

Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago Heliport Review Committee

SUMMARY OF APRIL 26, 2022, MEETING

This report summarizes the issues discussed during the April 26, 2022, regular business meeting of the Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago Heliport Review Committee. A full list of meeting participants appears at the conclusion of this report. Any questions or comments about the Lurie Children's Heliport and its operations should be directed to Antonette Rabor, External Affairs Manager, arabor@luriechildrens.org.

- 1. Welcome and Meeting Purpose:** Susan Hayes Gordon, Chair of the Helicopter Review Committee, opened the meeting at 9:00 a.m. by welcoming meeting participants and restating the purpose of the Committee.
 - a. The purpose of the Heliport Review Committee is to provide community review of the Helicopter Air Ambulance Services (H.A.A.) at Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago.
- 2. Introductions:** Susan Hayes Gordon facilitated introductions of participants and reviewed the Committee's meeting materials.
 - a. Roll Call of Committee Members: Susan Hayes Gordon asked all participants to identify themselves. A full list of meeting participants appears at the conclusion of this report.
 - b. Introduction to Materials: Each Committee member was emailed the following prior to the meeting and provided with hard copies at the meeting:
 - i. Meeting agenda and supplementary materials; and,
 - ii. Heliport Usage Reports for the months of January, February, and March 2022. Heliport Usage Reports are posted publicly and can be found online at: <https://www.luriechildrens.org/en-us/community/community-relations/Pages/lifesaving-heliport-operation.aspx>.
- 3. Update on Lurie Children's Helicopter Air Ambulance (H.A.A.) Operations:** Laura Westley, Sr. Dir ED/Interfacility Transport, Transport Team
 - a. Laura Westley provided an update on the H.A.A. Operations.
- 4. Heliport Usage Year-to-Date:** Antonette Rabor, External Affairs Manager
 - a. Antonette reviewed the heliport year to date usage before turning it over to Dr. Newmyer.

- 5. Review of January through March 2022 Heliport Usage Reports:** Dr. Bob Newmyer, Medical Director for Transport
- a. Copies of the January, February and March 2022 Heliport Usage Reports are included as an attachment to this report.
 - b. All Lurie Children’s Heliport Usage Reports are posted publicly and can be found at: <https://www.luriechildrens.org/en-us/community/community-relations/Pages/lifesaving-heliport-operation.aspx>
- 6. Tour:** Committee members were given a tour of the heliport and the main operations center.
- 7. Close:**
- a. The meeting concluded at 10:00 a.m., after the tour was complete.
 - b. The next meeting will be held July 26, 2022.

8. Meeting Participants:

- a. Susan Hayes Gordon
- b. Dave Kostelansky
- c. Sharyl Mackey
- d. Dr. Bob Newmyer
- e. Willa Lang
- f. Raishay Lin
- g. Brian Pelrine
- h. Audre Poucius
- i. Antonette Rabor
- j. Michael Riordan
- k. Maria Rosales
- l. Mark Schulman
- m. Brian Stahulak
- n. Michelle Stephenson
- o. Laura Westley
- p. Julie Derrig

