

Revised: October 15, 2009

**TENTATIVE AGENDA
for the
FIRST MEETING
of the
DISABILITIES SUBCOMMITTEE
of the
LEGISLATIVE HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE**

**October 29-30, 2009
Room 307, State Capitol
Santa Fe**

Thursday, October 29

- 9:30 a.m. **Call to Order; Welcome and Introductions**
- 9:35 a.m. **Disability History 1841-1990: The 150-Year Struggle for Civil Rights and
Community Living**
—Jim Parker, Director, Governor's Commission on Disability
- 10:35 a.m. **Legislation: Disabilities Task Force (Senator Eric G. Griego)**
—Michael Hely, Staff Attorney, Legislative Council Service (LCS)
—Marina Cordova, Esq., Disability Advocate
—Nannie Sanchez, Disability Advocate
- 11:00 a.m. **Report from the 2009 Southwest Conference on Disability**
—Karen Wells, Researcher, LCS
- 11:30 a.m. **Lunch**
- 1:00 p.m. **Public Comment**
- 4:00 p.m. **Recess**

Friday, October 30

- 9:00 a.m. **Call to Order**
- 9:05 a.m. **Housing**
—Gil Yildiz, Independent Living Resource Center, Albuquerque

- 10:00 a.m. **Job Discrimination**
—Nancy Koenigsberg, Legal Director, Disability Rights New Mexico
—Timothy L. White, Esq., Valdez & White Law Firm, LLC
- 11:00 a.m. **Transportation Challenges and Solutions for the Disability Community**
—Joseph Harden, Transportation Director, Zia Therapy Center, Inc.
- 12:00 noon **Lunch**
- 1:30 p.m. **Brain Injury Services: Incidence and Prevalence of Traumatic Brain Injury and Acquired Brain Injury in New Mexico**
—Elizabeth Peterson, Director, New Mexico Brain Injury Advisory Council
- 2:30 p.m. **Autism Services for Adults**
—Liz Thompson, President, New Mexico Autism Society
—Pat Osbourn, Deputy Director, Center for Development and Disability,
University of New Mexico
- 3:30 p.m. **Waiver Waiting Lists**
—Doris Husted, Policy Director, The Arc of New Mexico (Invited)
—Jim Jackson, Executive Director, Disability Rights New Mexico
—Carlos Moya, Director, Aging and Disability Resource Center, Aging and
Long-Term Services Department
—Lucrecia Jaramillo, Staff Attorney, Senior Citizens' Law Office
- 5:00 p.m. **Adjourn**