



ALAMEDA COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION

Thursday, May 9, 2024, 6:00-8:00 pm

Location: Alameda County Public Health Department

1100 San Leandro Blvd, San Leandro

101 8th St, Ste 100 Oakland, CA 94607

The mission of the Public Health Commission shall be to review and assess emerging health needs; initiate and improve health and disease prevention programs and policies; make recommendations regarding opportunities for building community capacity as related to public health priorities; and advocate for adequate resources and increased County action to improve community health.

Attendance Record, Calendar year 2024

(P = Present, A = Absent, EA=Excused Absence)

Dist #	Member Name	Term Exp.	Jan 11	Feb 8	Mar 14	Apr 11	May 9	Jun 13	Jul 11	Aug 8	Sep 12	Oct 10	Nov 14
1	Hurst, David	07/01/24	P	P	P	P	P						
1	Ramchandani, Harsha	12/07/24	P	V	P	P	V*						
2	Bhaiji, Ammar	10/08/25	P	A	P	EA	A						
2	Sahi, Jatinderpal	09/20/25	A	P	V	A	P						
2	Tuason, Nico	11/14/25	P	P	P	V*	P						
3	Boller, Greg	01/30/25	V*	P	P	P	A						
3	Pan, Irene	10/24/25	P	P	P	V*	EA						

3	Strange, Jessica	04/21/24	V*	EA	P	EA	EA						
4	Harper, Zhonnet	07/02/24	P	A	P	P	EA						
4	Howard, Gary	11/29/25	A	A	P	EA	P						
5	Budge, Jason	01/09/24	P	A	EA	P	P						
5	De La Pena Medina, Mitzy	03/24/25	P	P	EA	EA	A						
5	Levine, Deborah	10/27/25	P	P	P	EA	P						
5	Miskelly, Sally	01/26/25	P	P	P	P	P						
At-Large	Castillo, Nestor	12/07/24	EA	P	P	P	V*						
At-Large	Martin, Dawn	1/23/26	N/A	P	P	P	P						
At-Large	Prieto-Diaz, Cynthia	1/23/26	N/A	P	P	P	P						
At-Large	To, Jason	1/23/26	N/A	V*	V	P	P						

P = Present; A=Absent; T.O.= Termed out; V = Virtual ; V* = Present but cannot count toward quorum

Attendance:

Commissioners - In person: David Hurst, Jatinderpal Sahi, Nico Tuason, Gary Howard, Jason Budge, Deborah Levine, Sally Miskelly, Dawn Martin, Jason To, Cynthia Prieto-Diaz; Virtual – Nestor Castillo, Harsha Ramchandani; Notified absence: Jess Strange, Zhonnet Harper, Irene Pan

Staff: In person: John Virata

Guest: *Virtual:* Bryan Harris, Nathalie Munoz

AGENDA:

Time	Agenda Item	Description & Task	Lead
6:00	Call to Order	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The meeting was called to order by Chair Nestor Castillo at 6:05pm	Chair Castillo
6:05	Public Comment*	Bryan Harris: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Encouraged others to attend some of the workgroups throughout the year• Community Engagement through this effort	Public
		Action Items	
6:10	Approval of Minutes	Motion to approve: Commissioner Budge 2 nd By: Commissioner Hurst Ayes: 8	Chair Castillo
		Reports and Presentations	

6:35	Staff report	<p>Staff updates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Update on CHIP Kickoff on May 1st 	Support staff and PHC Commissioners in attendance
6:40	Chair Updates	Updates on PHC business	Chair Castillo
6:50	Committee Updates	<p><u>Comms Outreach:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Attended the SL city address on the Public Safety infrastructure on safety and homelessness Recommendation for the strategic planning committee - Review of the Tracking community events - as an individual or on behalf of the PH commission and promoting partner content <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Email Commissioner Prieto-Diaz directly to get event on the calendar Meet with X number of community members or provide more awareness on topics To be the ear on the ground and bring back findings to the Commission. How to improve that engagement piece? To what degree do we want to distinguish ourselves from the PHD? Piggyback on existing events and expand on areas they aren't showing up to ACPHC request forms to attend events with a minimum of 30 days. 	Committee Chairs

		<p>Motion to adopt Event Tracking Tool: Commissioner Tuason 2nd by: Commissioner Sahi Ayes: 8</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Acknowledges Nurses appreciation week and air quality awareness week, public servant recognition week <p><u>Oral Health:</u> Also attending outreach events</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Assess oral health before Kindergartners go into first grade by end of May• 27% of kindergartners have oral health needs <p><u>Medi-Cal Ad-Hoc:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Upcoming virtual meeting on Monday• Assign commissioners to the committee to avoid accidentally meeting quorum <p><u>Nominations:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Met last month and reviewed the SOP onboarding plan and made some edits and available for voting• Developing Roles and responsibilities for commissioners	
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7:10	Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) document	<p>Discuss and vote adoption of SOP</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Motion by: Commissioner Sahi 2nd by: Commissioner Howard Ayes: 7 	Chair Castillo
7:40	Discuss presentation topics	<p>Discuss desired presentation topics for upcoming PHC meetings</p> <p>Suggested presentations (updated in sheet):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recipe for health by Dr. Chen 	Vice Chair De La Peña Medina

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CAPE Unit - Epi report, and S • B1000 update • Alameda County Food Bank Policy 	
7:50	General Announcements	<p>Nathalie Munoz - Public</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Has done extensive research on SB1000. Several resources that we've come up with that gives a snapshot of all California cities in implementing the law with respect to different food justice 	All
8:00	Adjourn	The formal end of the meeting	All