

SHB 1218 Disaster Preparedness Rule Making

Meeting Notes

Program Manager: Brian Laughlin



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Date	January 18, 2023	Time	1:30 pm – 3:30 pm
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Work Group Members					
Alyssa Odegaard, Leading Age WA	X	John Ficker, AFHC		Courtney Neubauer, LTC Ombuds	
Laura Hofmann, LeadingAge WA	X	Amy Freeman, LTC Ombuds	X	Jane Kuja, Resident	X
Lauri St. Ours, WHCA	X	Patricia Hunter, LTC Ombuds		Susan Hart, Resident	X
Elena Madrid, WHCA	X	Travis Nichols, DOH	X	Steve Peck, ODHH	
Vicki McNealey, WHCA	X	Erika Estrada, DOH		Jim House, CIEP	
Stuart Ostfeld, Provider	X	Tom Rollins, Provider	X	Kelly Hampton, DDA	X

Others attending					
Brenna Botsford, AFHC	X	Molly McClintock, RCS	X	Larissa Lewis, LNI	X
Karen Cordero, AFHC	X	Torre Wright, RCS	X	Liz Crittenden, AFHC	X
Vicki Bouvier, RCS	X	Samantha Huggins, RCS	X		
Colleen Jensen, RCS	X	Libby Wagner, RCS	X		

Meeting Objectives	
1.	Review current project status
2.	Review nursing home disaster plan gap analysis and identify potential rule recommendations

Agenda		
Time	Lead	Topic
1:30 pm – 1:35 pm	Brian Laughlin	Welcome and Recap of last meeting
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Last meeting work group finished up discussion on essential support persons and provided overview of the disaster plan requirements in SHB 1218 		
1:35 pm – 1:45 pm	Brian Laughlin	Project updates and adjustments
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussed changes to meeting which include adding invited work group members to agenda. To work through disaster plan requirements, the work group will focus on one setting at a time starting with nursing homes followed by assisted living facilities and enhanced services facilities. SHB 1218 does not include disaster plan requirements for adult family homes. 		
1:45 pm – 2:30 pm		Nursing home disaster plan gap analysis
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Work discussed disaster plan requirements in SHB 1218 for nursing homes. Many of the requirements exist in some form or are in federal regulations for nursing homes. For the requirements met in federal regulations, Appendix Z provides explanation for those regulations. One of the requirements not in SHB 1218 that the department is considering is requiring two weeks of emergency provisions. Emergency provisions could include food, water, first aid supplies, hygiene supplies, and medications. The work group noted the difficulty in acquiring surplus of some of these items as well as potential costs. This is an area where an economic impact analysis will be needed. 		
3:15 pm – 3:30 pm	Brian Laughlin	Next steps
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> February 15 Meeting 		