

BCAH Board Meeting: Wednesday 19th June, 2024 at 7 pm.

Present: Marie Lamey, Lynn Mackay, Nathalie Allen, Nicole Duelli, Jenny Jose and Harkirat Kaur.

1. Acceptance of meeting agenda – Nicole suggested adding ‘Insurance’ as item 7 in the agenda, after its addition the agenda was accepted unanimously.

2. Acceptance of the minutes of the last meeting (May 22nd, 2024): minutes were accepted unanimously with minor edits.

3. Board updates from Treasurer; Membership; Secretary:
Nathalie paid some invoices including the website renewal. There are still eight people who have paid but have not completed their CEU’s. Nathalie will email this list of the members not in good standing to Marie and Jenny. There is one member who has not paid the membership invoice and has moved out of B.C, Nathalie will cancel her invoice.

Nathalie received a payment from a new member and will email the application form to Jenny and she will reply to the member and proceed with the next steps.

Secretary: Harkirat posted a few events along with the minutes from the last meeting on the website.

4. CHA & CCFH updates:

Paul emailed Marie the WHO-Draft for traditional medicine strategy-2025-2034 and suggested we can use some of these pointers to solidify our argument on the Cost recovery Program.

One of the members had his homeopathic parcel stopped and opened by the Canada border services agency because of the alcohol content. Another member also got his parcel stopped by the Canada border security stating he does not have the site license to order them. Marie emailed them a CBSA link which they can use to file a dispute with the Border Security. Marie also emailed all the CHA members asking if there were similar episodes of homeopathic medicines being stopped by the Canada Borderservices. Marie is compiling all the data of the rejection letters with the reasons, in case we need to report this issue to some higher authority/minister. Marie will also put this out in our next mail chimp notice.

5. Case Conference – Fall 2024: Date for the case conference is finalised for **October 26th & 27th 2024**. Marie will inquire with 'The Y' for venue and parking options. She would also include the information about the case conference and ask for more case presenters in the mail chimp notice. Lynn also suggested names of few members who were willing to present a case at the conference.

Jenny suggested having a webinar by a guest speaker at the case conference. She will inquire with her suggested presenter, who is in India about the process (Charge and time schedule). We can see if it can be included in our next year's case conference.

6. BC HPOA updates – (see other attached document): Marie got an email from the BC College of Chiropractors regarding the amalgamation update (CCHPBC) and it was shared with the board members.

7. Insurance: Nicole shared a Blue cross form and we will further investigate it.

8. Date for next meetings: **July 17th, August 14th and September 11th 2024 at 7pm.**