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TELEHEALTH COMMITTEE Meeting Notice and Agenda

**December 8, 2022
9:00 a.m.**

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AGENDA

- I. Call to Order and Establishment of Quorum
- II. Introductions*
- III. Consent Calendar: Discussion and Possible Approval of June 3, 2022 Committee Meeting Minutes
- IV. Overview of the Committee's Roles and Tasks
- V. Discussion and Possible Recommendation Regarding Online-Only Therapy Platforms and Other Alternative Modes of Therapy
- VI. Discussion and Possible Recommendation Regarding Business and Professions Code Sections 4980.31, 4980.44, 4989.48, 4996.7, and 4999.70, and California Code of Regulations Title 16, Sections 1811 and 1815.5: Required Display of License or Registration
- VII. Discussion and Possible Recommendation Regarding Telehealth Best Practices Guidance Document
- VIII. Suggestions for Future Agenda Items
- IX. Public Comment for Items not on the Agenda

Note: The Committee may not discuss or take action on any matter raised during this public comment section, except to decide whether to place the matter on the agenda of a future meeting. [Gov. Code §§ 11125, 11125.7(a)]
- X. Adjournment

**Introductions are voluntary for members of the public.*

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