

Capital Area Human Services District (CAHSD) Board Meeting
Draft Agenda for In-Person Meeting on
Monday, October 6, 2025 @ 1:00 PM
Meeting Location:
12301 Coursey Blvd., Baton Rouge, LA 70816

Consent Agenda (vote as one)

Approval of October 6, 2025 Agenda

ACTION

Approval of Minutes for May 5, 2025

No minutes for June 2, 2025, August 4, 2025 and September 8, 2025 (Board did not meet)

Board does not meet in July – No Minutes

Roll Call

Public Comment

In accordance with the Open Meetings Law, all items on which action is to be taken are open for public comment, and comments and questions may be received on other topics reported at such time as the opportunity is announced by the Board Chair or the person conducting the meeting.

Reports from the Executive Director - Communication:

“Driving Into Recovery” visits Gonzales-<https://cahsd.org/driving-into-recovery-visits-gonzales/>

CAHS brings faith-based mental health resources to Living Faith Christian Center-<https://cahsd.org/cahs-participates-in-suicide-prevention-and-wellness-expo/>;

CAHS offers Narcan training for AG’s Office- <https://cahsd.org/cahs-offers-narcan-training-for-ags-office/>

“Step Into Freedom” event at St. Amant-<https://cahsd.org/step-into-freedom-event-at-st-amant/>

BRCC’s “Mind Matters: Breaking the Silence” event-<https://cahsd.org/brccs-mind-matters-breaking-the-silence-event/>; Recovery Celebration 2025: “Join the Voices of Recovery”-<https://cahsd.org/recovery-celebration-2025-join-the-voices-of-recovery/>;

CAHS participates in “Sickle Cell Matters” event-<https://cahsd.org/cahs-participates-in-sickle-cell-matters-event/>;

CAHS participates in Hope Resuscitated community discussion-<https://cahsd.org/cahs-participates-in-hope-resuscitated-community-discussion/>;

EBR holds Student Assistance Team Training-<https://cahsd.org/ebc-schools-hold-student-assistance-team-training/>;

Southern University’s “Jaguar Mindfulness Mixture” <https://cahsd.org/southern-universitys-jaguar-mindfulness-mixture/>

- Annual HSIC Board Meeting
- Self-Generated Revenue Update
- Board Membership

Reports from the Chairman

• **Governance Policy Review by Direct Inspection:**

June 2, 2025 Board Meeting

- Communication & Support
- Cost of Governance
- Agenda Planning

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August 4, 2025 Board Meeting

- Treatment of Consumers (Satisfaction, Grievance and Complaints)
- Ends Focus of Grants or Contracts (Terminated Contracts)

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September 8, 2025 Board Meeting

- Financial Condition & Activities (Year Financial, Legislative Audit, Escrow report by disability correlated to Strategic Plan)
- Global Governance Commitment
- Governance Style
- Board Job Description
- ENDS Statement

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- Monitoring Exec. Dir. Performance (Compliance) **ACTION**
- Present Slate of Officers for Vote **ACTION**
- Ends Policy – Status Update (Strategic Plan Initiatives Update) **ACTION**
- Board Resolutions **ACTION**
- Board Development
- Board Member Self-Evaluation Composite
- **Governance Policy Review by Direct Inspection:**
October 6, 2025 Board Meeting
 - Treatment of Staff **ACTION**
EEOC, Lawsuits, & Grievance Report
 - Global Linkage **ACTION**
 - Unity of Control **ACTION**
 - Accountability of the Executive Director **ACTION**
 - Delegation to the Executive Director **ACTION**
- Other
- **Adjournment** **Next Meeting: November 3, 2025**

The CAHS ADA Coordinator is the agency's representative, responsible for facilitating the interactive evaluation process relative to any request for accommodation, whose contact information is: Karen Pino, CAHS ADA Coordinator, cahsadacoord@LA.GOV or (225) 925-1860; Capital Area Human Services District, P.O. Box 66558, Baton Rouge LA 70896.