



**ENDING THE SYNDEMICS COMMITTEE (ETS)**



**AGENDA**  
**November 20, 2024**

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MEETING OBJECTIVES
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Introduction to committee</li> <li>• Review status of ETS projects relevant to Integrated Plan</li> <li>• Identify potential projects for ETS 2025 Workplan</li> <li>• Inform ETS workplan development for 2025</li> </ul>

MEETING ETIQUETTE
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Be present and encourage participation</li> <li>• One person talking at a time</li> <li>• Raise hand to indicate a desire to speak</li> <li>• Share the floor / treat all with respect</li> <li>• Ask questions if an acronym or term is not clear</li> </ul>

**Welcome & Introductions** ..... 12:50 p.m.

**Administrative Matters** ..... 12:55 p.m.

- Review of prior meeting notes
- Committee leadership updates

**Syndemic Partners Group Updates**..... 1:05 p.m.

**ETS Projects** ..... 1:15 p.m.

- Where are we? Review ETS projects and discuss progress (e.g., concept, prototype, pilot, promote and scale)
- What is missing? What do you need to implement a whole-person, syndemic approach?
- What other new or innovative ideas should be explored (e.g., integrated testing, staff training)?

**2025 ETS Workplan – Emerging Directions**.....1:45 p.m.

- Identify short list of priorities for 2025
- Potential activities / collaborative processes for ETS in updating the 2027-2031 Integrated Plan

**Announcements, Next Steps, and Meeting Feedback** .....2:00 p.m.

**Adjourn** .....2:05 p.m.

**Committee Charge & Connection to Integrated Plan**

- The Ending the Syndemics (ETS) Committee coordinates and supports expansion of ending the HIV epidemic and syndemic strategies and activities across the state.
- ETS activities relate directly to the Integrated Plan objective 3.3. to “implement a syndemic approach with areas of focus on sexually transmitted infections, viral hepatitis, and substance use disorders (behavioral health)” and support other Plan goals and objectives.