The Home Care, Hospice and Palliative Care Advisory Council

Wednesday, November 18, 2026 — 10:30 a.m.

Location of Meeting: Oklahoma State Department of Health
123 Robert S. Kerr Ave.
Oklahoma City, OK 73102

The Home Care, Hospice and Palliative Care Advisory Council regular meeting notice was posted on the OSDH website located at https://oklahoma.gov/health/services/licensing-inspections/medical-facilities-service/home-services-division/the-home-care-hospice-and-palliative-care-advisory-council.html on 02/04/2026. The notice was posted on the Oklahoma Secretary of State's website located at https://sos.ok.gov/meetings/legacy/search.aspx on 11/07/2025.

Agenda

1. Call to Order…… Council Members
2. Roll Call …….. Home Services Representative
3. Approval of meeting minutes:
   - August 12, 2026 meeting …… Council Members
4. Approval of September 30, 2026 special meeting minutes……..Council Members
5. Reports – Health Department Programs for errors, deficiencies, performance, and facility testing numbers:
   - Nurse Aide Registry and Certification…… NAR Representative
   - Home Care Agency Administrator Certification…… HCAR Representative
   - Home Services Division…….. Home Services Representative
6. Discussion of Blood Transfusions for Hospice Patients:
   - Discussion on the proposed study to look into palliative care vs. hospice care by Rep. Stark
   - Factors prevent transfusion and ways to mitigate……Home Services & Council Members
7. Discussion regarding Medicaid advantage caregiver's hours cut when on hospice services…..Council Members
8. Discussion on community based palliative care criteria/regulations……Council Members
9. Discussion of Chapter 662 Rule Change Activities
   - Rule impact consultation.
   - Feedback……Council Members
10. Discussion of home care registries and how home care rules are applied to them……Council Members
11. Discussion regarding National Academy for State Health Policy (NASHP) – State Palliative Care Resource Center……Home Services Representative/Council Members

12. Discussion of emergency preparedness in relation to current events……Council Members

13. Next meeting dates
    - For 2027: February 10, May 12, August 11, and November 10.

14. Public Comment

15. Adjourn