARE to account for services that meet some of your need for personal care services (i.e., one hour from the available hours for each hour of PDN authorized per WAC [388-106-1030](#)).
- (3) **Services may not be duplicated**. PDN hours may not be scheduled during the same time that personal care hours are being provided by an individual provider or home care agency provider.
- (4) The PDN provider is responsible for providing assistance with activities of daily living (ADL) and instrumental activities of daily living (IADL) unless there is an informal support that is providing or assisting at the same time.



PDN Authorizations

You must be authorized prior to performing any PDN services.

If there are any authorization question, please reach out to clients NCC.

Again, do not provide services if you are not authorized to do so.



Audits Begin January 2026

General Information:

- Every Contractor must have at least one audit done per 4-year contract cycle
- Individual and Home Health Agency Contractors are on the same 4-year contract cycle which started July 1st, 2025.
- We may reach out and request documentation for many reasons.
 - It may be your routine audit, or we may be reviewing information related to another DSHS matter.
- Information requests will come from PDNcontractmonitoring@dshs.wa.gov
- We appreciate your prompt response to all communication from the program.

What We'll be Requesting:

- The Nursing License of the RN named on the contract
- Current liability insurance
- If an LPN, do they have a contracted RN providing oversight?
- Current and previous PDN Care Plans signed by the RN named on the contract and the client's Primary Care Physician (updated every 6 months minimum)
- Physician Orders dated within the last 6 months.
- Justification of time billed:
 - For an AFH this would include evidence of required staffing levels



Special Guest Presentation: Medicaid Fraud Control Division



Thank you!

PDN Q/A

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