

SOCIETY *of* BEHAVIORAL MEDICINE

Better Health Through Behavior Change

Scientific and Professional Liaison Council

Minutes

June 27, 2016

Call participants

Martin D. Cheatle, PhD
David E. Goodrich, EdD, MS, MA
Katie Davis, PhD
Paul B. Jacobsen, PhD
Amy Janke, PhD (guest)
David X. Marquez, PhD (guest)
James F. Sallis, Jr., PhD (guest)
Sherri Sheinfeld Gorin, PhD – Chair
Julie E. Volkman, PhD (guest)

Regrets

Jennifer K. Carroll, MD, MPH
Sara J. Knight, PhD
Miho Tanaka, PhD
Erika A. Waters, PhD, MPH

Staff

Andrew Schmidt

MINUTES

The May 23, 2016 SPLC minutes were approved with changes to Dr. Rollin Gallagher's name and title.

LIAISON REPORTS

VA and Public Health Law Research Group

Dr. Knight was not on the call and her update was deferred to next month's call.

Physical Activity/VA

Dr. Goodrich reported that the presentation at the recent ACSM Annual Meeting, entitled, "ACSM/SBM Co-sponsored colloquium: Exercise is Medicine Models for Integrating Behavioral Strategies," led by Drs Buman, Goldstein, Scales, and Napolitano, was well-attended and generated enthusiastic discussion. A symposium on behavioral strategies for pain management for next year's ACSM is being developed by Drs. Lynette Craft and Mark Stoutenberg. Dr. Goodrich also reported that ACSM may endorse the upcoming policy brief on persistent pain. Dr. Sheinfeld Gorin added that an article was recently published in The American Journal of Medicine, entitled, "Integrating Physical Activity in Primary Care Practice," 129:11, November 2016 (in press), based on an SBM/ACSM symposium during the 2014

Annual Meeting.

The Obesity Society and Obesity Week 2016

Dr. Davis reported that SBM has signed on as a supporter of the National Obesity Care Week initiative during Obesity Week 2016. SBM has also agreed to contribute to an Obesity Medicine Education Collaborative, in cooperation with the Obesity Medicine Association. Drs. Davis and Sheinfeld Gorin, as well as Drs. Judy Ockene and Sherry Pagoto, have agreed to participate, with additional SBM participants possible. Dr. Davis also reported that an SBM-sponsored symposium entitled "Behavioral Interventions for Obesity" has been scheduled for Obesity Week 2016 and will feature Drs. Dawn Wilson, Robert Kaplan, Peter Kauffman and Sue Curry.

Informatics and Communications, AMIA

On behalf of Dr. Tanaka, who was unable to join the call, Dr. Sheinfeld Gorin reported that outreach continues to leaders at AMIA to organize future sessions at SBM and AMIA meetings. Upcoming conversations will focus on connecting SBM SIGs with AMIA working groups to identify shared interests and opportunities for collaboration.

AAFP/NAPCRG

Dr. Carroll was not on the call and her update was deferred to next month's call.

Society for Medical Decision Making

Dr. Waters was not on the call and her update was deferred to next month's call.

Pain

Dr. Janke reported that the policy brief on persistent pain was being circulated among members of the writing group and would soon be shared with additional SBM members and partner groups for comment. Organizations being consulted for feedback and potential endorsement include the American Academy of Pain Management ("the Academy"), American Academy of Pain Medicine (AAPM), American Pain Society, ACSM, and the VA.

National Communication Association/International Conference on Communication in Healthcare

Dr. Volkman reported that the 2017 International Conference on Communication in Healthcare is being held in Baltimore, and she would explore opportunities for SBM co-sponsorship of programming.

NEW BUSINESS

Dr. Sheinfeld Gorin reported that she is working with Dr. Ken Resnicow to liaise with the International Society of Hypertension in Blacks, and that Dr. Janke had agreed to help reinvigorate a liaison with the YMCA. In addition, Dr. Sheinfeld Gorin reported that she had reached out to Dr. Marian Fitzgibbon regarding a potential liaison with the National Council of La Raza; potential linkages with NIMHD were also being explored.