

**Commission on the Status of Persons with Disabilities
Long-Term Services & Supports and Health Equity Subcommittee
Meeting Agenda**

Date of Meeting: Monday, November 17, 2025

Time: 11am to 12pm

Virtual [Registration Form for Zoom Link](#)

This is a meeting of the **Long-Term Services & Supports and Health Equity Subcommittee** of the permanent Commission on the Status of Persons with Disabilities. The Long-Term Services & Supports and Health Equity Subcommittee will collect and analyze data, conduct research, and evaluate initiatives that impact the accessibility, quality, and sustainability of LTSS for individuals with disabilities in Massachusetts. As part of its mission, the subcommittee will encourage research institutions and organizations to meaningfully involve people with disabilities in the design and implementation of their studies. The subcommittee will assess how policy changes, funding decisions, and health equity efforts affect service availability, with a particular focus on reducing disparities in healthcare access and advancing equitable, person-centered care. Through collaboration with key stakeholders, the subcommittee will identify service gaps, highlight best practices, and promote evidence-based policy discussions that protect and expand LTSS resources.

Agenda

1. Welcome, Roll Call, Approval of Minutes
2. Affordable Housing Search: User presentation for General Providers Presentation by Tori Decker, Community Manager; Emma Rial, Customer Service & Training Manager; and Abby Werner, Director of Data, Research and Compliance from Housing Navigator Massachusetts
3. FY26 Goals Discussion
4. Adjournment

2026 Meeting Dates

- January 26, 2026
- February 23, 2026
- April 27, 2026
- May 18, 2026
- August 31, 2026
- November 16, 2026

Meeting Materials:

- [August 2025 minutes](#)
- Housing Navigator MA Presentation (TBD)

Meeting information:

- Meeting will be held virtually via Zoom webinar
- Please fill out [this registration form](#) for the Zoom link
- Audience members may participate by submitting their contact information, questions, and comments using the Zoom Q&A feature. Please note that Commission staff will follow up with you after the meeting.
- Live stream link <https://malegislature.gov/Commissions/Detail/567/Hearings>
- ASL and CART interpretation services have been requested.
- CART URL: <https://www.streamtext.net/player?event=StatehouseADA>
- For accessibility requests and other questions, contact Imene Bouziane Saidi at imene.bouzianesaidi@mass.gov

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