

# Kentucky Board of Pharmacy Advisory Council

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9:00 a.m.

## Agenda

- I. Call to Order
- II. Approval of Minutes from September 15, 2021
- III. Discussion items:
  - A. Charged May 25, 2021 – Prescription integrity during transit:
    1. Study the issue of shipped medications for temperature excursions/integrity during transit until received by the ultimate consumer.
  - B. Appearance: Trish Freeman, Opioid Use Disorder Expert  
\*\*Charged February 23, 2021 - Related to Pandemics, Epidemics, Natural Disasters, Terroristic Disasters and Biologic Disasters:
    1. Evaluate the opioid epidemic and make recommendations to the board for any necessary regulatory changes that would improve the health of the Commonwealth / and reduce opioid OD and addiction.
    2. Simulate a recovery exercise for each type of emergency and outline the legal restraints and allowances that impact operations – provide a list of these and whether other changes should be invoked in an emergency pharmacy powers regulation.
    3. Determine the role that the KY Board of Pharmacy Executive Director, staff and inspection staff can serve in emergency/disaster response.
    4. Determine if the KY Board of Pharmacy office and staff could/should serve as a command center or coordination center.
    5. Seek input and coordination with KPhA and KSHP.
  - C. Charged February 23, 2021 - NABP Passport Program / Development of a State Pharmacist Database for response:

1. Create a readily usable and UTD robust pharmacy / pharmacist database to recognize the pharmacists who can be called upon to assist based on their capacity, i.e. certifications, job expertise and work location.
2. Create a process to allow no-practicing retirees of the pharmacy practice to re-enter work to meet the patient care demands of various types of emergencies.

#### IV. Adjournment