



**River East and Transcona
LOCAL HEALTH INVOLVEMENT GROUP**

DATE: Tuesday, October 4, 2016
TIME: 5:30pm dinner, 5:45 meeting started
PLACE: Access River East – 975 Henderson Hwy

PRESENT: LHIG Members:
Janelle Blaikie
Emma Durand-Wood
Beth Fernandes
Birgit Hartel
Linda Lam
Jonathon Lloyd
Jamie Mann
Bob McIntyre
January Melillo
Marco Pena
Brenda Rocchio
AD Zallack

WRHA Support to LHIGs

Basil Evan, Quality Officer, Critical Care Program
Heather Forrest, Director, Mental Health Integrated Services
Colleen Schneider, Manager, LHIGs
Debra Vanance, Community Area Director

Regrets:

Donald Grier
Fran Russell
Aimen Syed

1.0 Call To Order

Colleen called the meeting to order at 5:50pm, welcomed everyone. Members and staff introduced themselves through ice-breaker.

2.0 Agenda – October 4, 2016

Moved by Bob McIntyre

Seconded by Birgit Hartel

RESOLVED THAT the agenda of October 4, 2016 be approved as circulated

3.0 Minutes – March 15, 2016

Moved by Jon Lloyd

Seconded by Beth Fernandes

RESOLVED THAT the minutes of March 15, 2016 be approved as circulated

4.0 New Business:

4.1 Introduction of topic – Innovation in Health Care: Public Perspectives – Colleen shared the context and rationale for exploring this topic.

4.2 Presentation – Colleen provided some background information about innovation and explained how their input will be used.

4.3 In small groups, LHIG members provided feedback on the following questions

4.3.1 What does **innovation in health care** mean to you? What does it look like?

4.3.2 In your perspective, what should the goal of innovation in health care be? What should we be trying to achieve?

4.3.3 How should we engage and involve the public, patients, and families in moving innovative health care strategies, approaches, and initiatives forward?

4.4 LHIG members received some information about three different innovative initiatives (Increasing access to Primary Care, Mental Health Teams, and The Cherry Blossom Project) and provided feedback on the following questions:

➤ How is this innovative?

➤ How does it ensure ‘the right care in right place at the right time’?

➤ What do you like about this strategy?

➤ How can patients, members of the public, etc. be involved in moving this forward?

4.5 Colleen shared next steps for exploring this topic

5.0 Other business:

5.1 Co-Chairs for 2016-17 Year of Meetings

Motioned by AD Zallack

Seconded by Linda Lam

That Brenda Rocchio, Janelle Blaikie, Jamie Mann, and Beth Fernandes serve as Co-Chairs for the River East/Transcona LHIG for the 2016-17 year of meetings

5.2 LHIG members shared their ideas for potential future topics

5.3 WRHA’s Annual General Meeting – Tuesday, October 25 – members invited to attend.

5.4 Next meeting date – Wednesday, November 23, 2016

5.5 Members completed meeting evaluation

6.0 Meeting was adjourned at 7:58pm