



**AGENDA**

**Children's Disability Advisory Committee  
Wednesday, January 10 · 10:00am - 12:00pm**

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**Welcome -Christy Blakely**

The CDAC serves in an advisory capacity to the Department and makes recommendations regarding issues related to benefits for children and youth with disabilities age 20 and younger, provider education interventions and application of standards. All interested stakeholders are welcome.

**Housekeeping and ground rules -Christy Blakely 10:00 - 10:10**

**Topics for discussion**

All topics, times, and presenters are subject to change

- Eligibility - Marivel Klueckman -10:10-10:20
- The Children's Extensive Support (CES) and Children's Habilitation Residential Program (CHRP) both will be renewed with a requested effective date of July 1, 2024. -Julie Masters 10:20-10:50
- Opportunities for Expanded Medicaid Coverage in Colorado 1115 SUD Waiver Amendment - Emily Holcomb 10:50-11:10
- Private Duty Nursing (PDN) - Valerie Carter and Christine Merriman 11:10-11:20
- Community Connector/Homemaker Parental Provision Services overview/update - Kyra Acuna 11:20-11:35
- Public Comment

**Topics in February:**

Non-emergent Medical Transportation-  
CHRP/CES Skilled and Therapeutic Respite Rates  
Children's Buy-in Changes/Improvements  
CHCBS/CLLI Waiver Merger

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