

ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

OCTOBER 16, 2023

OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE
HEARINGS' (OAH) RESPONSE TO
ADVISORY COMMITTEE
RECOMMENDATIONS

AGENDA ITEM 17 (TAKEN OUT OF ORDER):

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Advisory Committee meet on a quarterly basis instead of twice each year and possibly add another meeting in 2023.

OAH RESPONSE:

OAH has added a third meeting to occur in 2024. Scheduling will be revisited for 2025.

AGENDA ITEM 9:

RECOMMENDATION:

That information be shared by DDS and/or OAH regarding the

changes to the Lanterman Act, specifically with respect to the appeal process, in a forum outside of the Advisory Committee meeting and before the next Advisory Committee meeting.

OAH RESPONSE:

DDS has prepared a memorandum, including links to additional information, regarding the changes to the Lanterman Act appeal process. That memorandum was distributed to Advisory Committee members and will be posted on the OAH website.

AGENDA ITEM 10:

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Advisory Committee receive feedback, information, or presentations from all community members who are stakeholders in this process with respect to their experiences, recommendations, and perspectives regarding the new appeal process.

OAH RESPONSE:

OAH provides hearing and mediation services in Lanterman Act matters. Discussions among Advisory Committee members during Advisory Committee meetings and the public comment occurring during Advisory Committee meetings provide a way for the Committee to receive

feedback and information from the community OAH serves.