

Meeting Minutes of:

ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH - PERINATAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Hospital Facilities Designation Sub-Committee Meeting (HFDSC)

August 10, 2023 | 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. | Location: WebEx

Attendees:

<u>Members in Attendance</u>	<u>IDPH</u>	<u>Guest</u>	<u>Members Not in Attendance</u>
Zeschke, Maripat (Chair) Aprahamian, Charles Hoskins, Jodi Javed, M. Jawad Mels, Autumn Pillai, Srikumar Schaefer, Phil Shupe, Casey Sorce, joanne Stewart, Diedra (Dede) Strassner, Howard Stupek, Christina Zahnd, Melissa	Bennett, Amanda Diaz, Leandra Han, Seulgi Harris, Trishna Masinter, Lisa Smith, Alexander	Ashford, Daniell Bober, Michelle Cross, Andrea Culvey, Paula Flores, Ana Johnson, B. Kandel, Jessica Rigsby, Cynthia Rowell, Erin Selip, Deb Seyfert, Jacee Swain, Susie Thompson, Connie Weber, Lisa Xavier Peggy Cowling	Beatty, Adriena Excused: Brandenburg, Jenny

Motions

- 1. Motion to approve minutes from the April 2023 meeting.**
1st Pillai, Srikumar & 2nd Zahnd, Melissa - The group unanimously approved.
- 2. Motion: Level III Surgical Memo Discussions**
No vote was conducted due to ongoing discussion.
- 3. Motion to Adjourn**
1st Zahnd, Melissa & 2nd Aprahamian, Charles, the group unanimously approved.

AGENDA ITEMS

Call to Order & Roll Call

The Chair, **Maripat Zeschke**, called the meeting to order at approximately 9:36 A.M. Leandra Díaz conducted roll call and asked guests to respond in the chat box their name and association.

Review/Approval of Minutes from June 2023

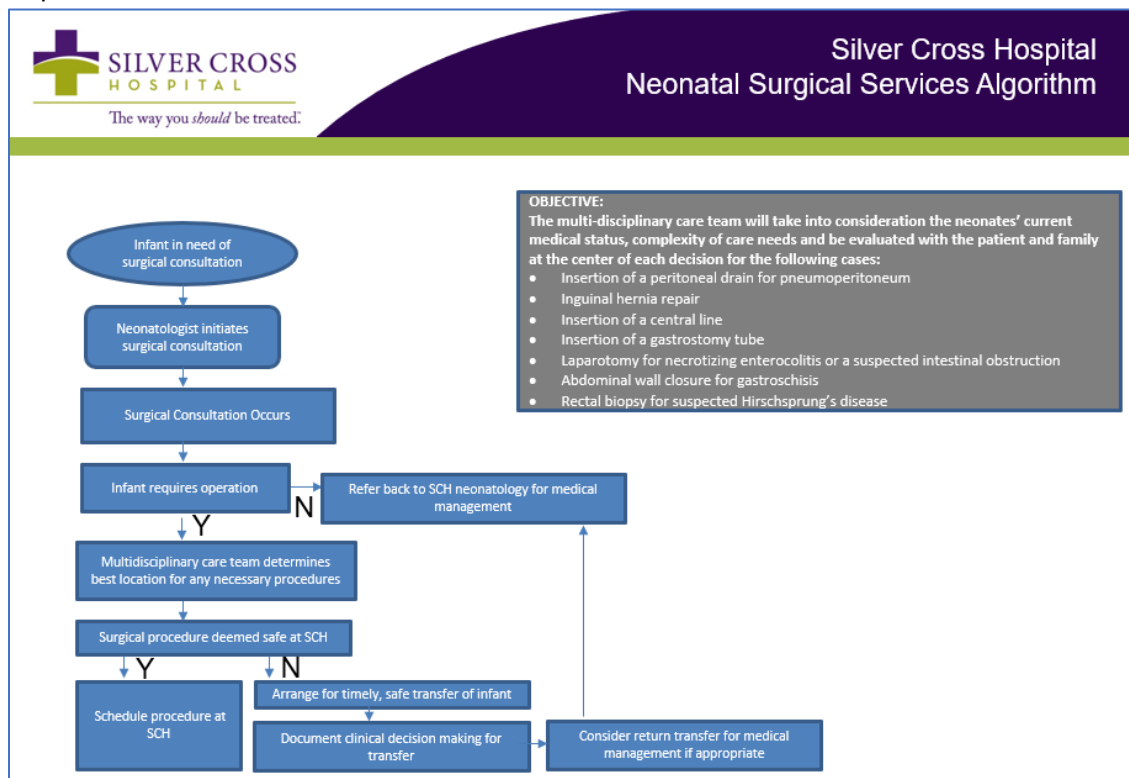
the agenda and Minutes from the June 2023 Meeting were reviewed. Pillai, Srikumar & Zahnd, Melissa made motion to accept the minutes as written. Subcommittee unanimously approved.

