

Meeting Minutes of:

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

October 9, 2024 | 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 Boyle, Deborah (Vice Chair) Brennan, Rita Hoskins, Jodi Klamm, Hannah Kopec, Gretchen Lee King, Patricia Lou, Lily Meints, Laura Qureshi, Madiha Rodriguez, Angela Zeschke, Maripat	Diaz, Leandra Harris, Trishna Hedges, Tonya Kelly, Hillary Lindsey, Teresa Smith, Alexander Spangler, Emily Vazquez-Plaza, Natalia	Ashford, Daniell Benbrook, Keri Caldarelli, Leslie Caruso, April Densberger, Kelly Howden, Maggy Mels, Autumn Pillers, De-Ann Sabini, Myra Sorce, Joann Stewart, Diedra Swain, Susie Thompson, Connie	Excused: Adonis, Michael Brandenburg, Jennifer Borders, Ann Locher, Stephen (Chair)

Motions

- Motion to approve minutes from the August 2024 meeting with the added change to excuse the absence of Dana Al-Khaled.**
1st Patricia Lee King motioned, and the group unanimously approved.
- Motion to Adjourn**
1st Jodi Hoskins, 2nd Lily Lou, the group unanimously approved.

AGENDA ITEMS

Call to Order & Roll Call

The Vice Chair, Deborah 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 June 2024

- The agenda was reviewed.
- August 2024 Minutes were reviewed, and one correction was made regarding an excused absence for Dana Al-Khaled.

Motion: 1st Patricia Lee King motioned, and the group unanimously approved.

Updates: Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH)

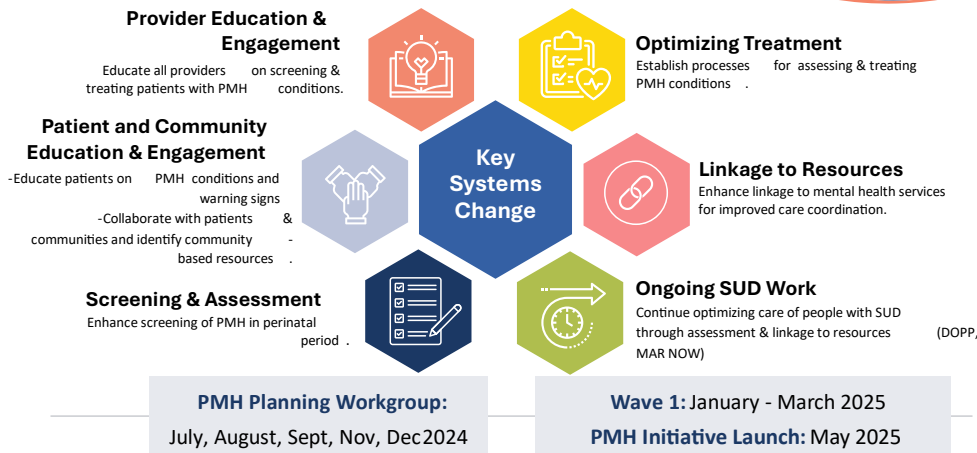
- Hillary Kelly introduction as the new administrative contact for PAC. Thank you to Leandra Diaz for her years of service.
- Staffing changes at IDPH: Cassidy Chambers, Title V Block Grant Coordinator has left IDPH, as well as Shannon Lightner, former Deputy Director. We wish they well in future endeavors.
- 640 updates: a full document has been submitted to the IDPH Policy Advisement team for review.
- IMR was released in September. infant-mortality-data-report-2024.pdf (illinois.gov)
- Birth Equity NOFO coming soon. This funding is directly coming from the legislative most recent legislative session and budget that was passed around birth equity, \$4 million will be available and the intention is for this funding to go towards communities that are having and noting adverse outcomes, in whatever way that might be in terms of geography, in terms of population and demographics. IDPH intent is to make sure we are engaging with partners who are working in those communities but may not have been plugged into the IDPH system. **Please pass on the info to any who would benefit in applying for this grant.**
- The Illinois Women and Families Health Conference: October 15-16, 2024-in Bloomington
- ILPQC 12th Annual Conference: 10/30/2024 at the Westin Lombard.

Illinois Perinatal Quality Collaborative (ILPQC) Update:

- Birth equity updates
 - 28 Birth Equity Sustainability plans submitted.
 - 20 1:1 Quality Improvement support calls completed.
 - 40 hospitals have held Respectful Care Breakfasts with patient/community partners.
 - 30 hospitals have patient partners established on QI team.
 - Providing ongoing support for teams to develop Doula Friendly L&D practices and improve engagement with local Home Visiting Programs
- Equity and Safe Sleep in Infants (ESSI) update
 - **70%** of ESSI Teams received an ESSI Launch Award
 - As of September 2024, more than 70 Hospitals are submitting monthly data.
- Promoting Vaginal Births (PVB) updates
 - All coaching groups **help** their first small group coaching calls virtually in March and in-person at the Face-to-Face Meeting in Springfield, IL. The next Meetings are scheduled for September.
 - We have held **13 Key Players** meetings to engage hospital administration, OB and nursing leadership and PVB QI team at hospitals to increase buy-in for teams still working to achieve PVB goals. **6 more are scheduled** before Mid-September
- Coming in 2025- **The ILPQC Perinatal Mental Health (PMH) Initiative**
 - See slide below for details.
- **ILPQC 12th Annual Conference: 10/30/2024 at the Westin Lombard.**

Coming in 2025...

The ILPQC Perinatal Mental Health (PMH) Initiative



Old Business

- Neonatal resuscitation cleared at PAC and is with legal now for finalization.
 - Alexander Smith drafted a memo and received feedback from legal today (10/9). Results will be shared with the entire committee.
- Postpartum hemorrhage protocol
 - Need is there for all to follow this protocol.
 - Is the bundle up to date? In need of review.
 - New subcommittee discussion. Purpose would be to review materials, create surveys, chart audits, and most up to date recommendations. A new subcommittee would discuss findings.
 - IDPH recommends no new subcommittee be developed at this time.
 - The possibility exists for members to discuss this without forming a new committee but following the rules on open meetings.
- Dashboard Discussion Review
 - Lily L. asked about updates for this project and who can implement this dashboard.

New Business

- No new business to discuss.

Public Comment

- No public comment.

Membership

- No new members to vote on.
- Any potential candidate that the committee would like to review, please email resume(s) to Debra Boyle, Stephen Locher and Alexander Smith.



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Adjournment

With nothing further to discuss, Jodi Hoskins made motion to adjourn, and Lily Lou seconded the motion, the members unanimously approved.