

City of Kansas City, Missouri Health Commission Meeting December 15, 2025 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.



Virtual Meeting Community Health Improvement Plan

The Health Commission's mission is to achieve a city-wide collaboration and partnership of organizations and individuals to work together to build a healthier community.

There may be a closed session, pursuant §610.021(11) of the Missouri Sunshine Law to discuss specifications for competitive bidding.

Commission Success Operational Definition

We will have built an internal infrastructure that is collaborative, accessible, and innovative. Based upon empirical data, lived experiences of impacted communities, and group consensus we will have shaped the conversation to inform policy and influence positive impact in the lives of impacted residents and therefore all residents. We will have won policy initiatives that improve the lives of the residents of Kansas City and the surrounding area and established the Health Commission as a body whose recommendations inform good policy.

Agenda

Health Commission Business Session

Welcome and Introductions – Dr. Gause

The purpose of the meeting is for the Health Commission to engage in discussion regarding a Community Health Improvement Plan.

Article XI. – Boards and Commissions, Division 6, Sec. 1147. - Duties. (1) Community planning.
 Advise the Mayor, Council and City Manager on the ongoing development, implementation and evaluation of a Community Health Improvement Plan and Community Health Assessment

Goal Setting - Dr. Gause or Designee

Presentation – CHIP Overview and the LiveWell Kansas City Model – Kat Stark and Michelle Pekarsky

Commission Discussion

- o **Action Item** Timeline for approvals
- o **Action Item** 4-year timeline
- o **Action Item** Review the full draft so that it can be sent to City Council as soon as possible (virtual)
- **Action Item** Who will write the Ordinance?

Old Business

Update on RFSQ process.

Adjourn - The next Health Commission meeting January 26, 2026, at the Health Department.

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