

# **PMIX Executive Committee**

Date/time: Wednesday, March 22<sup>nd</sup> at 1-2p ET (12-1p CT, 11a-12p MT, 10-11a PT)

Meeting Link: Microsoft Teams Dial-in: 850-739-6261 Meeting ID: 321425057#

### **Conference Call Attendance**

Region	Voting Members:				Alternate Member:	
Region	Attendance:		Attendance:		Attendance:	
North	Chad Garner (OH)	Х	Haley Winans (MI)	Х	Melissa DeNoon (SD)	Х
East	Stan Murzynski (PA)	Х	Jason Slavoski (DE)	x	Scott Szalkiewicz (CT)	Х
South	Stephanie Mueller (MS)	Х	Chelsea Townsend (SC)	x	Ashley Carter (VA)	Х
West	Tina Farales (CA)		Doug Skvarla (AZ)	х	Darla Zarley (NV)	Х

Federal:	Name:	Attendance:				
Bureau of Justice Assistance	David Lewis					
Executive Committee Support:						
PDMP TTAC, IIR	Patrick Knue					
PDMP TTAC, IIR	Don Vogt					
Guests:						

#### **Conference Call Agenda/Minutes**

#### ➤ Roll Call

Quorum established

Approval of Minutes from 2-22-2023

Chelsea Townsend (SC) motions
Stephanie Muller (MS) seconds
Motions passes unanimously
Haley Winans (MI) and Darla Zarley abstain (NV)

### Subcommittee Reports

• Technical Architecture Subcommittee

No meeting occurred

### Operations Subcommittee

Operations Subcommittee met on the 14th. Pat Knue (TTAC) gave the updates. Quorum was not achieved. This was the third meeting in a row where quorum could not be established. An open discussion occurred. Kevin agreed to be the Vice Chair for the PMIX Operations Subcommittee. Patient matching has not met in a while, but is working on a set of synthetic data to aid in determining the effectiveness of patient matching.

Subcommittee goal #1 is below and the committee brainstormed goals.

Doug Skvarla (AZ) asked TTAC to send out a poll to see if a different meeting time would aid in getting quorum.

Doug Skvarla (AZ) asked Pat Knue (TTAC) if feedback occurred. Pat Knue (TTAC) said yes, but participation has been light.

- Standards Compliance Subcommittee
- Pat Knue (TTAC) suggested doing a doodle poll like the Operations subcommittee.
- Chelsea Townsend (SC) stated that she feels education needs to occur to help aid getting people more interested in joining the group.
- Chad Garner (OH) suggested waiting until bylaws are finished.

- Review report from Operations Subcommittee. Define baseline functionality of interoperability hubs. Benefits/Challenges of hub interoperability.
  - State A prefers Hub A and State B prefers Hub B if hubs do not communicate, then
    data sharing is limited; if no standard 'national' hub, then data exchange becomes more
    difficult
  - If national standards are in place, then most barriers to interoperability go away
  - Hub interoperability would allow PDMPs to use their preferred hub and still connect to all other PDMPs
  - Transparency on dashboards on hub transactions (i.e., number of requests/responses)
  - Security when data throughout transmission process
  - Universal standard for data elements being transmitted
  - Define terminology in PMIX
  - Accommodate role mapping across states/hubs
  - Standardize minimum functionality on hub consoles (i.e., state contacts, state user roles allowed, data sharing agreements)
  - Establish minimum time frame to provide support to respond to help requests for hubs

Chad Garner (OH) suggested we review the definition of a hub we currently have in the draft bylaws and a discussion around these points occurred. The group agreed to push this to the PMIX Standards Compliance subcommittee to review.

### Integration Provider Authorization

No Discussion occurred on this.

### By-Laws Revisions

The group continued bylaws revision. A discussion occurred around the makeup of the executive committee officers. Chad Garner (OH) suggested making the Chair and Vice Chair specific to a PDMP representative. Doug Skvarla (AZ) agreed. Chad Garner (OH) stated that allowing a non-PDMP representative chair a subcommittee would be okay, but that it would be beneficial to keep Chair and Vice Chair as a PDMP representative. The group agreed to keep Chair, Vice Chair and Secretary as PDMP representative specific person.

- Goal 1 Create a minimum standard of functionality of a PDMP
  - Review existing model acts

- ➤ Goal 2 Promote and provide education of PMIX organization
  - Webinars
  - Flyers

## Not covered due to time.

- Next Meeting: Wednesday, April 26<sup>th</sup> at 1-2p ET
- > Action Items