

The December 14, 2011 meeting of the Belmont Board of Health was called to order at 5:33 pm by David B. Alper, D.P.M., Chair.

Those present were David B. Alper, D.P.M., Chair, Robert M. Eisendrath, M.D., Vice Chair, Donna S. David, R.N., M.N., Member, Stefan A. Russakow, M.A., R.S., Director, Angel Braun, R.S., Assistant Director, David Neylon, RN, CIC, REHS, Public Health Nurse, Ellen O'Doherty, Clerk.

The November 21, 2011 meeting minutes were approved unanimously.

David Neylon, Public Health Nurse gave a presentation in trends of communicable disease and how it is impacting the local Health Department accompanied by flow charts for follow up on Latent Tuberculosis Infection cases.

Under Public Participation the Animal Control Officer, John Maguranis, made a presentation regarding the recent activity of the coyotes throughout town and the residents concern. The Board was appreciative of the information in case anyone should contact them and thanked John for keeping them up to date.

The Disease and Receipts Reports were reviewed.

The Director's Report (on file in the Health Department) was discussed. The Budget for FY 13 has been submitted, the demand for flu vaccinations this season is down by over 50%. The draft Body Works Regulations were approved unanimously and will be sent to Town Counsel for review.

The Assistant Director's Report (on file in the Health Department) was discussed and the Fats, Oil and Grease Regulations are still being drafted. The City of Boston has not yet passed their Nail Salon Regulations which will be the model for the rest of the State.

The Animal Control and Veterans Officer Reports were reviewed.

The Youth and Family Services Report was discussed briefly and the Board commented that it was a great format and very informative.

Complaints were discussed.

The next meeting of the Belmont Board of Health is scheduled for January 25, 2012 at 5:15 pm.

Meeting adjourned at 7:20 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

David B. Alper, D.P.M., Chair

