

# ELARC VENDOR ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

Thursday January 27, 2022

10:00-11:30

## Agenda

This meeting will be held via **ZOOM**

ELARC Vendor Advisory Committee Meeting  
Thursday, January 27, 2022 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM (PDT)

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- I. **Welcome and Introductions**
  - A. Navigating ZOOM and Etiquette
  - B. Please enter your contact information on the chat in Zoom to mark attendance and be added to the VAC email list
- II. **Consumer Advisory Committee Update**
- III. **ELARC Update:**
  - A. COVID 19 Update
  - B. Rate Adjustment/Rate Study Update
    - Correspondence
  - C. START
- IV. **Training:**
  - A. Electronic Visit Verification (EVV) Overview presented by Maricris Acon and Jennifer Parsons from the Department of Developmental Services (DDS)
  - B. Enter Training Topic Ideas in the Chat
- V. **Reports from VAC Work Groups**
  - A. Emergency Operations Planning (Karina)
  - B. SLS/ILS Workgroup (Ron)
  - C. Networking
    - Strengthening Providers' Participation in the Different Forums that Connect with the VAC
    - Hybrid Resource Fair (Virtual/In-Person)

- VAC Funds: Event Management and Support
- D. Self Determination Forum (Anjali)
- E. Early Start Forum (Maria)
  
- F. Executive Committee

VI. **Legislative Update**

VII. **Report on Board of Directors Meeting**, January 11, 2022

VIII. **HCBS Final Rule Series – FORUM:** SDP Assessment: Review of the HCBS-SDP Assessment process, procedures and tools used to assess

IX. **Community Comment**

X. **Upcoming Service Provider Forums And Workgroups**

Please check website for most updated information. Meetings are held virtually until further notice.

A. **VLF (Vendor Leadership Forum)**

VLF is a briefing session 30 minutes before regularly scheduled VAC meeting to review the meeting agenda. Next meeting is February 24, 2022 at 9:30. Everyone welcome to attend. See Zoom invite below

**VLF Meeting**  
**Join Zoom Meeting**  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89637230931?pwd=Z0RRbGt0ZUFBYnduRTN6aUQ5emRQdz09>

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B. **VAC Agenda Preparation Planning Meeting**

First Tuesday of every month from 1:00 – 2:00 pm. Next Meeting is February 1, 2022. Everyone welcome to attend. See Zoom invite below (both VLF and VAC planning use the same zoom invite):

**VAC Planning Meeting**  
**Join Zoom Meeting**  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89637230931?pwd=Z0RRbGt0ZUFBYnduRTN6aUQ5emRQdz09>

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C. **Emergency Operations Planning (EOP) Workgroup**

All meetings run 11:30 am to 12:30 pm (immediately following VAC meeting)

- February 24
- May 26

- September 22

Contact Roxy Ortiz, Information and Training Supervisor, at [rortiz@elarc.org](mailto:rortiz@elarc.org) for meeting details

**D. Network Group Meeting**

All meetings run 11:30am to 12:30pm (immediately following VAC meeting)

- March 24
- June 23
- October 27

**E. Independent and Supported Living Forum**

All meetings run 11:30am – 12:30pm (immediately following VAC meeting)

- November 17

Contact Maria Colón, Community Services Specialist at [mcolón@elarc.org](mailto:mcolón@elarc.org) for meeting details.

**F. Residential Forum**

- July 28

Contact Monique Perez, Community Services Specialist at [mperez@elarc.org](mailto:mperez@elarc.org) for meeting details

**G. EVV Forum SPECIAL ONE TIME FORUM**

- April 28 Contact Doris Weis, Community Services Supervisor at [dweis@elarc.org](mailto:dweis@elarc.org) for meeting details

**H. Employment Forum and Workgroup**

All meetings run 9:30 to 11:30 am

- 2022 Meeting dates TBD

Contact George De La Loza, Employment Specialist at [gdelaloza@elarc.org](mailto:gdelaloza@elarc.org) for meeting details.

**I. Early Start Forum**

All meetings run 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm

- 2022 TBD

Contact Dora Ramirez, Community Services Specialist at [dramirez@elarc.org](mailto:dramirez@elarc.org) to be added to the mailing list for meeting details

**J. Self Determination Forum**

All meetings run 10:00 am to 11:00 am via zoom-meetings will go every other month in 2022

- January 26
- March 23
- May 25
- July 27
- September 21
- November TBD

Contact Ursula Cerezo, Community Services Specialist at [ucerezo@elarc.org](mailto:ucerezo@elarc.org) for meeting details.

**K. Forums in Development with Dates and Times TBD:**

- Behavioral Services: Contact Maria Cañas at [mcanas@elarc.org](mailto:mcanas@elarc.org)
- Transportation Services: Contact Mayra Magaña at [mmagana@elarc.org](mailto:mmagana@elarc.org)

XI. **Next VAC Meeting: February 24, 2022**

XII. **VAC Meeting Dates for 2022**

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|---------------|------------------------|---|
| • January 27  | • July 28              | • November 17                                   |
| • February 24 | • No meeting in August | <i>(3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday due to Holiday)</i> |
| • March 24    | • September 22         | • No meeting in December                        |
| • April 28    | • October 27           |   |
| • May 26      |                        |   |
| • June 23     |                        |   |

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