

# **Administrative Rules Advisory Committee Agenda**

**Tuesday, October 9, 2025, 10:00 AM**

**The Arc of Texas**

**8001 Centre Park Drive Suite 100**

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## **Virtual Attendance Link**

- I. Call To Order and Welcome
- II. Roll Call
- III. Reading And Approval of Minutes for Meeting Conducted March 6<sup>th</sup> and April 17, 2025.
- IV. Public Comment
- V. Old Business
  - a. Vice-Chair Election
  - b. Chapter 259 New Construction Rules
  - c. Chapter 265 Admission
    - i. VRSS
  - d. Chapter 267 Release
  - e. Chapter 269 Records and Procedures Subchapter A, B, C, & E
  - f. Chapter 273 Health Services
  - g. Guardianship
  - h. Reporting Out of State Custodial Deaths
  - i. Four Year Rule Review: Chapter 275 Supervision of Inmates

- i. §275.1 Regular Observation by Jailers
  - ii. §275.2 Jailers Training and Licensing
  - iii. §275.3 Temp Jailers May Not Supervise
  - iv. §275.4 Staff
  - v. §275.5 Census
  - vi. §275.6 Searches for Contraband
  - vii. §275.7 Supervision Outside the Security Perimeter -- Court Holding Cells
  - viii. §275.8 Jail Administrator Exam
- j. Chapter 269.3 Weapons/Ammunition Procedure
- k. Public Petition to Minimum Jail Standards
  - i. SCBA
  - ii. Victim Protection

## VI. New Business

- a. Legislative Action Items
- b. Consider and take action on any vacant positions
- c. Four Year Rule Review Chapters 279 Sanitation and 281 Food Service, Chapter 283 Discipline and Grievance, Chapter 285 Recreation and Exercise, Chapter 287 Education and Rehabilitation Programs
  - i. § 279.1. Sanitation Plan
  - ii. § 279.2. Specificity
  - iii. § 279.3. Facility Maintenance
  - iv. § 281.1. Frequency of Meals
  - v. § 281.2. Dining/Day Rooms for Meals

- vi. § 281.3. Balanced Diet
- vii. § 281.4. Prescribed Diets
- viii. § 281.5. Staff Supervision
- ix. § 281.6. Outside Food Preparation
- x. 283.1 Inmate Discipline Plan
- xi. 283.2 Inmate Rules and Regulations
- xii. 283.3 Inmate Grievance Plan
- xiii. 285.1 Physical Exercise
- xiv. 285.2 Sunlight
- xv. 285.3 Activities
- xvi. 285.4 Volunteers
- xvii. 287.1 Education and Rehabilitation Plan
- xviii. 287.2 Criteria, Eligibility
- xix. 287.3 Continuity
- xx. 287.4 Library Plan
- VII. Other Business
- VIII. Date For Next Meeting
- IX. Adjourn

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