



EL PASO COUNTY BODY ART ADVISORY GROUP MEETING

Date: April 20, 2015

Meeting Minutes

Attendees: Kristina Wrights, Dustin Bastian, Jim Goodwin, Tara Olson, Ankit Parikh, Kat McGarvy, and Brinda Yates

Lead	Topic	The Discussion/Action
Jim Goodwin	Body Art Regulation Update	Jim went over the final changes with the group. He will add the internal threading piece into section 6.11. He will also add back in the Hepatitis B vaccination/declination, since it is written in State regulations. All group members present had no other changes.
Tara Olson	Brochure	Tara went over the brochure. It will need a little more work. She will send out the draft copy so that ideas can be addressed. The group will provide feedback and pictures via email.
Jim Goodwin	Excellence in Body Art Safety Program	The use of non-criticals as a determining factor of "excellence" will not be used. Jim stated that we do not use non-critical items in other programs to determine "excellence" and to do so in the body art program might seem unfair and could reduce the number of safe establishments that should be recognized.
Group	Art Work for CSC Display Case	Brinda will talk with an employee about taking pictures of old machines. Kris also stated she would talk to one of her employees as well. Both facilities will provide old pictures of tattoos.

MEETING ADJOURNED AT: 11:30

NEXT MEETING: ?

BAAG Purpose Statement:

- Allow for good communication between Body Art Industry and Public Health.
- Encourage constructive feedback on customer service, policies and regulations.
- Work together to improve El Paso County's Body Art Program using current science, technology and through educational opportunities.
- Work together to prevent infectious disease in our community.