

Center for Improving Value in Health Care

CO APCD Advisory Committee | June Meeting Notes



 Tuesday, June 9, 2026

 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

 CIVHC: Zoom Link
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81714518062?pwd=MVhKd0NqNDk0VUMycmtaT29Cc3BpZz09>

 1 (719)-359-4580, Meeting ID: 817 1451 8062
Password: **617494**

Committee Members:

Adam Fox, Judy Amabile, Michelle Anderson, Josh Benn, Charlie Brennan, Gretchen Hammer, Kyla Hoskins, Sarah Hassell, David Keller, Philip Lyons, Tom Rennell, Cecilia Saffold, Nathan Wilkes

CIVHC Staff:

Robyn Burns, Sarah Ford, Amanda Kim, Andria Koenig, Blake Koletar, Clare Leather, Paul McCormick, Liz Mooney, Twanisha Parnell, Kristin Paulson, Ryan Smith, Sauntice Washington

Public Attendees: Miranda Baxter, Joel Dalzell, Aida Kobneck, Courtney Kezlarian, Tracy McDonald

Notes cover only the discussion of the Committee and such information required to put questions in context. Please refer to the presentation and materials for more information.

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2:00 – 2:10 | 01. Welcome, Roll Call, and Opening Announcements – Nathan Wilkes, David Keller, Sarah Ford

- a. Open Committee Seats
- b. Welcome: Gretchen Hammer

2:10 – 2:40 | 02. Administrator Updates – Kristin Paulson and Robyn Burns

- a. State Funding Update
- b. FY26 Successes
- c. CIVHC Website and Brand Refresh
 - Committee Question: Will the new brand colors be friendlier to those with color blindness and other visual impairments? CIVHC staff answered that yes, this was a major consideration in selecting the new color palate and it will be high-contrast following accessibility standards.

2:40 – 3:10 | 03. Data Solutions – Maggie Mueller

- a. Data Vendor Transition

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Committee Discussion: Would would help the Committee better understand the new CO APCD vendor environment and what type of information communications should CIVHC prioritize as the transition completes?

- Would it be possible to build a side-by-side list of the new features and novel technologies enabled through the new vendor? CIVHC staff will prep this for the CO APCD Research Showcase in July and plan to present these details in the upcoming September CO APCD Advisory Committee meeting.

3:10 – 3:50 | 04. Public Reporting – Abby Fehler, Robyn Burns, Sarah Ford

- a. Hospital Price Transparency
 - b. County Profiles
 - c. Women’s Health Campaign with the Colorado Perinatal Care Quality Collaborative
 - d. Recent Reports
 - Prescription Drug Analysis
 - Shop for Care
 - Insights Dashboard
- Committee Feedback: It would be helpful to have more experts who can explain the nuances and complexities of the prescription drug rebate process, as it is difficult to assess the data in this report without a clear understanding. The CO APCD Advisory Committee is currently looking to fill a seat from a professional employed through a PBM and invites anyone with a potential connection to reach out.

3:50 – 4:00 | 06. Member Open Discussion & Public Comment

3:00 | Adjournment