

HB 1470: PRIVATE DETENTION FACILITIES

Rules Advisory Committee Help Needed

We are looking for 2-3 community members to join our team and write rules for how private detention facilities care for the health and safety of detainees.

- Being on the Rules Advisory Committee (RAC) requires about 2 hours of work per week on average from March through May attending virtual meetings and reviewing documents
- The RAC is open to the public. This includes advocates, regulated parties, and community members. Membership is not anonymous
- Members join multiple meetings to draft rules governing the health and safety of private detention facilities' detainees

Rulemaking is a public process

- Our goal is to listen to as many people as possible when we create new rules. The law requires the process of making rules to be public and tells state agencies what they must do to make rules
- You can learn more about [DOH rulemaking](#) by subscribing to agency rulemaking updates

Topics we'll discuss include

- Medical care
- Nutrition
- Exercise
- Access to clothing and laundry facilities
- Hygiene and infectious control
- Clean air standards
- Accessibility needs

Other ways to help

You can still help us without participating on the RAC.

- Informal comment period (June-July 2024)
 - Open to the public
 - Review and comment on proposed rules with or without providing contact information
- Formal comment period (Dec. 2024-Jan. 2025)
 - Open to the public
 - Review and comment on proposed rules with or without providing contact information
 - Without contact information, we can't send a reply to your comments
- Follow our [social media](#) for updates and more ways to help
- Check out our [Private Detention Facilities](#) webpage for more information