



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

**DATE:** Monday, March 13, 2017  
**TIME:** 5:30pm dinner, 5:45 meeting started  
**PLACE:** Access River East – 975 Henderson Hwy

**PRESENT:** **LHIG Members:**  
Janelle Blaikie  
Emma Durand-Wood  
Birgit Hartel  
Linda Lam  
Jonathon Lloyd  
Jamie Mann  
Bob McIntyre  
January Melillo  
Marco Pena  
Brenda Rocchio  
Aiman Syed (by phone)  
AD Zallack

**WRHA Support to LHIGs**

Donald Lepp, WRHA Board Liaison  
Cath McFarlane, Community Facilitator, River East  
Colleen Schneider, Manager, LHIGs

**Regrets:**

Beth Fernandes  
Donald Grier  
Fran Russell  
Debra Vanance, Community Area Director

**1.0 Call To Order**

Jamie called the meeting to order at 5:45pm, welcomed everyone. Aiman to participate by phone.

**2.0 Agenda – March 13, 2017**

Moved by Emma Durand-Wood                      Seconded by Janelle Blaikie  
RESOLVED THAT the agenda of March 13, 2017 be approved as circulated

**3.0 Minutes – January 31, 2017**

Moved by Birgit Hartel                                      Seconded by Marco Pena  
RESOLVED THAT the minutes of January 31, 2017 be approved as circulated

4.0 **Business Arising:**

- 4.1 Staff shared that the Innovation Report presentation to the Board will take place at the All LHIGs Meeting on April 12.
- 4.2 Notes from the last meeting were reviewed and feedback was welcomed for any changes, additions, etc.
- 4.3 “Acute, Palliative, Long Term Care – suggestions for innovation” were prioritized by LHIG members.
- 4.4 In small groups (Acute/Palliative/LTC and Health Care System-wide), LHIG members provided feedback on the suggestions for innovation to the following questions:
  - How does or could this idea for innovation align with the Declaration of Patient Values?
  - Are there any areas of conflict with the Declaration of Patient Values and why?
  - Are there are opportunities to enhance the alignment with the Declaration?
- 4.5 In the large group, LHIG members were asked:
  - How can we ensure that patient values are considered and integrated when innovative changes are to take place in health care?
  - Do you feel that there are opportunities to consider equity issues related to this topic?
  - Are there any communication/ transparency issues that need to be considered?
  - And, are there partnerships with other services outside of health care that the WRHA should consider related to ensuring that patient values are integrated into changes in health care?
- 4.6 Staff shared what the next steps would be with the report – draft will be sent out to all LHIG members for their feedback and it will be presented by Co-Chairs of the LHIGs at the end of year meeting in April.

5.0 **Other business:**

- 5.1 Feedback/Use of LHIG input Report – staff shared how LHIG reports and recommendations have been used.
- 5.2 Staff shared a summary of future topics, additional ideas, and the process to determine topics
- 5.3 Recruitment is underway for LHIGs and other engagement roles. LHIG members were encouraged to share information with friends, family, co-workers, etc.
- 5.4 The End of Year/All LHIGs Meeting will take place on Wednesday, April 12, 2017 from 5:30 to 8:00pm at Deer Lodge Centre
- 5.5 LHIG members were asked to fill an end of year evaluation.

- 6.0 The meeting was adjourned at 8:00pm.