

**MSSNY Committee on Addiction and Psychiatric Medicine**  
**Friday, February 9, 2024**  
**8:30AM via zoom**

**Present**

Stephen Hermele, MD Chair  
Marvin Rabinowitz, MD Vice-chair  
Scott Breidbart, MD  
Susan Emerson, MD  
Nina Huberman, MD  
Brian Johnson, MD  
Russell Kamer, MD  
Thomas Madejski, MD  
Glenn Martin, MD  
Jeffrey Selzer, MD  
Michelle Stern, MD

Subhas Chandra, MD  
Jennifer Cushman, MD  
Lynda Hohman, MD  
Celeste Johns, MD  
Leslie Marino, MD  
Hemant Kalia, MD  
Amy Rappaport Koreen, MD  
Neha Pawar, MD  
Gabrielle Shapiro, MD

**Absent**

Lance Austein, MD  
Pratibha Bansal, MD  
Gregory Bunt, MD

**Staff**

Pat Clancy, Sr. Vice-  
President/Managing Director  
Melissa Hoffman, MPP, Asst. Director  
of Public Health  
Brian M. Land, Administrative Asst.

1    **1) Welcome; review committee list**

2    **2) Adoption of October 27, 2023 minutes - approved**

3    **3) New York State Budget 24-25 discussion:**

4        **a) CPH program is proposed to be repealed** – file was available in the  
5            mediafire link. There was discussion about the importance of CPH and  
6            members were urged to send a GAC letter.

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8    **4) 2024 House of Delegates: Resolutions Committee want to introduce. –**

9            CPH introduced a resolution requiring the retirement of licenses. Per Dr. Selzer,  
10           it was not recommended by the committee, nor did it pass. Pat Clancy will see if  
11           she can find out and send to the committee.

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13           The committee also voted to support an HOD resolution requiring stores that sell  
14           tobacco products to display Quitline information, with the addition of including it  
15           in several languages. Additionally, the committee will draft a resolution  
16           regarding hallucinogens and policy as the committee had agreed to sunset the  
17           former policy. The resolution needs an updated statement. It will be sent out to  
18           the committee for review and approval by email,

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**5) Informational Item: The 2023 Overdose Epidemic Report, released by the American Medical Association (AMA)** – file was available in the mediafire link.

**6) Adjournment: May 10<sup>th</sup> 2024**