

SASKATCHEWAN HEALTH AUTHORITY PUBLIC BOARD MEETING

DATE OF MEETING: September 26, 2024

TIME: 10:30 am - 11:21 am

LOCATION: TCU Place (35 22 Street East, Saskatoon) and Webex

Authority Members: Arlene Wiks (Chairperson), Tyler Bragg (Vice-Chairperson), Brenda Abrametz, Marilyn Charlton, Jackie Durocher, David Fan, Gillis Lavalley (via Webex), Rosalena Smith, Gary Zabos, K.C. and Tom Zurowski.

Administrative Staff: Andrew Will (Chief Executive Officer), Derek Miller (Chief Operating Officer), Leanne Ashdown (Chief Audit Officer), Jim Billington (VP, Community Engagement & Communications), Michelle Mula (VP, Quality, Safety & Chief Information Officer), Mike Northcott (Chief Human Resources Officer), Michelle Schmalenberg (Executive Director, Strategy & Innovation), Dr. Susan Shaw (Chief Medical Officer), Kelly Thompson (VP, Finance & Chief Financial Officer), Lori Frank (Executive Director, Governance & Policy) and Denni Wood (Board Associate) (Recorder).

Guests: Shawn Phaneuf (Interim Executive Director, First Nations & Métis Health) (via Webex).

Regrets: Tracey Smith (Deputy Minister of Health) (Ex Officio).

1. Call to Order

1.1. Welcome Guests

 Chairperson, A. Wiks, called the public meeting of the Saskatchewan Health Authority (SHA) to order at 10:30 am.

1.2. Approval of Agenda

The following motion was brought forward:

SHA #21-24 [Carried]. Moved by M. Charlton and seconded by T. Bragg that: the Saskatchewan Health Authority Board approve the September 26, 2024, public Board meeting agenda.

1.3. Land Acknowledgement

• A. Wiks provided the Treaty and Land Acknowledgement.

1.4. Vision, Mission, Values & Philosophy of Care

• A. Wiks reviewed the SHA's Vision, Mission, Values and Philosophy of Care.

1.5. Introduction of Board Members and Chief Executive Officer (CEO)

A. Wiks introduced the Board and CEO.

1.6. Explain Meeting Protocols

A. Wiks explained the meeting protocols to the members of the public in attendance.

2. Approval of Consent Items

2.1. Previous Meeting Minutes

2.1.1. May 30, 2024

2.1.2. June 26, 2024

• The following motion was brought forward:



SHA #22-24 [Carried]. Moved by T. Zurowski and seconded by G. Zabos, K.C. that: the Saskatchewan Health Authority Board approve the consent items.

3. Conflict of Interest Declaration

No conflicts of interest were declared.

4. Ethical Decision Making Checklist Reminder

• A. Wiks reminded the Board of the Ethical Decision Making Checklist Reminder.

5. Reports

5.1. Chairperson's Report

• Chairperson, A. Wiks, provided a verbal update on activities since the last Board meeting.

5.2. Chief Executive Officer's (CEO's) Report

- A. Will provided an overview of the CEO report, which included updates on Health Human Resources, Mental Health & Addictions Services, Connected Care, Information & Infrastructure, operations, partnerships and celebration items.
- The Board asked questions and management responded.

5.3. Chief Medical Officer's (CMO) Report

• Dr. S. Shaw presented the CMO's report. The report included updates on physician recruitment & retention and the practitioner staff reappointment process.

6. Committee Reports

6.1. Audit, Finance & Risk Committee (AFRC)

T. Zurowski, AFRC Chairperson, provided highlights from the September 11, 2024, AFRC meeting
including updates on provincial audit items, enterprise risk management, internal audit and
cybersecurity.

6.2. Quality & Safety Committee (QSC)

• B. Abrametz, QSC Chairperson, provided an update from the September 10, 2024, QSC meeting including updates on the Patient & Family Leadership Council, Accreditation Canada, Quality & Safety plan and Ethics Framework.

Quality of Care

6.2.1. Key Performance Indicators Balanced Score Card

• M. Mula provided an overview on the progress of the Key Performance Indicators.

6.3. Governance & Human Resources Committee (GHRC)

6.3.1. Reaffirmation of Commitment to Truth & Reconciliation

- S. Phaneuf joined the meeting for item #6.3.1.
- D. Miller provided introductory remarks and the background of the SHA's Truth & Reconciliation Commitment statement.
- S. Phaneuf also provided background on the Commitment to Truth & Reconciliation review process.
- The following motion was brought forward:



SHA #23-24 [Carried]. Moved by R. Smith and seconded by G. Lavalley that: the Saskatchewan Health Authority Board approve the updated Truth and Reconciliation Commitment.

6.3.2. Committees Terms of Reference Review

- M. Charlton provided background on the Board Committees' Terms of References review and approval process.
- The following motion was brought forward:

SHA #24-24 [Carried]. Moved by M. Charlton and seconded by D. Fan that: the Saskatchewan Health Authority Board approve the Audit, Finance & Risk Committee, Board Practitioner Hearing Committee, CEO Recruitment & Succession Committee, Governance & Human Resources Committee, Quality & Safety Committee and Practitioner Liaison Committee terms of references as submitted.

6.3.3. Committees Membership Approval

- M. Charlton provided background on the Committees membership review and approval process.
- The following motion was brought forward:

SHA #25-24 [Carried]. Moved by M. Charlton and seconded by G. Lavalley that: the Saskatchewan Health Authority Board approve the Board Committee membership as outlined:

Audit Finance & Risk Committee

- Tom Zurowski, Chairperson
- Tyler Bragg
- Marilyn Charlton
- David Fan
- Arlene Wiks

Governance & Human Resources Committee

- Marilyn Charlton, Chairperson
- Gillis Lavalley
- Rosalena Smith
- Arlene Wiks
- Gary Zabos, K.C.

CEO Recruitment & Succession Committee

- Marilyn Charlton, Chairperson
- Gillis Lavalley
- Rosalena Smith
- Arlene Wiks
- Gary Zabos, K.C.

Quality & Safety Committee

- Brenda Abrametz, Chairperson
- Jackie Durocher
- Rosalena Smith
- Gary Zabos, K.C.
- Arlene Wiks

Board Practitioner Hearing Committee

- Arlene Wiks, Chairperson
- Brenda Abrametz
- Tyler Bragg
- David Fan
- Gillis Lavalley



- Gary Zabos, K.C.

Practitioner Liaison Committee

- Arlene Wiks, Co-Chairperson
- Brenda Abrametz
- Gillis Lavalley

7. Next Meeting Dates

• November 28, 2024

8. Motion to Adjourn

SHA #26-24 [Carried]. Moved by T. Zurowski that: the public meeting of the Saskatchewan Health Authority Board be adjourned at 11:21 am.

9. Questions from the Public in Attendance

No questions were asked from attendees who were news agency reporters.