

**SOUTH CAROLINA MENTAL HEALTH COMMISSION
SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH
2414 Bull Street – Room 320 – Columbia, SC 29201 (803)898-8319**

SEPTEMBER 8, 2023

SCHEDULE & AGENDA

10:00 a.m. Report of the Internal Audit Committee
10:30 a.m. Commission Business Meeting

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BUSINESS MEETING - 10:30 A.M.**

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| Call to Order | Chairman Elliott Levy |
| Invocation | Chaplain Malcolm O. Simpson, D. DIV. |
| Introduction of Visitors | Chairman Levy |
| Special Recognition | Chairman Levy |
| Approval of Agenda | Chairman Levy |
| Approval of Minutes of Commission Meeting of August 4, 2023 | Chairman Levy |
| Approval of 2024 Commission Meeting Dates | Chairman Levy |
| Monthly/Quarterly Informational Reports | Elizabeth Hutto, General Counsel (5 mins.) |
| ❖ Patient Protection Reports – Public Safety – August 2023 | |
| ❖ Patient Protection Reports – SLED – August 2023 | |
| ❖ Patient Advocacy Reports – July 2023 | |
| Semi-Annual Compliance Report | Dr. Lynelle Reavis, Director, Quality Management & Compliance (5 mins.) |
| Announcements | Dr. Robert Bank (10 mins.) |
| Departmental Overview and Update..... | Dr. Robert Bank |
| ❖ Medical Services Update – Dr. Ralph Pollock, Acting Medical Director (5 mins.) | |
| ❖ Community Mental Health Services Update – Ms. Deborah Blalock, Deputy Director (5 mins.) | |
| ❖ Administrative Services & Financial Status Update – Ms. Debbie Calcote, Deputy Director, Administrative Services (5 mins.) | |
| ○ Major Construction/Renovations Update | |
| ❖ Division of Inpatient Services (DIS) – Dr. Versie Bellamy, Deputy Director (5 mins.) | |
| ○ Forensic Waiting List (2 mins.) | |
| Other Business/Public Comments | Chairman Levy |
| Adjournment | Chairman Levy |

**Robert Bank, MD
Acting State Director, SC Department of Mental Health**

Commission Members and Senior Management Training Session – FOIA

This meeting agenda was posted prior to the meeting and proper advance notice was made to all concerned parties in compliance with requirements in the Freedom of Information Act.

August 28, 2023