

WESTON BOARD OF HEALTH
Meeting Minutes for
Tuesday May 4, 2021

Present: Laura Azzam, Chair
Dr. David Kominz, Member
Dr. Elisabeth DiPietro, Member
Michele Schuckel, MBA,BSN, RN - BOH Public Health Nurse
Wendy Diotalevi, R.S., Public Health Director
Sharon Bonica - Administrative Assistant II, Meeting minutes

I. Wendy Diotalevi, Public Health Director – 2- year Review

The Board of Health Members discussed the outline and information to be part of the review for Public Health Director, Wendy Diotalevi. Questions were asked of Wendy to discuss and update on what has been done in the last 2 years to be included in the review. Laura Azzam will format and write up the review for the members to look at and discuss and approve at the next meeting. Wendy will sign and send to the Town Manager for review and approval.

Dr. Elisabeth spoke about what a great job that Wendy has done overall with the COVID Pandemic and getting the school nurses and others on board with the Contact Tracing. None of what was done throughout the last 15 months could have happened without the quick responses and actions taken to get the job done.

II. On Tuesday, May 4, 2021 the Town of Weston Board of Health voted to approve the education of heads of school, health directors and athletic directors in Weston schools and parents of school-age children regarding interim AAP (American Academy of Pediatrics) guidance about return to sports and physical activity following COVID 19 infection. In accordance with AAP guidelines, school age children ages 12 and over who have tested positive for COVID 19 should be seen by their pediatrician after isolation for the AHA (American Heart Association) 14 element screening evaluation for clearance to return to competitive athletics and physical activity. The AAP additionally recommends that children under 12 years also have a visit with their pediatrician before return to physical activity following COVID 19 infection. Please refer to the following page for further information <https://services.aap.org/en/pages/2019-novel-coronavirus-covid-19-infections/clinical-guidance/covid-19-interim-guidance-return-to-sports/>

III. Director Reporting -Wendy Diotalevi gave the current information for COVID updates and the Weston Board of Health is doing last doses of the vaccines on Friday May 7th.

IV. Next Meeting date May 11, 2021

V. Adjourn - Dr. Elizabeth motioned to adjourn the meeting, David Kominz 2nd and Laura Azzam adjourned the meeting at 11:15am.