

## ELARC VAC Minutes

02/28/2019

- Welcome and Introductions
- Ron R. – Community Input- Rate study briefing- 2 day listening session- rate model, thanks Maxim for snacks, Funding to match adjustments bottom line for rate study.
- Ethics- meeting on 30<sup>th</sup> , no one was present to explain
- EOP- Emergency operations planning after VAC today
- ELARC Consumer Advisory Committee update- The next meeting is on Tuesday March 19<sup>th</sup> , 2019 topic is on Relationships/Advocacy and our speakers Julie and Rigo Gaona.
- Training-Survey Monkey Training-leadership came up with every other month. Some ideas are like CAL ABLE and SSI education training
- Jessie CEC update – There will be a new way of voting beginning March 2020 called VSAP or Voter Solutions for all People. You can find more info at LAVOTE.net.
- Networking-Disparity and POS update, what is grassroots?
- **HCBS Final Rule Series - Principles, Guidelines and Implementation Activities**  
**“Is Your Residential Home Ready for a Walk-through?”**  
Be walk thru ready residential, choices and less institutional, they cannot legally evict, privacy in rooms, lease agreements, etc.

More on Privacy – individuals need to feel they have privacy- locked doors, title 22, health and safety / respect

CCL- Community Care Licensing sites for no locking, DDS wants to know exactly how to help you. Changing of role of DSP continues in this paradigm shift, being a care provider vs dsp

- “Legislative Update”,  
Roxy Ortiz, Information & Training Specialist

Roxy- DDS budget highlights, rate study, holiday schedule, furlough, SC ratio, writing letter to CA legislatures, 8% increase.

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