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**Senate Bill 275 (2021) –  
ADVISORY TASK FORCE ON HIV EXPOSURE MODERNIZATION**

November 10, 2022, 5:00 PM

**APPROVED – December 8, 2022**

*Microsoft Teams Teleconference*

1. Call to Order, Roll Call – Tory Johnson, Office of HIV

**TASK FORCE MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Stephan Page – Co-Chair  
Cheryl Radeloff  
Rob Phoenix  
Jennifer Howell  
Jesus (JP) Coleman  
Andre' Wade

**TASK FORCE MEMBERS ABSENT:**

Jennifer Howell  
Quentin Savvoir – Chair  
Gary Costa  
Caesar Espinoza  
Jesus (JP) Coleman  
Caesar Espinoza  
Senator Dallas Harris

**OFFICE OF HIV STAFF PRESENT:**

Tory Johnson  
Jordan Ellison

**GUESTS PRESENT:**

Pierron E. Tackes, Nevada Deputy Attorney General  
Attorney Kristopher Pre – Nevada Legal Services

**2. Public Comment:**

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**3. For Possible Action:**

Review and approval of meeting minutes – Co-Chair: Stephan Page  
• October 27, 2022

Co-Chair Stephan Page responded to Gary Costa's question stating that the task force will be dissolved if a new governor is elected. That statement was corrected to be that the task

force will be dissolved at the end of the term, regardless of election results. Corrections to agenda item #6 ‘*For Possible Action for NRS 441A.320*’. Stephan Page stated that Jennifer Howell, Rob Phoenix, and himself are assigned to that section task.

Motion to approve minutes made by Jen Howell, seconded by Rob Phoenix.

**4. For Possible Action:** Review and possible approval of revised marketing material related to Task Force research and outreach from Nevada Legal Services – Attorney Kristopher Pre

Nevada legal services made revisions on marketing material and was unanimously approved by committee. Comment was made to have Spanish translation for distribution. Also, Cheryl Radeloff brought up the preferred AAPI language to be translated to Tagalog.

**5. For Possible Action:** Discuss and possible action relating to drafting and submission of letter of support from modernization task force to host the 2023 HIV Fast Track Cities Conference in Las Vegas, Nevada – Rob Phoenix, APRN, FNP-C, HIV-PCP

No further comments made.

**6. For Possible Action:** Discussion and possible action relating to drafting of report to Governor’s Office and Legislative Council Bureau (LCB) Possible topics to include and review in the report are as follows:

Possible Section	Status	Task Force Member
Community Engagement and the need to share information related to SB 275(2021)	Pending	Cheryl Radeloff & Stephan Page
Comprehensive sexual education	Pending	Quentin Savwoir
1 <sup>st</sup> Responders	Pending	Jennifer Howell
NRS 441A.320	Pending	Jennifer Howell, Rob Phoenix & Stephan Page
Applying SB 275 (2021) retroactively; clearing records of those previously criminalized under the statutes that SB 275 repealed	Pending	Senator Dallas Harris
Clients/patients access to medications through limitations placed on co-pay assistance cards (i.e., health insurance plans and deductibles) through commercial insurance plans	Draft Submitted	Rob Phoenix
Age of consent regarding STI testing and treatment	Draft Submitted	Andre’ Wade
HIV & Nevada State Prisons	Draft Submitted	Cheryl Radeloff & Stephan Page

Rob Phoenix brought up concerns to include for the requirement to test for syphilis, Hep-C, and HIV. Jennifer Howell affirmed that the requirement has been repealed. Suggestions on adding ‘*HIV & Nevada State Prisons*’ to ‘*Comprehensive Sexual Education*’.

**7. For Discussion:** Continuation of Advisory Task Force on HIV Exposure Modernization – Current Task Force members

No discussion made

**8. For Discussion:** Legal Research State Statute Comparison – Andre’ Wade, Silver State Equality

No discussion made.

- 9. For Discussion:** Sexual Assault Bill and Advocating for development of a model of care for survivors patterned after the Children’s Advocacy Centers – Rob Phoenix, APRN, FNP-C, HIV-PCP
- No discussion made.
- 10. For Discussion:** Review and discussion of Bill Draft Request (BDR) 99-9999 which seeks to revise provisions governing the ability of a minor to consent to certain health care services. – Senator Dallas Harris
- No discussion made
- 11. For Possible Action:** Make recommendations for next meeting’s agenda
- Removal of item #7 and #8. Possible action on drafting a BDR for task force extension. Conversation to be added to the agenda regarding the future of the task force. Also, a recommendation around legislatively protecting patient access to medication thru limitations that commercial insurance and medical assistance plans are applied to copays. Recommendations to add community standards of care within the Department of Corrections.
- 12. Public Comment:** *No action may be taken on a matter raised under this item of the agenda until the matter itself has been included specifically on an agenda as an item upon which action will be taken.*
- 13. Adjournment:** Meeting adjourned @ 5:44 PM