



# State of Connecticut Council on Developmental Services

# DDS

**Agenda**  
**Council on Developmental Services Meeting**  
**Annual Meeting**  
**Thursday, December 16, 2021**  
**2:00 p.m.**

**DUE TO COVID-19 Pandemic Meeting Will Be Held Virtually:**

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**Call to order and introductions**

**Moment of Silence For Individuals Affected By COVID-19**

**Opportunity for Public Participation**

**Topics for discussion**

- Review and Approval of previous council meeting minutes – 5 minutes
  - November 17, 2021 Meeting Minutes
- Introduction of Shannon Jacovino, DDS Ombudsperson – 15 minutes
- Commissioners Report – 30 minutes
  - Impact of the pandemic on our I/DD community
  - DDS Strategic Plan Update
- Report of the Nominating Committee – 10 minutes
- Election of the Council's Officers for 2022 – 5 minutes
- Updated Council Roster
- Discussion: Nursing Shortage & Impact
- 2022 Legislative Breakfast – 10 minutes
- Topics for Future Council Meetings – 5 minutes

**Adjournment**

**Next Meeting: Thursday, January 20, 2022 at 4:30 p.m.**

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