



**AUSTIN TRAVIS COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING**

**Wednesday, October 2nd, 2024 – 2:30PM
City Hall – Boards and Commission – Room 1101
301 W. 2ND 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 or Daniela Romero at 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 Sturrup,
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 September 4th, 2024.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

2. Presentation by Jeff Richardson and Kathleen Casey from Integral Care on organizational structure, programs and services provided.
3. Discuss purpose and duties section of the Austin Travis County Public Health Commission bylaws and governance document.

4. Discuss the Commission's priority list of topics related to public health issues.
5. Discuss how to address the opioid crisis from the presentation by Travis County.

DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS

6. Discuss and approve the Austin Travis County Public Health 2025 meeting schedule.

WORKING GROUP/COMMITTEE UPDATES

7. Update from Infrastructure & Access work group by Chair Natalie Poindexter on next steps for presenting a recommendation on Community Health Workers and Food Policy Board.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

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