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Public Notice of Open Meeting

Task Force on Infant and Maternal Mortality Among African Americans

Thursday, May 15, 2025 | 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Virtual Meeting Information: <https://illinois.webex.com/illinois/j.php?MTID=m6b83f461be97840a5a1f2abcd94eb905>

Phone: 312-535-8110 | Meeting # (access code): 2633 028 2546 → #, #

Meeting is held entirely virtual

AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Minutes from 3/20/2025: Review and Vote
4. IDPH Updates
 - IDPH Annual Mandatory Trainings are **available now**— Login: <https://OneNet.Illinois.gov/MyTraining> (5 Trainings) --Due 12/31/2025.
 - Maternal Health Summit: Save the Date, Nov 18-19, 2025- More details to come.
 - Illinois Perinatal Regionalization **Map of Hospitals (Levels of Care Virtual Map)**: Any suggestions are welcome please email Cara.Bergo@Illinois.gov <https://dph.illinois.gov/topics-services/life-stages-populations/maternal-child-family-health-services/perinatal-health/infant-mortality/perinatal-regionalization.html>
 - 2023-2024 Report to The General Assembly: Illinois Task Force on Infant and Maternal Mortality Among African Americans <https://dph.illinois.gov/about/annual-reports/immt-report-20232024.html>
 - Fetal and Infant Mortality Data Report is now available: <https://dph.illinois.gov/content/dam/soi/en/web/idph/publications/idph/topics-and-services/life-stages-populations/maternal-child-family-health-services/maternal-health/perinatal-health/fetal-and-infant-mortality-report-2024.pdf>
 - Birth Equity: IDPH Awards \$4.5 Million in Grants to Support Governor Pritzker's Birth Equity. 12 Groups that Provide Innovative, Equity-Focused Maternal Care for Pregnant Illinoisans. <https://dph.illinois.gov/resource-center/news/2025/january/release-20250129.html#:~:text=January%209%2C%202025-IDPH%20Awards%20%244.5%20Million%20in%20Grants%20to%20Support,Birth%20Equity%20Efforts%20Across%20Illinois&text=CHICAGO%20%E2%80%93%20The%20Illinois%20Department%20of,Pritzker's%202024%20Birth%20Equity%20Initiative>
5. Activity Regarding Membership -- VOTE
 - A. Timika Anderson-Reeves
 - B. Anquetette M. Perkins
6. **SWOT (Strengths, Weakness, Opportunity, and Threats) Conversation: ~30 mins---** Lead by Angela Ellison
 - Assessing the MCH landscape in light of the new political agenda.
7. **Bylaws: Review Draft**
8. **IMMT: Memo on Hospital Closures Updates**
9. **Guest: The Health Facilities & Services Review Board (HFSRB): Procedure Protocols**
10. New Business
11. Events/Community Sharing
 - **Examining Systems of Risk Appropriate Maternal Care with Systems Science: Led by LAUREN N. STEIMLE** <https://uofi.app.box.com/s/sbohmfr8qha3tz6nc1stfabtqe3nompz> April 3, 2025 | 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM
 - Open Position: **Project Director** for the Transforming Maternal Health (TMaH) Model <https://illinois.jobs2web.com/job/Chicago-Transforming-Maternal-Health-Project-Director-%28Senior-Public-Service-Administrator-Opt-1%29-IL-60607/1289137600/>
12. **EverThrive:** Legislative updates.
13. **Sub-Committee Updates**
 - Community Engagement Subcommittee
 - Programs and Best Practices Subcommittee
 - Systems Subcommittee
14. **Public Comment (5 minutes):** Persons interested in making public comment are encouraged to contact the Office of Women's Health at **312-814-1093**
15. **Adjournment** * Agenda subject to change: Please visit the IDPH Events website <https://dph.illinois.gov/events.html>