

STATE OF NEVADA BOARD OF OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

July 19, 2025 – 9:30 am

Board of Occupational Therapy Administrative Office 6170 Mae Anne Ave., Suite 1 Reno, NV 89523

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AGENDA

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The State of Nevada Board of Occupational Therapy may: (a) address agenda items out of sequence, (b) combine agenda items, and (c) pull or remove items from the agenda at any time. The Board may convene in closed session to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person. (NRS 241.020, NRS 241.030) **Action** by the Board on an item may be to approve, deny, amend, or table.

- 1. Call to Order, Confirmation of Quorum
- 2. Public Comment

No vote may be taken upon a matter raised during a period devoted to public comment until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken. (NRS 241.020)

- 3. Approval of the Minutes (for possible action)
 - May 3, 2025

- 4. Legislative Activities (informational)
 - Legislative Status Report Cartwright NV Government Affairs
- 5. Disciplinary Matter Consideration of Consent Decree (for possible action)

Katherine Schweitzer, OT

License No. OT-3520

Case No. 25-03

Possible closed session for the Board to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person (NRS 241.030)

6. Disciplinary Matter – Consideration of Consent Decree (for possible action)

Taryn Bergman, OTA

License No. OTA-3167

Case No. 25-04

Possible closed session for the Board to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person (NRS 241.030)

7. Hearing for Determination of Violation of Disciplinary Order (for possible action)

Robert Porter, OTA

License OTA-3546

Case No. 25-05

Possible closed session for the Board to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person (NRS 241.030)

- 8. Discussion, Review, and Approval of Fiscal Year 2026 Budget (for possible action)
- 9. Executive Director's Report (for possible action)
- 10. Report from Deputy Attorney General (informational)
- 11. Board Activities & Reports from Members (for possible action)
 - FY 2026 Meeting and Activities Schedule
- 12. Public Comment

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13. Adjournment (for possible action)

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