



February 21, 2019
Meeting of the Coalition of Local Health Officials

Members Present:

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Baker – Nancy Staten | <input type="checkbox"/> Hood River – Trish Elliot | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> North Central PHD – Teri Thalhofer |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Benton – Charlie Fautin | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Jackson – Jackson Baures | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Polk – Kristty Polanco |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Clackamas – Richard Swift | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Jefferson – Mike Baker | <input type="checkbox"/> Tillamook – Marlene Putman |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Clatsop – Mike McNickel | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Josephine – Audrey Tiberio | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Umatilla – Joseph Fiamara |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Columbia – Mike Paul | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Klamath – Jennifer Little | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Union – Carrie Brogoitti |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Coos – Florence Pourtal-Stevens | <input type="checkbox"/> Lake – Judy Clarke | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Washington – Tricia Mortell |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Crook – Muriel DeLaVergne-Brown | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lane – Jocelyn Warren | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wheeler – Karen Woods |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Curry – Ben Cannon | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lincoln – Rebecca Austen | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yamhill – Lindsey Manfrin |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Deschutes – Hillary Saraceno | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Linn – Glenne Hughes | <input type="checkbox"/> HO Caucus – Pat Luedtke |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Douglas – Bob Dannenhoffer | <input type="checkbox"/> Malheur – Lindsey Atagi | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CLEHS Caucus – Joseph Fiumara |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grant – Jessica Winegar | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Marion – Katrina Rothenberger | <input type="checkbox"/> AOPHNS - vacant |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Harney – Jolene Cawfield | <input type="checkbox"/> Morrow – Sheree Smith | |
| | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Multco – Rachael Banks | |

Public Health Division: Danna Drum, Kati Moseley

Coalition of Local Health Officials: Morgan Cowling, Caitlin Hill

December Minutes

Hillary Saraceno requested her name be corrected in December minutes. Muriel DeLaVergne Brown motioned to approve, Teri Thalhofer seconded.



Appointments

Katrina Rothenberger from Marion County was appointed to Legislative Committee.

DEQ Air Quality Follow-up

In the January CLHO Meeting Matt Davis from DEQ came and talked about convening an air quality stakeholder meeting 4-5 times a year and requested LPHA representation in the group. CLHO had quite a large number of volunteers and requested a remote option for the stakeholder meeting. Morgan has since learned they only want one or two LPHA reps and will not be providing a call in option. Both Joe Fiumara and Jackson Baures would like to participate but wanted to provide feedback that not having a phone option could limit their ability to participate.

County Health Rankings Release & Mini-Grants Update

Caitlin sent out the CHR funding opportunity to the CLHO Board. The Rankings will be released March 18th and Caitlin will send out embargoes information about a week prior.

OSBN - Standing Orders

Morgan attended the February OSBN Stakeholder meeting in Eugene. The OSBN is reviewing standing orders and there is concern that standing orders for local public health will be changed and create barriers for services. The OSBN requested local public health authority standing orders. The CLHO Board was concerned since they didn't know why OSBN wanted to review the standing orders and if it would put their current practice at risk. Suggestion to send OSBN the model Oregon state standing order since many counties use this model to base their standing orders on. The Director of OSBN stated she would reach out to OHA to discuss public health standing orders and Lillian Shirley said she would be primary contact. Morgan requested time for a specific deeper dive on local public health issues with local public health partners.



2019 Legislative Session

We are four weeks into the legislative session. We are watching the OHA Public Health Modernization budget process which likely will begin in early March. It is early in the legislature for a budget – the co-chair budget will be coming out in April. The Governor put \$5 million into public health that is funded with the tobacco tax. Re: SB 253, which concerns transferring LPHA responsibilities to OHA, AOC has taken lead to codify in statute that the governing body could request that authority back.

2019 Legislative Committee – Bill recommendations

During the legislative session the legislative committee has been meeting every other week for one hour to review bills. Morgan and Caitlin presented the legislative committee recommendations which are posted to the CLHO Website meeting materials. George Conway recommended two amendments to the recommendations: Oppose 565 and Support 2783 if amended to reduce the burden on providers. Teri Thalhofer seconded the recommendations. The CLHO Board approved the recommendations.

Additionally, the CLHO Staff brought forth more recommendations to support the yet to be announced bill removing non-medical exemptions for children in daycare and K-12 and to support the Double Up Bucks SNAP program. Muriel DeLavernne Brown motioned to approve and Teri Thalhofer seconded.

CLHO Strategic Planning Proposal Review & Discuss Strategic Planning Adhoc Team

Ran out of time and will discuss at the March CLHO Board Meeting.