



Adams County Board of Health Meeting Minutes

Thursday, February 20, 2025
5:30 p.m.

Adams County Government Center
5th Floor Study Session Room

The public is welcome to attend the Adams County Board of Health meeting in person at the Adams County Government Center, 5th Floor Study Session Room, located at 4430 South Adams County Parkway, Brighton, CO 80601, or remotely via the live stream <https://bit.ly/3ZJ08ZR>. The Board of Health agenda and meeting information can be viewed online at <https://www.adcogov.org/adams-county-board-health>.

1. Call to order

The meeting was called to order at 5:31 p.m.

2. Roll call

Dr. Dee Dee Gilliam, DNP, RN, PHN– present
Brett Keiling, BSN, RN, CCRN-K – present
Jeremiah Lindemann – present
Dr. Sheela Mahnke – present
Dr. Lisa Winkler – present

Health Department Leadership:

Dr. Kelly Weidenbach, DrPH, MPH, Executive Director Adams County Health Department - present
Levon Hupfer, MA, LAC, MAC, Deputy Executive Director - present
Dr. Bernadette Albanese, M.D., MPH, Medical Officer – present
Brian Hlavacek, MAS, REHS, Environmental Health Division Director – present
Adam Anderson, MPH, MURP, Epidemiology & Data Science Director - present
Dr. Darci Martinez, DNP, FNP-C, Nursing Division Director - present
Michelle Harris, MPH, RDN, Nutrition and Family Health Division Director – present
Michael Young-Hall, Performance & Business Excellence Division Director- present
Dr. Suzuho Shimasaki, DrPH, MPH, Health Equity and Strategic Planning Division Director – present

County Leadership:

Mellissa Sager, J.D., Assistant County Attorney – present



ADAMS COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Your Health. Our Mission.

Adams County Health Department Staff present:

Michael Ruddock, Public Health Senior Policy and Public Affairs

Jamie Rodriguez, Regional Health Connector, Health Equity and Strategic Initiatives

Erin Phillips, Performance Excellence Manager

Jenifer Zawadowski, Emergency Preparedness and Response

Lisa Oliveto, Emergency Preparedness and Response

Jennifer Chase, Communicable Disease Epidemiology Program Manager

Natalee Salcedo, Health Equity Program Manager

Nora Saura, Administrative Coordinator

Valencia Bautista, Training and Quality Improvement RN Coordinator

Callie Preheim, Public Health and Evaluation Senior Advisor

Julia Brennan, Special Projects Coordinator

Sylvia Kamau-Small, Health Equity Program Manager

Gabriela Reyes, Health Data & GIS Manager

Guests:

Dionne Miller

Peggy Jarrett

Karla Ojeda

Marian Zubia

Bill Aiken

3. Review of agenda

4. Approval of previous meeting minutes, January 16, 2025*

Brett Keiling BSN, RN, CCRN-K , motioned to approve the meeting minutes. Jeremiah Lindemann seconded this motion, which passed unanimously.

5. Resolution to Adopting the Adams County Board of Health's Purpose Statement and Goals*

Mellissa Sager, J.D., Assistant County Attorney

After review and discussion, no vote was taken during this meeting. This item will be included on the March agenda for finalization.

6. Monthly Financial Report

Michael Young-Hall, Performance and Business Excellence Division Director

7. Policy and Legislative Updates

Michael Ruddock, Policy and Public Affairs Senior Advisor



ADAMS COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Your Health. Our Mission.

8. Executive Director's Report

Kelly Weidenbach, DrPH, MPH, Executive Director

9. Deputy Executive Director's Report

Levon Hupfer, MA, LAC, MAC

Healthy Meeting break

10. Study Session

a) Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP)

Callie Preheim, MSPH, Public Health Planning and Evaluation Senior Advisor

b) Community Engagement Plan

Sylvia Kamau-Small, MS, Health Equity and Community Engagement Program Manager

c) Strategic Plan, Social Determinants of Health (SDOH)

Dr. Darci Martinez, DNP, FNP-C and Dr. Suzuho Shimasaki, DrPh, MPH

11. Executive Session pursuant to C.R.S. § 24-6-402(4)(b) for the purpose of receiving legal advice regarding executive order compliance

Mellissa Sager, J.D., Assistant County Attorney

The motion to move into Executive Session at 7:58 pm. was made by Jeremiah Lindemann and seconded by Dr. Lisa Winkler. Moved out of executive session at 8:53.

12. Comments, announcements, and other business

Brett Keiling, BSN, RN, CCRN-K, made the motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:56 p.m. Jeremiah Lindemann seconded this motion, which passed unanimously.

13. Adjournment

** Notes that a decision or vote needs to be made by the board*