

District of Columbia Maternal Mortality Review Committee

(Established by DC Code §7-761.01 et seq)



401 E Street SW
Washington, DC 20024

Maternal Mortality Review Committee Minutes of the July 25, 2023 Open Meeting

Reviewed on September 26, 2023

The Maternal Mortality Review Committee (MMRC) convened on July 25, 2023, at 10:00am. Quorum was achieved. The meeting was chaired by MMRC Co-chairs, Christina Marea.

Members in Attendance: Christina Marea (District Birthing Center, COH), Constance Bohon, MD (ACOG), Kimberly Sommers, MD (DC Health), Theresa Early (DHS), Jamila Perritt, MD (Community Organization in Women’s Health), Melissa Byrd (DHCF), Shermain Bowden (DBH), Ebony Marcelle (Community of Hope), Roberta Bell (March of Dimes), Nancy Gaba, MD (GWUH), and Larissa Pardo (DC Health).

Participants: Candace Hardin, (OCME), Breanna Cuchara (OCME), Andrew McArdle (OCME), and Jenna Beebe-Aryee (OCME).

Open Meeting

Following roll call, the members reviewed and approved the open meeting agenda. The June 2023 open meeting minutes were reviewed and approved by the members.

Given there were no members of the public wishing to address the MMRC, the open portion of the MMRC meeting was closed (per motion and vote) with the following statement read by the co-chair:

“This meeting will hereby be closed to the public for the following reasons – Open Meeting Act Section B-12 and 14 and § 7.671.06.”

The next MMRC Meeting is scheduled for **September 26, 2023** at 10:00am, via WebEx.