

OHCC Training Committee Meeting Summary

Wednesday 27th, 2019

1:00 pm to 3:00 pm
550 Capitol Street NE, Basement, Salem, OR 97301

In Person Attendees	Conference Call Attendees
Rebecca Hill, Committee Chair David Scott Vining, OHCC Training Specialist Jenny Cokeley, OHCC Special Project Coordinator Patrick Van Orden, OHCC Program Analyst Yetu Dumbia, Traditional Health Coordinator Sara Edwards, SEIU Training Partnership Director Whitney Taylor, SEIU Curriculum Development Manager	Marsha Wentzell, Commissioner, OHCC Pam Saepharn, HCW Program Coordinator Mark Prever, HCW Lindsay Vanderworker, APD Policy Analyst Traci Lerner, APD Policy Analyst Pam Saepharn, HCW Program Coordinator Christina Pattugalan, APD Manager

November 2019 Agenda – Approved

October 2019 Minutes – Approved

Senate Bill 1534

- Jenny Cokeley presented on the progress of SB1534. Jenny reported that the required orientation and core training for homecare and personal support workers is well underway. In February 2020, the Training Partnership will start the pilot for these courses in select counties. The new requirements will be fully implemented in January 2021. Jenny discussed how the past year has been spent communicating with stakeholders, community partners, key state employees and SEIU. The new orientation will be a four-hour session and the required core training will be eight hours and will need to be completed by the worker within the first 120 days of the provider number being active
- Patrick Van Orden also presented on the SB1534 requirements. Patrick explained the process for the curriculum development and approval process. There will be a different curriculum for the incumbent workers that will reflect their work experience. Oregon Home Care Commission will review and approve all mandatory curricula. The curriculum is based on topics brought forward in the SB1534 workgroups. Oregon Administrative Rules have been updated.

SEIU 503 Training Partnership presentation

Sara Edwards, Director of SEIU 503 Training Partnership and Whitney Taylor, Curriculum Development Manager, presented an overview of the SB1534 mandated orientation course. The course will be four hours long and will combine all workers in to the same orientation. The committee viewed document that summarized all the lessons that will be learned in orientation. Additionally, comments were made regarding the importance of proper timesheets and confidentiality.

Monthly Training Report

Roberta Lilly went over the monthly Training Report. For October, 20 new Professional Development Certifications and 10 new Enhanced Certifications were approved.

Training and Course Development

- Roberta Lilly reported out on the progress of Driving Safety course. Safety Specialist Kelly Rosenau and Roberta are working with SAIF to produce a course that will be available online and in person. The course will include ways to stay safe while driving.
- Rebecca Hill stated she was interested in seeing if we could consider a contract with a CPR/First Aid organization that offered online courses, recognizing that the certifications require a demonstration of skills. Roberta reported that the training specialists will explore this option and that currently, we are offering this option to workers who report they took the course online and have a documented demonstration of skills.
- Training Specialists will summarize our non-PDC courses for December and bring forth the consideration for PDC credit.