



# State of Louisiana

Louisiana Department of Health  
Office of Public Health

## LOUISIANA COMMISSION ON PERINATAL CARE AND PREVENTION OF INFANT MORTALITY

November 16, 2023

1:00pm-3:00pm

**Location:**

Louisiana State Capitol  
900 N Third Street  
Baton Rouge, LA  
Governor's Press Room

**Meeting link for members of the public**

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88683196842?pwd=TI1SC04KRB5lhKgg1SQNzWnW3hPFqa.1>

Phone #: 602-333-0032

Conference Code: 453592

### AGENDA

- I. Call to Order – Chair/Presiding Officer
- II. Roll Call – Chair/Presiding Officer (5 minutes)
- III. Public Comment
- IV. Approval of Minutes – Chair/Presiding Officer (5 minutes)
  - a. March 16, 2023
  - b. May 18, 2023
  - c. July 20, 2023
  - d. September 23, 2023
- V. Presentations
  - a. March of Dimes Presentation on 2023 Louisiana Maternity Care Desert Report – Ms. Robin Gruenfeld (15 minutes)
  - b. Physician Demographics in Louisiana – Dr. Vincent Culotta (15 minutes)
- VI. Reports and Updates
  - a. SCR 20 – Nurse Task Force Update (Recommendations regarding nursing involvement to improve maternal outcomes and preterm births) – Dr. Veronica Gillespie (10 minutes)
  - b. Legislative updates (10 minutes)
- VII. Public Comment
- VIII. Adjourn

Note: The order of the agenda may not be followed as listed in order to accommodate presenter schedules.

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