DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Speech Language Pathologist/Audiologist Advisory Council Agenda

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2023

Attendees

Council Members

- Emily Aust, SLP
- Jim Clark, Public Member
- Letty Faller, SLP
- Dr. William Garvis, MD
- Josephine Helmbrecht, AuD
- Shaunequa James, Public Member
- Sarah Kahley, AuD
- Briann Morbitzer, SLP
- Nancy Thul, SLP
- Jenne Tunnell, AuD
- Audiologist (2 vacant positions)
- HID (vacant position)
- Public Member (vacant position)

 Speech-language Pathologist Post-Secondary Education (vacant position)

MDH Staff

- Jane Danner
- Al Ahamed
- Bob Dehler
- Nicole Erickson
- Alison Helm
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- Julianna Leintz
- Rick Michals
- Daphne Ponds
- Debbie Thao

Review and Approval of Minutes

Meeting minutes are available on the <u>SLPA Advisory Council Meeting Minutes page</u> (<u>https://www.health.state.mn.us/facilities/providers/slpa/adcoun/slpaminutes.html</u>).

November 16, 2022, Minutes

Additions / Adoptions of Agenda

Announcements

 The SLPA council has five open positions - one Hearing Instrument Dispenser, one Public Member, two Audiologists and one Speech-language Pathologist. Please refer interested people to the Secretary of State website: <u>https://commissionsandappointments.sos.state.mn.us/Agency/Details/141</u>

Staff Reports

- Investigation and Evaluation Audiologist
- Investigation and Evaluation Speech Language Pathologist

Reports were presented; reports are available upon request by emailing <u>health.slpa@state.mn.us</u>.

Old Business

- 2023 Meetings
 - February 15
 - May 17
 - August 16
 - November 15
- HID Modernization March 24 will be the first modernized exam
- Wallet cards
- Hearing aids brochure
- SLPA website home page overview
- SLPA Advisory Council has open positions

New Business

- Duplicate wall certificate card
- Legislative update(s)

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