

## DD Waiver Updates

10-6-21

- 1) DD Waiver Steering Committee did not meet this quarter.
- 2) ACQ-LCA Committee has a new initiative to work on. The new topic this committee will be working on is Nursing Shortages. Meeting was held on 10-5-21. Guest Speakers from UNM were Jan Martin -UNM Doctor of Nursing Practice and Susan Koronkiewicz -UNM Principal Lecturer. They were present to speak about the attached DDSD-DDW Numbered Memo 06 regarding opportunities to host student nurses for IDD Clinical Experience. This memo can also be found on the following webpage: [Developmental Disabilities Waiver \(nmhealth.org\)](#) under Numbered Memos 2021



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Memo 2021-06 Oppo

- 3) Once HSD/DOH receives approval for the DD Waiver Application a “Workshop” for the public will be scheduled in reference to the new DD Waiver Service Standards. This workshop will include the edits and changes made to the DD Waiver Service Standards.

Please feel free to contact Marie Velasco, DD Waiver Program Manager at [marie.velasco@state.nm.us](mailto:marie.velasco@state.nm.us) or 505-660-2766 for any questions or concerns.

Please contact Marie Velasco if you would like to be a member of the DD Waiver Steering Committee or ACQ-LCA Committee.