



Music Therapist Advisory Committee
Meeting Notice
April 25, 2025

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Location: Online via [MS Teams](#)
and In person at Department of Health
Tumwater, WA
Meeting details can be found on the last page of this agenda.

Contact Person: Shelbee Scrimo, Program Manager
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Board/Committee Members: Maria Meeds, MT-BC, NICU MT, Chair
Betsy Hartman, MT-BC, NMT-Fellow, Vice Chair
David Knott, MM, MT-BC
Nancy Herber, OTR/L
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Assistant Attorney General: Marie Carp, Assistant Attorney General

Staff: Amber Freeberg, Executive Director
Shelbee Scrimo, Program Manager
Tara Mackemull, Program Staff
Katie Graue, Program Staff

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Open Session:

1. Opening of Public Meeting – Maria Meeds, Chair.

- 1.1. Call to Order
- 1.2. Introductions

2. Public Comment – Maria Meeds, Chair.

The committee will hear comments from the public.

3. Approval of Agenda and Minutes – Maria Meeds, Chair.

- 3.1. Approval of the April 25, 2025, meeting agenda
- 3.2. Approval of June 11, 2024, meeting minutes

4. Music Therapist Credentialing Report- Debra Mendoza, Quality Manager

Committee members will review data relating to the issuance of Music Therapist credential

5. Substantially Equivalent States- Shelbee Scrimo, Program Manager

Committee members will review data on substantially equivalent states

6. Program Manager Report– Shelbee Scrimo, Program Manager.

Ms. Scrimo will give an update regarding issues that affect the Music Therapy program.

7. Executive Director Report – Amber Freeberg, Executive Director

Ms. Freeberg will give an update regarding department organization and will address other items and issues if applicable.

8. Future Meeting Dates and Topics – Maria Meeds, Chair.

The committee will discuss agenda items for future meetings.

9. Election of Chair/Vice Chair- Maria Meeds, Chair

10. Meeting Adjourned – Maria Meeds, Chair

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