

# Tuberculosis Board Meeting

11 April 2022

Logan County Department of Health

109 3<sup>rd</sup> St, Lincoln, IL 62656

Members Present: Dr Mizeur , Kara Davis, Katherine Yapple, Cindy Harrelson, Don Cavi, Diane Stephenson

Members Absent: Kaye Wilmert

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 12:22 p.m.

Review of Minutes from 18 October 2021 : Approved by Diane Stephenson and seconded by Dr. Mizeur

Treasurer's Report: Received sheet with TB fund balance of \$191,471.03 . Dr Mizeur made a motion to accept the balance as presented. Diane Stephenson seconded the motion which carried.

Nurse's Report: Cindy Harrelson reported that there are new medications to treat TB. Pretomanid in combination with bedaquiline and linezolid. Pretomanid daily for 26 weeks in adults with pulmonary extensively drug resistant. If someone is positive for TB they must have a COVID test before starting of treatment and then again during the regimen. Treatment is not to be interrupted with a positive COVID result. TB is up in Illinois. There are more cases now than there has been in the last 2 decades. Logan county has 3 in the testing process. We discussed the 3 cases in more detail.

Board: Kaye Wilmert's time is up, and she will renew until May of 2024. Diane Stephenson and Dr. Mizeur approved this.

Adjournment: Diane Stephenson moved to adjourn, and Dr Mizeur seconded

Next Meeting: 17 October 2022

Meeting adjourned at 12:31 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Kara Davis