



NEW JERSEY COLLEGE HEALTH ASSOCIATION

General Meeting

TCNJ

Trenton, NJ

May 21, 2024

Business Meeting Minutes

Attendees:

Dania Huie-Pasigan (Bergen County College); Theresa Lord-Stout (Centenary University); Cynthia Perillo (Centenary University); Mary Jean Vignali (Drew University); Health Macdonald (Drew University); Jennifer Piskadlo (Drew University); Barbara Ackerson (Montclair University); Sarah Jennings (Montclair University); Charlene Ellis (Bloomfield College at Montclair State); Kathleen Dolan (Rowan University); Scott Woodside (Rowan University); Sharon Virkler (Seton Hall University); Diane Lynch (Seton Hall University); Susan MacArthur (Seton Hall University); Kyle Weisholtz (Stevens Institute of Technology); Alyssa Lugtu (Stevens Institute of Technology); Kristin Dondadio (Stevens Institute of Technology); Holly Heller (The College of New Jersey); Neida Lewis (The College of New Jersey); Cindy Striano (Caldwell University); Teresa Sacca (Georgian Court University); Patricia Aponte (Kean University); Genique Stanislaus (Kean University); Cara Barlis (The College of New Jersey); Barbara Clark (The College of New Jersey); Marilyn Majaro (The College of New Jersey); Ana Slack (The College of New Jersey)

Vendors: Binx, Pfizer, Passport Health

I. Call to Order:

The business meeting was called to order at 1:00pm by Kyle Weisholtz.

II. Reports of Officers:

- A. President (Kyle Weisholtz): Kyle thanked Holly Keller for hosting today's meeting.
 - a. All attendees introduced themselves and their institution
 - b. Kyle dedicated today's meeting to Carolyn Hunter. Kyle read a bio of Carolyn and also read Carolyn's retirement email to NJCHA
 - c. Eboard has won election and all will stay on until 2026
 - d. Joan was unable to attend so Kyle provided updates
 - i. Meeting minutes from fall 2023 conference have been posted, meeting minutes were approved
 - ii. Kathleen was thanked for her work on the new NJCHA website

B. Vice-President (Joe Henson):

- a. Host schools are needed for 2024-25.
- b. Speaker ideas are welcome for the fall 2024 conference
- c. MACHA/ACHA
 - i. MACHA eboard meeting 5/28/24
 - ii. 5/29/24 NJCHA happy hour
 - iii. 5/30 - MACHA general meeting 12-1
 - iv. MACHA needs volunteers for eboard
 - v. Fall 2024 MACHA will host monthly virtual lunch coffee talks
 - vi. Nov 2025 planning MACHA conference likely in Philadelphia

C. Corresponding Secretary (Holly Heller):

- a. Website update: the new website is completed
- b. Janice was unable to attend because of personal reasons but sends her regards

E. Treasurer (Kathy Dolan):

- a. Total assets as of today: \$10,587.63 (TD Bank \$6,030.69; PayPal \$2,652.29).
- b. Membership: as of today, 63 active members (15 emeriti members).

III. Awards presented by Cindy Striano and Barbara Ackerson

A. Mary-Kate Heffern Honorary Scholarship

- a. Nichole Jenisch

B. Collaboration is Key

- a. Chelsea Lebo

C. Ruth Reagan Kutchison College Health Excellence Award

- a. Barbara Clark

IV. Moderated by Diane Lynch

A. SSRI's in student health services

- a. Five Universities currently prescribe

B. Creative ways to increase patient volume

- a. Holly - TCNJ write in student newsletters, perform color blind testing and email students via medicat email blast
- b. Bloomfield - active at student orientations, participation in sexual awareness clinics
- c. MSU - student interactions with safer sex games via Kahoot
- d. SHU - postcards mailed to students and decals placed in residence halls
- e. Other ideas included bedside bed kits that include condoms, pregnancy test etc

C. How to handle fraudulent IGRA test results

- a. Rowan performs IGRA testing at international student orientations

- D. How are Universities dealing with increase in copays and deductibles
 - a. SHU partnering with international office
 - b. Rowan no travel insurance
 - c. Stevens requires insurance
 - d. Most in agreement that international students must take schools insurance
- E. Covid screening/testing for international students
 - a. Stevens's testing performed on URI symptoms less than 7 days
 - b. TCNJ testing symptomatic students
- F. Updated Meningitis guidelines
 - a. Covered during presentations
- G. What Immunizations required for under graduation/grad students
 - a. Caldwell requires physical exams for all freshmen
- H. Which screening test are used prior to appointments
 - a. SHU - PHQ-2
 - b. TCNJ requires GAD 7 for all mental health appointments every visit
 - c. Most universities use PHQ-2

V. Adjournment

The business meeting was adjourned at 2:00pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Joseph Henson/for Joan Galbraith