



PANDAS/PANS Advisory Council

May 21, 2019

9 AM – 10 AM

LOCATIONS

West Chicago Building
245 W. Roosevelt Rd.
West Chicago, IL

5th Floor Conference Room
535 W. Jefferson St.
Springfield, IL

Minutes

1. Call to order—9:03 am
 - a. Members present: Wendy Nawara, Allison Nickrent
 - b. Members present by audio: Pam Campbell, Caoimhe Dardis, Rep. Jennifer Gong-Gershowitz, Ardyth Holbrook, Eryn Krueger, Rep. Michael McAuliffe, Sandra Ross, Anju Usman Singh
 - c. Members absent: Monique Anawis, Gloria Barrera, Nick Giannini, Anette Mnabhi, Dareen Siri
2. Review of the minutes
 - a. Approved January 22, 2019 minutes
 - b. Approved March 19, 2019 minutes
3. Committee Reports
 - a. Education Committee
 - i. Webinars hosted by the Foundation for Children with Neuroimmune Disorders continue throughout the year, information can be found on the IDPH website
 - ii. Moving forward, this will be known as the Education Committee
 - b. Annual Summit Committee
 - i. Annual Summit will be September 17th at DuPage County Health and Human Services
 - ii. Some possible speakers have been identified
 - iii. Sandra will be checking on possible speakers on insurance issues from DOI
 - iv. Anju will provide Wendy with CEU contact person information
 - v. Ardyth will assist with logistics of CME presentations
 - vi. Teresa has a possible contact for a presentation for school personnel
 - c. Research and literature review Committee—Nothing to report
 - d. Action Item Committee
 - i. The Committee does have a conference kit that is available for outreach opportunities
 - e. Communications—Nothing to report
4. Old Business—Nothing to report
5. New Business

- a. A resolution to declare October 9th, 2019 as PANDAS/PANS Awareness Day is moving through the Senate
 - b. HB2846 from Rep. Conroy is moving and focuses on insurance coding
- 6. Upcoming Meeting Dates
 - a. July 16, 2019, 9-10 AM
 - b. September 17, 2019, 9-10 AM
 - c. November 19, 2019, 9-10 AM
- 7. Adjourn—9:32am