



**Board of Commissioners of Cook County  
Minutes of the Health & Hospitals Committee**

**2:00 PM**

**Tuesday, February 27, 2024**

**Cook County Building, Board Room,  
118 North Clark Street, Chicago, Illinois**

**ATTENDANCE**

**Present:** Anaya, Aguilar, Britton, Degnen, Gainer, Gordon, Lowry, Miller, Moore, Morita,  
K. Morrison, S. Morrison, Quezada, Stamps and Trevor (15)

**Absent:** Deer and Daley (2) excused

**A motion was made by Commissioner Lowry, seconded by Commissioner Degnen, to allow for remote participation in the meeting. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Ayes:** Anaya, Aguilar, Britton, Degnen, Gainer, Gordon, Lowry, Miller, Moore, Morita,  
K. Morrison, S. Morrison, Quezada, Stamps and Trevor (15)

**Absent:** Deer and Daley (2) excused

**PUBLIC TESTIMONY**

Vice Chairwoman Anaya asked the Secretary to the Board to call upon the registered public speakers, in accordance with Cook County Code.

No public speakers.

**24-1519**

**COMMITTEE MINUTES**

Approval of the minutes from the meeting of 1/23/2024

**A motion was made by Commissioner Miller, seconded by Commissioner Lowry, to approve 24-1519. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Ayes:** Anaya, Aguilar, Britton, Degnen, Gainer, Gordon, Lowry, Miller, Moore, Morita,  
K. Morrison, S. Morrison, Quezada, Stamps and Trevor (15)

**Absent:** Deer and Daley (2)

**24-0403**

**Presented by:** ERIK MIKAITIS, M.D., Interim Chief Executive Officer, Cook County Health and Hospitals Systems

**REPORT**

**Department:** Cook County Health/Cook County Department of Public Health

**Report Title:** Health Disparities Semi-annual Report

**Report Period:** July 2023 - December 2023

**Summary:** This semi-annual report is to comply with Resolution 22-1703 for CCH/ and CCDPH to appear before the Health and Hospitals Committee to provide periodic updates on healthcare disparities.

**A motion was made by Commissioner Lowry, seconded by Commissioner Miller, to recommend for receiving and filing 24-0403. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Ayes:** Anaya, Aguilar, Degnen, Gainer, Gordon, Lowry, Miller, Moore, Morita, K. Morrison, Quezada, Stamps and Trevor (13)

**Absent:** Deer, Britton, Daley, and S. Morrison (4)

**ADJOURNMENT**

**A motion was made by Commissioner Lowry, seconded by Commissioner Degnen, to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Ayes:** Anaya, Aguilar, Britton, Degnen, Gainer, Gordon, Lowry, Miller, Moore, Morita, K. Morrison, S. Morrison, Quezada, Stamps and Trevor (15)

**Absent:** Deer and Daley (2)

Respectfully submitted,



Vice Chair



Secretary

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