



**AUSTIN TRAVIS COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION  
REGULAR MEETING  
Wednesday, July 10th, 2024 – 2:30PM  
City Hall – Boards and Commission – Room 1101  
301 W. 2<sup>ND</sup> Street**



Some members of the Public Health Commission may be participating by videoconference. The meeting may be viewed online at: <http://www.austintexas.gov/page/watch-atxn-live>

Public comment will be allowed in-person or remotely via telephone. Speakers may only register to speak on an item once either in-person or remotely and will be allowed up to three minutes to provide their comments. Registration no later than noon the day before the meeting is required for remote participation by telephone. To register to speak remotely, email Juanita Jackson at [juanita.jackson@austintexas.gov](mailto:juanita.jackson@austintexas.gov) or Daniela Romero at [daniela.romero@austintexas.gov](mailto:daniela.romero@austintexas.gov).

**CURRENT BOARD MEMBERS/COMMISSIONERS:**

*Chris Crookham  
Cara Dahlhausen  
Jacob Whitty*

*Enrique Lin Shiao  
Martha Lujan  
Natalie Poindexter*

*William Rice  
Larry Wallace, Jr.*

**EX-OFFICIO BOARD MEMBERS/COMMISSIONERS:**

*Adrienne Sturup,  
Director, Austin  
Public Health*

*Dr. Desmar Walkes,  
Austin/Travis County  
Public Health Authority*

*Pilar Sanchez, County  
Executive, Travis County  
Health & Human Services*

*Perla Cavazos,  
Deputy Administrator,  
Central Health*

**AGENDA**

**CALL TO ORDER**

**PUBLIC COMMUNICATION: GENERAL**

The first 5 speakers signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will each be allowed a three-minute allotment to address their concerns regarding items not posted on the agenda.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

1. Approve the minutes of the Public Health Commission Regular Meeting on June 5, 2024.

**DISCUSSION**

2. Presentation on neighborhood pharmacy program by Samuel Poloyak with the University of Texas at Austin – College of Pharmacy.
3. Presentation on food insecurity and gap in food funding by Joi Chevalier with Austin's Hub for Food Access, Equity & Resilience.
4. Discuss the presentation on opioids given to the Travis County Commissioners

## **DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS**

5. Discuss and take action to nominate a member of the Public Health Commission to the Joint Sustainability Committee.
6. Discussion and take action to approve the Annual Internal Review Report
7. Discussion and take action to approve prioritization project on Community Health Workers.

## **WORKING GROUP/COMMITTEE UPDATES**

8. Update from Infrastructure & Access work group.
9. Update from Advocacy & Partnership work group.
10. Update from Budget work group.

## **FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

## **ADJOURNMENT**

The City of Austin is committed to compliance with the American with Disabilities Act. Reasonable modifications and equal access to communications will be provided upon request. Meeting locations are planned with wheelchair access. If requiring Sign Language Interpreters or alternative formats, please give notice at least 2 days (48 hours) before the meeting date. Please call Juanita Jackson at the Austin Public Health Department, at [juanita.jackson@austintexas.gov](mailto:juanita.jackson@austintexas.gov) or Daniela Romero at the Austin Public Health Department, at [daniela.romero@austintexas.gov](mailto:daniela.romero@austintexas.gov), for additional information; TTY users' route through Relay Texas at 711.

For more information on the Public Health Commission, please contact Juanita\_Jackson at [juanita.jackson@austintexas.gov](mailto:juanita.jackson@austintexas.gov) or Daniela Romero at [daniela.romero@austintexas.gov](mailto:daniela.romero@austintexas.gov).