

Minutes

Student Health Advisory Board Meeting, Tuesday November 3, 2015. Approved November 17, 2015.

Oregon State University Student Health Services

I. Call to Order

SHAB vice-chair Jenny Guov called the meeting to order at 8:05 am.

Students	Voting Faculty	Non-Voting Faculty
Sarah Bartlett	Kenny Maes	Amanda Daugherty
Georgeann Booth		Jenny Haubenreiser
Krista Burrows, CAPS Advisory Board		George Voss
Rawan Fakieh		
April Hergert, ASOSU Senate		
Christine Hoang		
Rae Madison, ASOSU Wellness Affairs		
Brad Olson		
Rishi Seshadri		
Haleigh Shadley		
Devin Topkaya ASOSU International Affairs		

II. Minutes of May 12, May 26, October 6 and October 20 meetings were approved.

III. SHAB and OSU Students

- A. SHAB members engaged in an extensive discussion about health needs of international students and challenges some students face related to student health insurance. Devin Topkaya is planning an event with ISOSU at the end of Winter Term featuring resources on campus and will include SHS. Jenny mentioned that SHS is considering recruiting an international student to join the SHS Student Navigator team. This individual would be able to provide information about health and wellness services, including insurance. Devin will explore the possibility of space for this student in ILLC. This student would be funded by SHS but would also be able to promote CAPS services as well.
- B. Other wellness needs for international students include prevention work, especially sexual assault prevention and tobacco cessation.
- C. A mandatory insurance policy was discussed. Health insurance is mandatory for international students, but not for domestic students. Last year SHS blended the international and domestic student health plans at OSU, which resulted in an increase for international students but a dramatic decrease for domestic students. Enrollment has continued to increase, and a mandate would increase enrollment will ultimately help keep costs down for all students. Students may waive out of OSU student insurance if they have comparable coverage. One challenge has been to expand in-network status for SHS with the expanded insurance billing. Most external businesses do not recognize FERPA. SHS is exploring HIPAA compliance – this will be determined in the future after the study has been completed and stakeholders have reviewed the costs and benefits of this endeavor.
- D. Jenny H. reported that efforts are underway to allow e-campus students to opt in to the health fee, which would allow access to SHS, CAPS and the student health plan. George is working with Aetna on parameters of the insurance plan, which will likely be limited to a 50-mile radius of OSU.

IV. Adjournment

- A. Jenny Guov adjourned the meeting at 9:00am.
- B. Next meeting November 17, 2015, 8-9am.

Minutes reviewed by Jenny Haubenreiser and George Voss.

Respectfully submitted by Claire Younger.

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