



# San Bernardino County IHSS Advisory Committee

March 2, 2022 WEDNESDAY

9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Teleconference

1. Call to Order
2. Approve Minutes from September 8<sup>th</sup> and November 3<sup>rd</sup>
3. Review Minutes from January 12<sup>th</sup> informational meeting
4. IHSS Advisory Committee Introductions and Member Reports
5. Public Comment on Non-Agenda Items  
Please note: Public Comment on agenda items will be heard during that item. Public comment is limited to 5 minutes per speaker. Submit Public Comment card to Chair.
6. IHSS Public Authority Report -- Rosa Hidalgo/Myette Christian
7. Department of Aging and Adult Services Report-- Chris Tarr/Sheila Johnson
8. Old Business
  - a) Committee approved Letter to the Board of Supervisors asking for IHSSAC application be translated into Spanish
  - b) CICA dues and roster updates
  - c) Letter to previous committee members who were absent thanking them for their service.
  - d) IHSS Advisory Committee Officer nomination/election (Article; Bylaws 4.2)
9. New Business
  - a) Request for Amendment to the IHSSAC Bylaws
  - b) Platform for future IHSSAC meetings
  - c) Petition for "Build Back Better Act"
    1. Nationwide Organizational Letter to Support Swift Passage of the Build Back Better Act  
<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdm8JTY-lhzBrxAdOh2o7ruqjveVs3S5wj9UJrF3Tj9dt-vqQ/viewform>
  - d) Fiscal Report-Fiscal year (July 1, 2021-June 30, 2022)
  - e) Justice in Aging Event April 28, 2022 5-8pm City Club Los Angeles
    1. <https://justiceinaging.org/50th-event/>
  - f) Recruitment
10. Discussion/Resources
  - a) California Foundation for Independent Living Center (CFILC Training)
    1. Building Strong Relationships with Local Government Emergency Department (Part 2)  
Thursday 3/10 at 10:30 via Zoom Registration Link:  
<https://tinyurl.com/CADisasterStrategies>

2. Digital Access Project (take a survey—Internet for All)

<https://digitalaccessproject.org/survey/>

b) IHSS Career Pathways Program from California Department of Social Services (CDSS)

1. <https://www.cdss.ca.gov/Portals/9/IHSS/IHSS-Career-Pathways-Listening-Session-012621.pdf>

c) Justice in Aging

1. Fighting Senior Poverty Through Law—Best practices for how to talk about Home & Community Based Services (HCBS)  
<https://justiceinaging.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/HCBS-Messaging-Fact-Sheet-1.pdf>
2. Using Data for Good—Towards More Equitable HCBS in Medical  
Recorded meeting held 1/27/22  
<https://justiceinaging.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/HCBS-Messaging-Fact-Sheet-1.pdf>
3. Dual Eligible Special Needs Plans (D-SNPs)—What Advocates Need to Know  
Meeting held 2/23/22
  - o Flyer: <https://justiceinaging.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/12/Dual-Eligible-Special-Needs-Plans-Issue-Brief.pdf?eType=EmailBlastContent&eld=46c93b97-1040-41dc-9a8b-0c2a91d0548d>
  - o Meeting Info: <https://justiceinaging.org/register-now-dual-eligible-special-needs-plans-what-advocates-need-to-know/>

d) All County Letter (ACL)

1. No. 22-07—Subject: Guidance regarding the Disbursement of American Rescue Act of 2021: Grants to Enhance Adult Protective Services Funds to County Adult Protective Services Agencies. (Issue Date: 1/26/22)  
<https://www.cdss.ca.gov/Portals/9/Additional-Resources/Letters-and-Notices/ACLs/2022/22-07.pdf?ver=2022-01-26-151840-040>
2. No. 22-15—Subject: CalFresh Elimination of Periodic Reporting Requirements for Elderly Simplified Application Project Households. (Issue Date: 2/10/22)  
<https://www.cdss.ca.gov/Portals/9/Additional-Resources/Letters-and-Notices/ACLs/2022/22-15.pdf?ver=2022-02-10-093545-903>
3. No. 22-11—Subject: Updated Information Regarding Completion and Submission of Health Care Certification (SOC 873). (Issue Date: 2/9/22)  
<https://www.cdss.ca.gov/Portals/9/Additional-Resources/Letters-and-Notices/ACLs/2022/22-11.pdf?ver=2022-02-09-164557-927>

e) All County Information Notice

1. No. 1-05-22—Subject: Extension of Funding for Essential Protective Gear (EPG) for In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS) Recipients and Providers Due to COVID-19. (Issue Date: 1/13/22)  
[https://www.cdss.ca.gov/Portals/9/Additional-Resources/Letters-and-Notices/ACINs/2022/1-05\\_22.pdf?ver=2022-01-25-123459-143](https://www.cdss.ca.gov/Portals/9/Additional-Resources/Letters-and-Notices/ACINs/2022/1-05_22.pdf?ver=2022-01-25-123459-143)

f) CICA/CFILC/CDCAN Emails and Announcements

11. Adjournment