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Informational Hearing
Skilled Nursing Facilities in California:
Licensing, inspections and quality of care.
Tuesday, October 5, 2021 – 1:30 to 4:30 p.m.
State Capitol, Room 4202

AGENDA

- I. Overview of Skilled Nursing Facility licensing and inspection process**
Elaine M. Howle, California State Auditor
Katie Cardenas, Senior Auditor, California State Auditor
Sonja Petek, Principal Fiscal & Policy Analyst, Legislative Analysts' Office
- II. Quality of care challenges in SNFs**
Kim Valentine, Valentine Law Group, California Association of Consumer Attorneys
Dr. Karl Steinberg, Society for Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Medicine
Anthony Chicotel, Staff Attorney, California Advocates for Nursing Home Reform
Cassie Dunham, Acting Deputy Director, Center for Health Care Quality, California Department of Public Health
Scott Vivona, Assistant Deputy Director, Licensing and Certification Division, Department of Public Health
- III. Potential solutions and stakeholder response**
Tiffany Whiten, Senior Government Relations Advocate, California State Council of SEIU
Craig Cornett, CEO/President, California Association of Health Facilities
Dr. Robyn I. Stone, Senior Vice President, Research and Co-Director, LeadingAge LTSS Center
- IV. Public Comment**