



MINNESOTA

NURSING HOME WORKFORCE STANDARDS BOARD

Public forums

Feb. 15, virtual | Feb. 21, Brooklyn Park | Feb. 29, Duluth | March 6, Redwood Falls | March 7, virtual

Agenda

Welcome

Logistics and ground rules

Testimony

Wrap up

Nursing Home Workforce Standards Board

The Nursing Home Workforce Standards Board was created in law during the 2023 legislative session to conduct investigations into working conditions in the nursing home industry and adopt rules establishing minimum employment standards reasonably necessary and appropriate to protect the health and welfare of nursing home workers.

Nine members:

- three commissioners or commissioner designees;
- three representing employers; and
- three representing workers.

Purpose of this event

Subdivision 2. **Investigation of market conditions**

(a) The board must investigate market conditions and the existing wages, benefits, and working conditions of nursing home workers for specific geographic areas of the state and specific nursing home occupations. Based on this information, the board must seek to adopt minimum nursing home employment standards that meet or exceed existing industry conditions for a majority of nursing home workers in the relevant geographic area and nursing home occupation.

(4) Testimony and information from current and former nursing home workers, worker organizations, nursing home employers, and employer organizations

(7) Any other information pertinent to establishing minimum nursing home employment standards

Logistics – virtual forum

- Attendees have two minutes to speak.
- We will call on you when it is your turn.
- We will unmute you; please be ready.
- For assistance, put a note in the chat to the presenter.
- General chat is turned off.

Logistics – in-person forums

- Attendees have two minutes to speak.
- We will call on you when it is your turn to speak and let everyone know who is next to speak.
- Head to the microphone when you know you are next.
- For assistance, see Linnea Becerra at the desk by the podium.

Ground rules

- Be respectful.
- Use only two minutes to speak.
- Share your name, where you are from and your connection to nursing homes, if you are comfortable doing so.

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