



# King County

1200 King County  
Courthouse  
516 Third Avenue  
Seattle, WA 98104

## Meeting Minutes Board of Health

*Metropolitan King County Councilmembers: Teresa Mosqueda, Chair;  
Reagan Dunn, Rhonda Lewis, Pete von Reichbauer  
Alternate: Vacant*

*City of Seattle Members: Dionne Foster, Vice Chair; Debora Juarez, Alexis Mercedes Rinck  
Alternate: Rob Saka*

*Sound Cities Association Members: Amy Falcone, Victoria Schroff, Vacant;  
Alternates: Hugo Garcia, Satwinder Kaur, Cheryl Paquette*

*Public Health, Facilities, and Providers: Butch de Castro, PhD, MSN/MPH, RN, FAAN;  
Lisa Chew, MD, MPH; Katherine Gudgel, MS Alternate: Karen Hartfield*

*Consumers of Public Health: Quiana Daniels, BS, RN, LPN, Vice Chair;  
Mustafa Mohammed, MD, MBCHB, MHP, LAAC, AAC  
Alternate: LaMont Green (Gullah), DSW*

*Community Stakeholders: Christopher Archiopoli, Victor Loo  
Alternate: Francoise Milinganyo*

*Muckleshoot Indian Tribe: Jaison Elkins; Alternate: Andrea N. Thomas, MHA*

*Snoqualmie Indian Tribe: Jolene R. Williams, MMC, or Steve de los Angeles; Alternate: Quintina Bowen*

*Seattle Indian Health Board: Esther Lucero; Alternate: Meriah Gille*

*Dr. Sandra Valenciano, Health Officer and Acting Director,  
Seattle-King County Department of Public Health  
Staff: Joy Carpine-Cazzanti, Board Administrator -  
KCBOHAdmin@kingcounty.gov*

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1:00 PM

Thursday, May 21, 2026

Hybrid Meeting

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**DRAFT MINUTES**

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**1. Call to Order**

*The meeting was called to order at 1:01 p.m.*

**2. Roll Call**

**Present:** 15 - Archiopoli, Chew, Daniels, de Castro, Dunn, Falcone, Foster, Gudgel, Loo, Lucero, Mohammed, Mosqueda, Schroff, von Reichbauer and Williams

**Excused:** 5 - Elkins, Juarez, Lewis, Rinck and de los Angeles

**3. Announcement of Any Alternates Serving in Place of Regular Members**

*Boardmember Green served in place of Boardmember Mohammed.*

*Boardmember Garcia, Boardmember Kaur, Boardmember Paquette, Boardmember Milinganyo, and Boardmember Thomas were also in attendance.*

**4. Approval of Minutes of March 19 and April 29, 2026**

*Boardmember Foster moved approval of the minutes of March 19 and April 29, 2026. The motion carried.*

**5. Public Comments**

*The following people spoke:*

*Alex Tsimerman*

*Katherine Chen*

*Zoom*

*Tom Bird*

*Evelyn*

*Grace*

*Julia*

*Red*

*iPhone*

*Butterfly*

*Lisa*

*Rachel Sun*

*Meiling*

*Amanda De Lisio*

**6. Chair's Report**

*The Chair briefed the Board on the upcoming agenda.*

**7. Director's Report**

*Dr. Sandra Valenciano, Director, Department of Public Health - Seattle & King County, gave an overview on hantavirus, unpermitted food vendors, Health and safety information for international visitors to Seattle and King County for the upcoming FIFA Men's World Cup activities, and online resources.*

**Briefings**

**8. [BOH Briefing No. 26-B12](#)**

PHSKC Preparations for the FIFA Men's World Cup

*Dr. Sandra Valenciano, Director, Department of Public Health - Seattle & King County, briefed the Board and answered questions.*

*Nick Solari, Preparedness Director, Public Health - Seattle & King County, briefed the Board and answered questions.*

*Nate Weed, MPH, Chief of Resilience, Washington State Department of Health, briefed the Board and answered questions.*

**This matter was Presented**

**9. [BOH Briefing No. 26-B13](#)**

Impact of inequitable access to massage licensure on workers and public safety

*JM Wong briefed the Board and answered questions.*

*JH Chen briefed the Board and answered questions.*

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**This matter was Presented**

**10. [BOH Briefing No. 26-B14](#)**

Overdose Prevention and Response

*Brad Finegood, Strategic Advisor, Department of Public Health - Seattle & King County, briefed the Board and answered questions.*

*Julia Hood, Epidemiologist, Department of Public Health - Seattle & King County, briefed the Board and answered questions.*

*Semone Andu, Regional Health Administrator, Health Care for the Homeless Network, Department of Public Health - Seattle & King County, briefed the Board and answered questions.*

*David Sapienza, Pathways Clinic, Lead Physician, Department of Public Health - Seattle & King County, briefed the Board and answered questions.*

*Rachel Marhill, Medical Department Senior Operations Manager, Downtown Emergency Service Center, briefed the Board and answered questions.*

*Callan Fockele, Lead Physician, Downtown Emergency Service Center, briefed the Board and answered questions.*

**This matter was Presented**

11. [BOH Briefing No. 26-B15](#)

Innovations in Sexual Health

**This matter was Deferred**

12. **Board Member Updates**

*No updates were given.*

13. **Other Business**

*No other business was presented.*

**Adjournment**

*The meeting was adjourned at 3:27 p.m.*

**If you have questions or need additional information about this agenda, please call (206) 263-0365, or write to Joy Carpine-Cazzanti, Board of Health Administrator via email at [KCBOHAdmin@kingcounty.gov](mailto:KCBOHAdmin@kingcounty.gov)**

Approved this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

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Clerk's Signature