

## **Minutes**

**Meeting:** Intellectual and Developmental Disability Advisory Committee

**Location:** The Arc of Texas

**8001 Centre Park Dr Suite 100**

**Austin, TX 78754**

**Time:** 10:00 A.M.

**A recording of this meeting is available by contacting Richard Morgan at  
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**Date:** Wednesday, July 9, 2025

**I. Call to Order**

Meeting called to order by Sheriff Rowe at 10:10 AM.

**II. Roll Call of Committee Members**

Sheriff Kelly Rowe, Chairman

Sheriff Richard Wills

Dr. Kelly Fegan-Bohm

Sheriff Bo Stallman

Haley Turner

Ellen Bauman

Cullen Grissom

Lee Johnson

Emily Eisenman

Bryan Camphire

Dr. Lizdelia Pinon

Nicole Hawk

Committee members present at roll call were Sheriff Kelly Rowe, Haley Turner, Cullen Grissom, Emily Eisenman, Dr. Lizdelia Pinon, Nicole Hawk, Sheriff Richard Wills, Sheriff Bo Stallman, Ellen Bauman, Bryan Camphire. Staff members in attendance were Assistant Director Ricky Armstrong, Richard Morgan, and Gabriel Farley.

**III. Reading and approval of minutes**

Minutes from the March 5, 2025 meeting were approved with appropriate motion and second by Emily Eisenman and Ellen Bauman. The motion passed unanimously.

Sheriff Rowe called the meeting to order at 10:10 AM.

#### IV. Public Comment

- Krish Gundu provided testimony on data she provided to the advisory committee regarding individuals with IDD on the forensic waitlist. She also discussed the State Auditor's Office audit of the forensic waitlist.
- Kirk Noaker provided testimony regarding the IAB information card project on which his organization is working. He discussed the agencies that have already joined the project. He then provided testimony on the intended purpose of the project and group homes and SSLCs.
- Sonja Burns provided testimony regarding private psychiatric beds and the state hospital system.

#### V. Old business

##### a. Guardianship

Director Wood discussed guardianship and proposed changes to minimum jail standards, and new legislation that adds the distinction of "proposed ward" when discussing guardianship. Director Wood advised that TCJS has been searching for a subject matter expert in the area of the OCA/DPS TLETS Guardianship Database Query and has been unable to determine in what way the system is (potentially) not working as intended. Cullen Grissom made a motion to move this language to the TCJS Administrative Rules Advisory Committee, and Brian Camphire seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

##### b. IDD Jailer training

Director Wood discussed the IDD training for jailers that TCOLE published earlier in the year. Haley Turner discussed the publication of the training and expressed a desire for the full committee to review the training curriculum. Cullen Grissom discussed the process of publishing that training, and the state of the training. Lee Johnson proposed that the training be sent to the subcommittee on training to provide feedback to Cullen Grissom and TCOLE. Director Wood discussed including information such as how many jailers and peace officers take the course in the next even-numbered year report to the legislature.

##### c. Intake screening

Committee members were provided with a copy of the presentation by the Harris Center at the previous IDDAC meeting. Director Wood discussed reforming an intake screening subcommittee to review this presentation and compare to the information already on hand. No action taken.

Sheriff Rowe reviewed the list of subcommittees that have been formed previously, and discussed reassigning members to the subcommittees.

Haley Turner and Brian Camphire discussed reviewing the training material as a whole committee instead of a subcommittee. Sheriff Rowe discussed the working year versus a reporting year, and the work to be done. Dr. Pinon discussed forming a committee to draft and advocate for legislative recommendations by this committee. Director Wood, Haley Turner, Dr. Pinon, and Sheriff Rowe discussed the feedback received from interested parties regarding the report that the committee published in December 2024.

VI. New business

a. Consider and take action on vacant positions

Sheriff Rowe asked that each full committee member submit any interest in heading or participating on a subcommittee to the liaison.

b. Review, Reorganize, and Redesignate all currently approved subcommittees  
Director Wood advised that only one person has shown interest in joining the committee, and that the full commission will have to vote at the next meeting to finalize the appointment.

VII. Other Business

a. OCA Presentation

Director Wood discussed the search that TCJS has conducted to investigate the status and function of the guardianship database query. He advised that TCJS will continue to look into this area.

Ellen Bauman requested a presentation at the next meeting on new legislation that may be pertinent to this advisory committee. Director Wood advised that this will be placed on the agenda for the next meeting.

Director Wood discussed the statutorily mandated study on IDD and CCQ matches in jails that TCJS is preparing.

VIII. Date for Next Meeting

a. Tentatively Scheduled for October 8, 2025 at The Arc of Texas.

IX. Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned with appropriate motion by Brian Camphire and second by Emily Eisenman. The motion passed unanimously.