



# State of Louisiana

## LOUISIANA COMMISSION FOR THE DEAF

### Board of Commissioners

**Friday, January 20, 2023**

9:00 am- 1:00 pm

Louisiana State Capitol  
House Committee Room 4

The state-mandated LCD Board meets quarterly to help guide program efforts and activities related to d/Deaf, DeafBlind and hard of hearing citizens of Louisiana.

Live broad cast can be viewed January 20, 2023 from 9:00am-1:00pm CST through the following link: <https://legis.la.gov/legis/home.aspx>

### Agenda

- Call to order
- Invocation/Silent Prayer
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Roll Call
- Approval of Agenda
- Approval of Minutes
- Public Comments
- Reports from Board
- Old Business
  1. LCD Administrative Code – Update on current drafting, timeline, and changes per Act 128
  2. Request for Adult Group Homes/Assistive Living/Training for Professionals- La. Department of Health update from Health Equity and Action Team
  3. Consideration of Actions by the La Commission for the Deaf (LCD) Board of Commissioners to Elevate Community Concerns to the Special School District (SSD) Board of Directors- Update on letter sent and meeting request per October 26, 2022 Special Session
- New Business
  1. Efficiency of Requesting and Obtaining Interpreters Specifically in Emergency Room Settings

2. Medical Personnel's Understanding and Provision of American Sign Language Interpreters for Admitted Patients Pursuant to the American's with Disabilities Act.
  3. Building Capacity for Deaf Children and Families within the Department of Children and Family Service's Foster Care Program.
  4. Leadership Cohort for Development of Louisiana's Deaf, DeafBlind and Hard of Hearing Current and Future Leaders
  5. La Commission for the Deaf Program- Executive Director Search- Plan and Timeline
- Announcements
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