

**Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities Council Meeting**

August 14, 2019

150 E. Campus View Blvd.

3rd Floor Helen Keller/David Williams Conference Rooms

Columbus, OH 43235

614-438-1477

10:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

**Agenda**

* **Welcome and Introductions** (5 minutes)

*Dr. Carolyn Peters, Chair*

* **Approval of April 10, 2019 Meeting Minutes** (5 minutes)

*Council Members*

* **Employer and Innovation Services Update** (15 minutes)

*Kristen Ballinger, Deputy Director, Division of Employer and Innovation Services*

* **Vocational Rehabilitation Program Update** (15 minutes)

*Susan Pugh, Deputy Director, Bureau of Vocational Rehabilitation &*

*Greg Dormer, Deputy Director, Bureau of Services for the Visually Impaired*

* *Combined State Plan*
* *Break (10 minutes)*
* **Chair’s Comments**
  + **Public Comment**
  + **Reminder: Ethics Training needs to be completed by end of year**
  + **Discussion of Extending Time of Council Meetings**
  + **Council Input – Letter to Rehabilitation Services Administration**
  + **November 13 Meeting Agenda**
    - Elections
    - 2020 Council Meeting Dates
    - OOD Council’s Responsibility to OOD (e.g., Combined State Plan, Comprehensive Statewide Needs Assessment, Policy Consultation, Consumer Satisfaction Surveys, Evaluation and Recommendations, Coordination and Participation)
* **National Coalition of State Rehabilitation Councils** (90 minutes)

*Sherry Taylor, Vice President & Treasurer of NCSRC*

* **Public Comment**

*Dr. Carolyn Peters, Chair*

* **Adjourn**

*Council Members­­­­­*

If you need an accommodation, please contact Shirley Marchi at 614-438-1477 or [shirley.marchi@ood.ohio.gov](mailto:shirley.marchi@ood.ohio.gov)

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**2019 Meeting Dates/Locations/Times**

* January 9, 2019
* April 10, 2019
* August 14, 2019
* November 13, 2019
* All meetings are held at Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities, 150 E. Campus View Blvd. Helen Keller Conference Room, Columbus, OH 43235
* All meetings begin at 10:00 a.m.
* The above times may vary greatly depending on the length or brevity of the presentation and discussion.
* Cellular Phones: So as not to disturb participants at this meeting, please turn off your cellular phone.

The mission of Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities is to provide individuals with disabilities opportunities to achieve quality employment, independence, and disability determination outcomes.