



# DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC SECURITY

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## DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

Sent on Behalf of DES/DDD

### PROVIDER FORUMS REMINDER

Target Audience - DDD Qualified Vendors and Providers

Transmittal Date - 5/3/2019

The DES Division of Developmental Disabilities (DDD), in partnership with the Northern Arizona University Institute for Human Development, has been hosting forums for the DDD provider community in order to discuss the following topics, including: (1) The existing service model for long term services and supports to identify what is working and what can be improved, (2) Alternate models for delivering these services and (3) Ideas related to Governor Ducey's Executive Order regarding the protection of people with disabilities.

The Institute for Human Development is facilitating, presenting and documenting comments at all forums. The Institute is compiling the feedback from each forum in order to generate a report that will be submitted to AHCCCS, members of the Arizona Legislature and DES/DDD leadership. The three remaining forums are listed below:

May 8, 2019

5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Gompers

6601 N 27th Avenue

Phoenix, AZ 85017

**Join Webex Meeting**

1-240-454-0879 meeting number 808905908

May 14, 2019

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Chandler Public Library Copper Room South

22 S Delaware Street

Chandler, AZ 85225

May 21, 2019

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Surprise City Hall, Community Room

16000 N Civic Plaza

Surprise, AZ 85374

This is a great opportunity to receive information and provide welcome feedback. We encourage you to attend these forums on behalf of those you serve in collaboration with DES.