

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

CHILDREN, FAMILIES, AND ELDER AFFAIRS
Senator Garcia, Chair
Senator Book, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Monday, October 18, 2021
TIME: 4:00—6:00 p.m.
PLACE: *Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building*

MEMBERS: Senator Garcia, Chair; Senator Book, Vice Chair; Senators Albritton, Brodeur, Harrell, Rouson, Torres, and Wright

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1		Presentation by the Department of Children and Families providing an overview of out-of-home care placements and recruitment, retention, and licensure of caregivers.	Presented
2		Panel discussion on out-of-home care placements and issues pertinent to out-of-home caregivers, including: -Representatives from the Department of Children and Families -Andry Sweet, President and CEO, Children’s Home Society of Florida -Mike DiBrizzi, CEO, Camelot Community Care -Calyn Stringer, Licensed Foster Parent and Foster Family Support Recruiter & Trainer, Northwest Florida Health Network Foster Family -Irene Ruckus, President and CEO, Children’s Home Network -Paul Vernon, Foster Parent and Treasurer of Florida State Foster/Adoptive Parent Association	Discussed
Other Related Meeting Documents			