

**MINUTES OF THE
BOARD OF PUBLIC HEALTH MEETING
August 14, 2012**

Members Present:

Gary D. Nelson, Ph.D., Chair
Kathryn K. Cheek, MD, FAAP, Vice Chair
Mitch Rodriguez, MD, Secretary
Phillip L. Williams, Ph.D.
Robert S. Harshman, MD
COL Brent E. Bracewell

Members Absent:

James W. Curran, MD

The Board of Public Health held its monthly board meeting on August 14, 2012 at 2 Peachtree St NW, Atlanta, GA 30303 in the 5th Floor Board Room. An agenda and a List of Attendees are attached hereto and made official parts of these Minutes as Attachments #1 and #2. Chairman Nelson called the meeting to order at 1:05 PM.

Action Items

There were no action items discussed.

Other Items

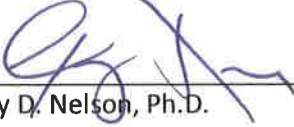
The board opened the forum to the public to comment on the FY2013 budget for the Department of Public Health. The following people addressed the board:

Vicki Johnson, Georgia Counsel on Aging
Matt Ryder, Georgia Pediatric Healthcare Improvement Coalition
Kelly Ball, Georgia Speech-Language Hearing Association
Robert Wiskind, Georgia Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics
Angie Patterson, Georgia Center for Oncology Research & Education
Kesha Clinkscale, March of Dimes
Amy Upchurch, Georgia Breast Cancer Coalition
Mary Frances Williams, G-CAPP, Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Coalition
Linda Lowe, Families First
Deborah Riner, Georgia Public Health Association
Jeff Cornett, Hemophilia of Georgia
Charlie Hayslett, Partner Up! For Public Health
Matthew Hicks, Georgia Poison Control Center
Donna Davidson, Easter Seals, North Georgia
Jeff Graham, Georgia Equality

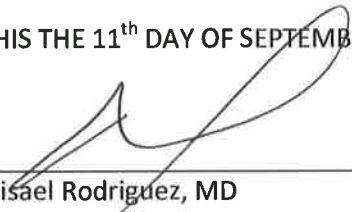
Adjournment

Chairman Nelson adjourned the meeting at 2:45 PM.

THESE MINUTES ARE HEREBY APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS THE 11th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2012.



Gary D. Nelson, Ph.D.
Chairman



Misael Rodriguez, MD
Secretary

Official Attachments:

1. List of Attendees
2. Agenda

BOARD OF PUBLIC HEALTH MEETING
August 14, 2012
LIST OF ATTENDEES

Board Members:

Gary D. Nelson, Ph.D., Chair
Kathryn K. Cheek, MD, FAAP, Vice Chair
Mitch Rodriguez, MD, Secretary
Phillip L. Williams, Ph.D.
Robert S. Harshman, MD
COL Brent E. Bracewell

Other Attendees

Brenda Fitzgerald, Department of Public Health
James C. Howgate, Department of Public Health
Janie Brodnax, Department of Public Health
Kate Pfirman, Department of Public Health
Sidney Barrett, Department of Public Health
Yvette Daniels, Department of Public Health
Ryan Deal, Department of Public Health
Pat O'Neal, Department of Public Health
Ken Bramlett, Department of Public Health
Carole Jakeway, Department of Public Health
Bob Shaw, Department of Public Health
Kimberly Redding, Department of Public Health
Christine Greene, Department of Public Health
Russell Crutchfield, Department of Public Health
Kimberly Stringer, Department of Public Health
David Bayne, Department of Public Health
Danielle Tack, Department of Public Health
Bob Gauspohl, Department of Public Health
Robert Patterson, Department of Public Health
Cherie Drenzek, Department of Public Health
Seema Csukas, Department of Public Health
Mary Joyce Bacon, Department of Public Health
Vikki Morrор, GCAPP
Julianna McConnell, SPA DD
Karen Waters, GHA
Dante McKay, Voices for Children
Helen Sloat, Nelson Mullins
Matthew Hicks, Grady
Rick Ward, Georgia Chapter, American Academy of Pediatrics
Andrea Kellum, Healthcare Georgia Foundation
Erin Ruoff, OPB
Margie Coggins, HBRO
Kimberly Lewis, Georgia Core
Angie Patterson, Georgia Core
Cathalene Teahan, GAC
Katie Verlander, OPB
Nelda Greene, Georgia Dental Association
Betsy Bates, Bates Associates
Scott Maxwell, M&M

Linda Womack, Emory
Andy Miller, Georgia Health News
Tarry Hodges, St. Joseph's/Candler
Vicki Johnson, Georgia Counsel on Aging
Matt Ryder, Georgia Pediatric Healthcare Improvement Coalition
Kelly Ball, Georgia Speech-Language Hearing Association
Robert Wiskind, Georgia Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics
Mike Chaney, Georgia Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics
Angie Patterson, Georgia Center for Oncology Research & Education
Stephanie Lotti, BSITFC
Keshia Clinkscale, March of Dimes
Amy Upchurch, Georgia Breast Cancer Coalition
Mary Frances Williams, G-CAPP, Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Coalition
Linda Lowe, Families First
Deborah Riner, Georgia Public Health Association
Jeff Cornett, Hemophilia of Georgia
Charlie Hayslett, Partner Up! For Public Health
Matthew Hicks, Georgia Poison Control Center
Donna Davidson, Easter Seals, North Georgia
Jeff Graham, Georgia Equality
Paul Browne, Georgia Health Sciences University
Kate O'Reilly, UGA
Michelle Putnam, Hemophilia of Georgia