Updates: Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH)

- Title V Division Chief/Director: This position is moving forward with great progress.
- 640 rules are being reviewed by Trishna Harris, Lisa Masinter and IDPH legal team. Meeting are being held to discuss this topic.
- Levels of Cares: IDPH received all needed documents from the stakeholders. A log for which hospitals have provided this letter has been created for tracking purposes.

Work Plan Review

- Silver Cross: Silver Cross presented the following:
 - 3,139 Deliveries (5.7% increase since CY2020). Official opening as Level III NICU on July 22, 2022
 - SCH and Lurie Children's Hospital have a **telemedicine platform** in place to facilitate timely consultation and co-management of patients to further prevent transfers.
 - Trishna Harris, IDPH: Mentioned what a great site visit was to complete Silver Cross.
 - **Maternal Quality Initiatives**
 - Birth Equity
 - Estimated Fetal Weight on History & Physical
 - Jada Device – Postpartum Hemorrhage
 - Maternal Fetal Medicine Consults
 - Maternal Newborn Opioid
 - Postpartum Hemorrhage and Blood Transfusion
 - Purple Postpartum Bracelet
 - Promoting Vaginal Birth
 - **Neonatal Quality Initiatives**
 - BASIC (Babies Antibiotic Stewardship Improvement Collaborative)
 - Discharge Before Noon
 - Oxygen With Love
 - Unplanned Extubation Prevention



UChicago Medicine AdventHealth, GlenOaks: OB Closure 7/31/23

- Suspended Obstetrics as of 7/31/23. Currently, in the process of doing their education.
- Arrangement has been established with the ambulance services and EMS in their area.
- Hinsdale is a partner hospital during this transition.
- Website has been uploaded to not include OB admissions.
- Avg. deliveries 15 per month.
- Went from Level 2 to Zero.

Crystal Lake: New facility opening as Level O

- Crystal Lake opened as a level zero designation as of 7/24/2023.
- Letter of Intent has been prepared and provided to IDPH.
- Site Visit 6/29/23.
- Developed a policy for Management of Maternal and Neonatal Patients.
- Education training is scheduled for September 13th and 14th.
- Educated the EMS services on their designation as a level zero and also the community regarding that that we as I said
- Crystal Lake created a wonderful education training. A job well done.

Glen Oaks: OB Closure 10/11/2022, Reopen 9/1/2023 as a level II

- OB Closed as of 10/11/2022.
- Would like to reopen as a level 2.
- Site visit scheduled for 8/16/2023.
- Change Network Request: Asking to be moved from South Central Network to North Central Illinois Network, which is with OSF.
- Since this is a reopening, a vote is needing.
- Reopening is scheduled for 9/1/2023.
- Can Glen Oaks reopen before approval from PAC? Yes, after the site visit is conducted, the letter of Re-Designation will be provided to the IDPH Director, once IDPH Director signs in approval, then Glen Oaks can reopen (not before).
- IDPH Director will need to agree on this reopening.
- If the committee votes in favor, come January 1, 2024 the new network will be activated.
- In the meantime, continue in current network (South Central Network) until the end of 2023.

Level III Surgical Memo Discussions

- IDPH will discuss and analyze what to add to the memo.
- IDPH will collect data: Outcomes of different cases by different levels of care. Analyze what has been submitted from the hospitals. IL specific data for outcomes (surgical procedures). Low volume centers vs. high volume centers.
- New rules and regulations will be discussed between IDPH and Legal.
- No motion was needed → IDPH can request the needed data from hospitals.
- Level III NICU vs Level IV NICU

Adjournment

With nothing further to discuss, Zahnd, Melissa made the motion to adjourn and Aprahamian, Charles seconded the motion- the group unanimously approved.