

Greater Green Bay Health Care Alliance
CLINICAL MEETING MINUTES
Friday, April 26, 2024 | 8:30 AM | via Microsoft Teams

ATTENDEES: Christian Cottingham-Endter-AAH, Sherri Hanrahan-Bellin College, Laura Janssen-AAH, Peggy Julian-Bellin College, Brian Krogh-NWTC, Jenn Leonard-HSHS, Kari Liebeck-NWTC, Andrew Nicholson-AAH, Mary Otto-AAH, Cheryl Rentmeester-NWTC, Melinda Rose-NWTC, Kelly Schilling-NWTC, Andrea Skowland-AAH, Philip Taylor-NWTC, Debbie Thompson-NWTC, Chris Vandenhouten-UWGB, Kelly Verhasselt-Bellin Health, Ann Wasmund-Bellin College, Sherry Willems-HSHS Kaitlin Williams-UWGB, Selena Zimmerman-NWTC

FACULTY & STUDENT TB REQUIREMENTS – Sherri Hanrahan, Chris Vandenhouten, Brian Krogh

The CDC has changed their TB guidelines. The GGBHA's current TB policy is costly and time consuming for documentation. The GGBHA would like to align with the new requirements.

Chris Vandenhouten shared the survey results of the TB requirements for students and faculty that was recently sent to the GGBHA's clinical partners. The 20 respondents represented hospital (5), long term care / rehab (6), community health (7), other (2). Survey respondents were asked if they require annual TB testing (TST or IGRA) for their employees. 18 respondents replied 'Yes', while 2 said 'No'.

All respondents supported changing the TB screening policy for students and faculty to mirror that of the National TB Controllers Association and CDC recommendation (2019) – including symptom evaluation, and baseline TB screening (TBST-2 Step or IGRA) for those without documented prior TB disease or LTBI Followed by annual TB Risk Assessment (WI DHS TB Questionnaire Form F-02314) and Education.

Members approved moving forward with instituting these changes for students and faculty. There will still be a baseline screening. **For students and faculty going to a site outside the GGBHA, they will need to follow that site's TB policy.**

Next Steps: Chris, Sherri and Brian will draft guideline changes for approval at the next meeting.

FINAL REVIEW: MANDATORY MODULE UPDATES

The changes, as discussed at the 3/24/2024 meeting, were reviewed and accepted, with some minor tweaks. Following the 4/26/2024 meeting, the updated modules (HIPAA Privacy & Security, Infection Prevention, Professional Expectation in the Workplace, Safety in the Workplace) were added to the website.

CLINICAL INSTRUCTORS ANNUAL UPDATE | AUGUST 9, 2024 | 8:30 – 10:30 AM | VIA MS TEAMS

Sherri Hanrahan sent an MS Teams meeting invite. Members are asked to forward the invite to their colleagues that would be interested in attending. Debbie sent the slides and agenda to the presenters, in addition to last year's PPT for reference. Presenters are asked to send Debbie their updated slides by **July 19. Members can contact Sherri and Debbie if there is anyone else that would like to present at the meeting.**

EPIC TRAINING UPDATE – Chris Vandenhouten, UWGB

Marquette University is currently piloting the Epic Lyceum training product. When results of their pilot are better known, Chris will provide the GGBHA with an update. This training would require a large financial investment – setup and annual fees. Grant funding options would need to be researched.

MCE UPDATES – AAH

There were no updates.

ADDITIONAL UPDATES

Sherry Willems (HSHS) and Kari Liebeck (NWTC) will be retiring soon and were thanked for their dedication and contributions to the GGBHA. They expressed their appreciation for all the great, collaborative work that has been done through the years. Cheryl Rentmeester is replacing Kari on the GGBHA. Sherry Willems' GGBHA replacement will be shared when confirmed.

NEXT CLINICAL MEETING

The next clinical Teams meeting is scheduled for Friday, May 24, 2024, 8:30 to 10:00 a.m. Standing agenda items:

- Review the overall website.
- Update the contact lists.
- Plan the Clinical Instructors Annual Update.