

SACIM Virtual Meeting AGENDA

January 25, 2021: 11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. EDT (8-3 PDT) January 26, 2021: 11:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.
EDT (8-12:30 PDT)

Day One Zoom Link: <https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1602347140?pwd=OXZFRTI1eUxXUWF3OHVvQUxIVFpqZz09>

Day Two Zoom Link: <https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1613839886?pwd=a0FRUG00emJ5M1Z5eVRXbWZYazZvUT09>

DAY 1: Monday, January 25, 2021 (11:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. ET)

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| 11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. | Welcome, Call to Order & Introductions <ul style="list-style-type: none">• David de la Cruz, ACIM Designated Federal Official• Edward Ehlinger, ACIM Acting Chair |
| 11:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. | Review and Approve Minutes from September Meeting, Objectives for the January Meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Edward Ehlinger |
| 11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. | CDC's Hear Her Campaign |
| 12:00 p.m. – 12:30 p.m. | Update from the Maternal & Child Health Bureau <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Michael Warren |
| 12:30 p.m. – 1:15 p.m. | HHS Maternal Health Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dorothy Fink, Office on Women's Health, US Department of Health and Human Services• Caryn Marks, Office of Intergovernmental & External Affairs, US Department of Health and Human Services• Charlan Kroelinger, Division of Reproductive Health, CDC• Alison Cernich, National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, NIH• Michael Warren, Maternal and Child Health Bureau, HRSA |
| 1:15 p.m. – 1:45 p.m. | Lunch Break |

1:45 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

COVID-19 Federal Activities

- **Michelle Osterman**, National Center for Health Statistics, CDC
- **Wanda Barfield**, Division of Reproductive Health, CDC
- **Alison Cernich**, National Institute of Child Health & Human Development, NIH
- **Dana Meaney Delman**, COVID-19 Maternal Immunization Expert representing Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) Work Group
- **Leyla Sahin**, Division of Pediatric and Maternal Health, CDER, FDA
- **Michael Warren**, Maternal and Child Health Bureau, HRSA
- **Discussion and Recommendations**

3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.

CDC's Hear Her Campaign

3:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Immigrant Infant and Maternal Health Issues

- **Paul Wise**, ACIM Member
- **Annie Leone**, Holy Family Birth Center, Weslaco, TX
- **Discussion and Recommendations**

4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Workgroup Breakout Sessions

6:00 p.m.

Day 1 Adjourn

DAY 2: Tuesday, January 26, 2021 (11:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. ET)

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| 11:00 a.m. – 11:05 a.m. | Review of Day 1 and Overview of Day 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Edward Ehlinger |
| 11:05 a.m. – 11:20 a.m. | Report from Equity Workgroup |
| 11:20 a.m. – 11:35 a.m. | Report from Data, Research, & Action Workgroup |
| 11:35 a.m. – 11:50 a.m. | Report from Quality and Access Workgroup |
| 11:50 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. | Discussion from Workgroup Reports |
| 12:00 p.m. – 12:15 p.m. | Voices from Communities - Flint, MI |
| 12:15 p.m. – 2:15 p.m. | Environmental Contributions to Infant and Maternal Mortality
Moderator: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Jeanne Conry, ACIM Member
Panelists: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Gwen Collman, National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences, NIH• Tracey Woodruff, Program on Reproductive Health and the Environment, UCSF• Darryl Hood, College of Public Health, Ohio State University• Maureen Swanson, Project TENDR• Nate DeNicola, Ob/Gyn Specialist• Linda McCauley, Dean, Nell Hodgson Woodruff School of Nursing, Emory University |
| 2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. | Public Comment <ul style="list-style-type: none">• David de la Cruz |
| 2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. | Discussion and Planning for Next Meeting <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Edward P. Ehlinger |
| 3:30 p.m. | Adjourn <ul style="list-style-type: none">• David de la Cruz |

Meeting Objectives:

As an advisory body to the Secretary of Health and Human Services, and in accordance with its scope and charge “to inform and influence national and community-based policies and programs which impact infant and maternal mortality and related health outcomes of women, children, and families,” at its January 2021 virtual meeting SACIM will:

Objective 1: In the context of discussions of COVID-19, immigrant health, environmental contributions to infant and maternal health, and on-going federal initiatives related to infant and maternal health, expand SACIM members’ shared knowledge and understanding of the influence and impact of structural racism on the health and well-being of mothers and infants and their families and develop a data and policy framework/strategy to address structural/institutional racism in partnership with essential stakeholders.

- Expand and strengthen the active participation of essential partners across sectors in addressing the impact of COVID-19, immigrant health issues, environmental contaminants, and structural racism on infant and maternal mortality and accompanying inequities, and
- Leverage SACIM’s relationships with strategic partners and stakeholders in the development and advancement of strategic recommendations to address on infant and maternal mortality.

Objective 2: Identify on-going challenges and opportunities created by COVID-19 specific to the health of mothers and infants and identify possible actions for addressing those challenges.

- Examine the impacts of COVID-19 on the health of all mothers, infants, and their families, and the efforts being taken to mitigate those impacts,
- Learn about Federal COVID-19 focused activities related to the health of mothers and infants and identify opportunities for current and future action,
- Determine if additional program or policy recommendations (particularly related to COVID-19 vaccine) are needed to address immediate and long-term needs of mothers and infants, and their families raised by COVID-19, and
- Monitor the potential long-term impacts of COVID-19 on systems of care and services to mothers and infants, and their families.

Objective 3: Establish a framework and strategies to effectively execute our charge to address the issues and factors that impact maternal and infant health, and create the organizational foundation needed to effectively execute our charge.

- Enhance the “Praxes” of the SACIM workgroups: Care Quality and Access, Data and Research for Action, and Equity to address structural racism,
- Examine the process for reporting SACIM activities to the Secretary,
- Maintain explicit commitment to and collective readiness for advancing equity, among all SACIM members, to anchor the committee’s work, and
- Identify emerging and/or urgent policy matters that impact maternal and infant health for briefing, discussion, and potential future recommendations.