

**CITY OF LONG BEACH
BOARD OF HEALTH AND HUMAN
SERVICES AGENDA**

**FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 2023
SECOND FRIDAY OF EACH MONTH
HEALTH DEPARTMENT TRAINING CENTER
3861 WORSHAM AVENUE, LONG BEACH, 7:45 AM**

Sabrina Sanders, Chair
Barbara Schwerin, Vice Chair
Silene St. Bernard, DVM, Member
Sylvia Betancourt, Member
Reena Curtis, PharmD, Member
Abraam Girgis, DDS, Member



Manorama Gupta, Member
Beth Lesen, Member
Miles McNeeley, LCSW, Member
Nasir Tejani, MD, FAAP, Member
Lydia Vaias, MD, Member
Lauren Walton, MD, Member

REGULAR MEETING

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. [23-012BH](#) Recommendation to approve the minutes of the Board of Health and Human Services meeting held February 10, 2023.

Suggested Action: Approve recommendation.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: Members of the public are invited to address the Board on items of interest to the public within the Agency Board jurisdiction. Each speaker will be limited to two minutes unless that time is extended by the Chair.

EXECUTIVE STAFF REPORTS

2. [23-013BH](#) Recommendation to receive and file a report from the Director of Health and Human Services.

Suggested Action: Approve recommendation.

3. [23-014BH](#) Recommendation to receive and file a report from the City Health Officer on Communicable Disease Control activities.

Suggested Action: Approve recommendation.

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4. [23-015BH](#) Recommendation to receive an overview of the Health and Human Services Department's website.

Suggested Action: Approve recommendation.

5. [23-016BH](#) Recommendation to discuss Board Goals and Infrastructure, including:

- Staff Reports on City Council communications
- Focus areas
- Recruitment efforts
 - * Registered Nurse
 - * Long Beach Unified School District Representative
 - * Hospital/Healthcare Administrator

Suggested Action: Approve recommendation.

ONGOING BUSINESS

6. [23-017BH](#) Recommendation to discuss mental health and substance abuse issues.

Suggested Action: Approve recommendation.

7. [23-018BH](#) Recommendation to discuss environmental justice issues.

Suggested Action: Approve recommendation.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

ADJOURNMENT

I, Dennis Keith, Executive Assistant for the Long Beach Department of Health and Human Services, certify that the agenda was posted not less than 72 hours prior to the meeting.

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