

MARYLAND PARKINSON'S DISEASE REGISTRY ADVISORY COMMITTEE

MINUTES

OCTOBER 11, 2022

3:00 PM - 3:30 PM

The Maryland Parkinson's Disease Registry Advisory Committee held a public meeting on 10/11/2022, called to order at 3:03 P.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Ian Edwards
Josh Gottesman
Dawn Lewis
Sohail Qarni
F. Rainer von Coelln

MEMBERS NOT PRESENT

Asima Cheema
Fei Han
Xiaobo Mao
Larry Zarzecki

MDH STAFF PRESENT

Kristi Pier, CCDPC
Jessica Rose-Malm, CCDPC
Jody Sheely, Office of Support Services
Kimberly Stern, Cancer Registry

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC PRESENT

Laura Mandel, CRISP

I. **Welcome and Business**

Kristi Pier, Director of the Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Control (CCDPC) at the Maryland Department of Health (MDH), called the meeting to order at 3:03 P.M. Ms. Pier took roll call and reviewed the meeting agenda and objective. A quorum was present. The objective of this meeting was to reach consensus to move the draft report forward for MDH approval and submission to the legislature.

Dr. von Coelln moved to approve the minutes for the September 20, 2022 meeting. Josh Gottesman seconded the motion and the motion passed.

II. **Review and Discussion of Draft Report**

Ms. Pier reviewed the draft report, which includes the Committee's charge, membership, progress to date, and legislative recommendations. Committee members had the opportunity to review and provide feedback on the initial draft and a second draft. Ms. Pier invited Committee members to share additional feedback and questions about the report. No Committee members added comments at this time.

III. **Consensus to Submit the Draft Report**

The establishing legislation ([SB 740](#)) states MDH is responsible for submitting the report, based on recommendations from the Committee. As the report is not a direct deliverable for the Committee, a formal vote to move the report forward was not necessary. Ms. Pier asked for consensus that the report accurately reflects the Committee's conversations and recommendations. No Committee members raised concerns or expressed disagreement with that statement.

IV. Next Steps

Ms. Pier thanked the Committee members for their contributions and participation in the Committee. MDH will begin its internal review process and will submit the report to the legislature upon completion. MDH will keep the Committee apprised of any relevant bills or activities arising during the legislative session and will maintain the Basecamp platform as a space for sharing information and ideas among Committee members.

V. Closing

Ms. Pier thanked Committee members and members of the public for their participation. Ms. Pier closed the meeting at 3:15 P.M.