

Meeting Minutes of:

ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH - Statewide Quality Council (SQC)

Wednesday, April 9th, 2025 | 2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. | Location: WebEx

Attendees:

<u>Members in Attendance</u>	<u>IDPH</u>	<u>Guest</u>	<u>Members Not in Attendance</u>
Al-Khaled, Dana Allen, Roma Borders, Ann Boyle, Deborah (Vice Chair) Hoskins, Jodi Klamm, Hannah Lee King, Patti Lou, Lily Meints, Laura Qureshi, Madiha Rodriguez, Angela Rosburg, KC Zeschke, Maripat	Diaz, Leandra Harris, Trishna Hedges, Tonya Kelly, Hillary Smith, Alexander Vazquez-Plaza, Natalia Bergo, Cara Masinter, Lisa	Ashford, Daniell Brink, Emalee Caruso, April Cross, Andrea Jones, Leslie Lemmenes, Donna Riley, Melissa Sabini, Myra Sorce, Joann Stewart, Diedra Swain, Susie Thompson, Connie Lowry, Jaqueline Carious, Jennifer Hovden, Maggie	Excused: Adonis, Michael Brandenburg, Jennifer Brennan, Rita Kopec, Gretchen Locher, Steven

Motions

- Motion to approve minutes from the February 2025 meeting.**
1st Ann Borders 2nd Angela Rodriguez, the group unanimously approved.
- Motion to Adjourn**
1st Lily Lou, 2nd Ann Borders, the group unanimously approved.



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AGENDA ITEMS

Call to Order & Roll Call

The Vice-Chair, Deb Boyle, called the meeting to order in accordance with the scheduled meeting time. Hillary Kelly completed roll call and asked guests to respond in the chat box with their name and association.

Review/Approval of Minutes from February 2025

- February 2025 Minutes were reviewed.

Motion: 1st Ann Borders, and 2nd Angela Rodriguez motioned, and the group unanimously approved.

Updates: Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH)

- Budget updates- no new updates at this time. We will share information as it becomes known to us.
- Staffing changes at IDPH: Currently in the interview process for the Perinatal Nurse Lead position.
- 640 updates: Currently with the policy advisor. Hoping to move forward in May and have additional updates in June.
 - Next step after the Policy Advisement team approves is sending to the Governor's Office
- Maternal Health Blueprint updates:
 - Moving through the Governor's Office. Anticipate a release soon.
- IDPH Maternal Health Summit- November 18-19 of 2025 at the ISU Bone Center.
- IL DOPP Program letter: currently double-checking language and program accessibility following newly announced budget cuts. Awaiting word from program partners.
 - ILPQC desires to send out information and remain consistent.
- LOC Map created by Cara Bergo can be found on the IDPH site- [Perinatal Regionalization](#)

Old Business

- Making progress on OB hemorrhage discussion.
 - Looking to use the August 2024 packet as a guide and looking to collaborate with educators to develop something new. Open to any and all feedback.
- Network Administrator Updates from Roma A.
 - Can see some gaps in the M&Ms and are evaluating policies statewide.
 - Assessing what expectations are.
 - Needing to share assessments.

New Business

- Still working on the checklist.
- Working on universal abstract for M&M change in name.
 - Will present when finished. Progressing on track well.
- ILPQC Team Birth Presentation
 - Respectful care and shared decision making to reduce disparity.
 - Working to open communication channels.
 - Please reach out to Ann Borders with questions regarding Team Birth.

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Implementing TeamBirth in Illinois to Improve Shared Decision Making and Reduce Disparities in NTSV CS

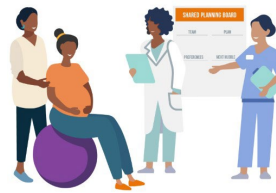


Image from TeamBirth/Anandine Labs
Learn more at <https://www.prdelish.org/deliverydecisioninitiative/teambirth/>

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- Patient Centered Outcomes Research Initiative (PCORI) funding for 22 Illinois hospitals to work on implementation of TeamBirth to improve shared decision making / respectful care during L&D and to evaluate outcomes.
- 22 hospitals across IL are participating
- TeamBirth implementation roll out with
 - Wave 1 starts work October 2025 with GO LIVE April 2026,
 - Wave 2 starts work April 2026 with GO LIVE Oct 2026
 - Wave 3 starts work Oct 2026 with GO LIVE April 2027.

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- Continuing Education for staff- Deb B.
 - Question of which simulations are recommended.
 - Nothing new to present today, will add item for the agenda to be discussed at the June meeting.

Illinois Perinatal Quality Collaborative (ILPQC) Updates:

- Next conference in Springfield on May 21-22. 2025. 9am-4pm. Abraham Lincoln Doubletree Hotel.
 - OB Teams on the 21st, Neonatal teams on the 22nd.
 - Scholarships available for hospitals to send 1 bedside nurse to each day of the event.
 - Patient partner opportunity, in partnership with DHS. ILPQC Patient Partners working with an ILPQC hospital team are invited to attend. Scholarships available.
- Questions regarding birth trauma and trauma informed care, please send to Ann Borders. She is developing a toolkit.
- Discussion of ACOG tiered response approach to maternal mental health and therapy.
- Vote on Statewide Perinatal Quality initiative (SPQI).
 - 1st Ann B., 2nd Lily Lou. SQC to bring to PAC in June.

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Public Comment

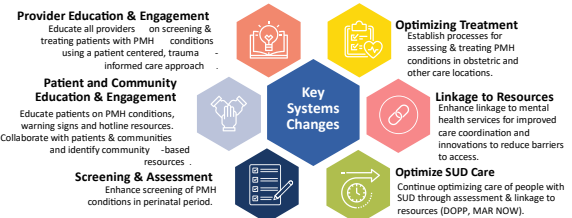
- No public comment

Membership

- Leslie Caldarelli
 - Motion to approve 1st Ann B., 2nd Lily Lou.
 - Will bring to PAC for vote.
- Any potential candidate that the committee would like to review, please email resume(s) to Debra Boyle, Stephen Locher and Alexander Smith.

Adjournment

With nothing further to discuss, Lily Lou made 1st motion to adjourn, and Ann Borders seconded the motion, the members unanimously approve.



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