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MID-MICHIGAN DISTRICT HEALTH DEPARTMENT (MMDHD)
BOARD OF HEALTH
REGULAR MEETING
at
Gratiot Office, Ithaca, Michigan
Conference Rooms A & B

Wednesday, September 23, 2026
9:00 a.m.

AGENDA

We take action to protect, maintain, and improve the health of our community.

Pledge of Allegiance

A. AGENDA NOTES, REVIEW, AND REVISIONS:

1.

B. CONSENT ITEMS:

1. Meeting Minutes

- a. Michigan Association for Local Public Health (MALPH) Board of Directors Meeting held August 10, 2026 – Included.
- b. Mid-Michigan District Board of Health (BOH) Meeting held August 26, 2026– **Included.**

2. Communications – None.

C. PUBLIC COMMENTS:

Limit three minutes per person

D. BRANCH OFFICE EMPLOYEES:

E. COMMITTEE REPORTS:

1. Finance Committee: George Bailey, Chair

- a. MMDHD Expenses for August 9 through September 5, 2026 – **Included.**
- b. MMDHD's Monthly Balance Sheet, Revenue and Expenditure Report for August 2026 Including proposed amended budget – **Included.**
- c. Non-Union Employees' Proposal – **Included.**

2. Personnel Committee: Nicole Fickes, Chair

3. Program Committee: Matt Murray, Chair

F. MEDICAL DIRECTOR'S REPORT: Jennifer Morse, M.D., MPH, FAAFP

1. Eastern Equine Encephalitis and Mosquitoes– **Included.**

G. HEALTH OFFICER'S REPORT: Mari E. (Liz) Braddock

1. Beach Monitoring Report– **Included.**
2. Together for Health – **Included.**

H. OLD BUSINESS:

I. NEW BUSINESS:

- 1.
2. Emerging Issues

J. LEGISLATIVE ACTION:

K. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS:

1. Mid-Michigan District BOH Action Items, August 2026 – **Included.**
2. MMDHD Staffing Report – **Included.**

L. RELATED NEWS ARTICLES AND LINKS: –Access [MMDHD Articles](https://mmdhd.org/BOH/News%20Articles) (URL: mmdhd.org/BOH/News Articles)

1. Public Health Advisory: Harmful Algal Bloom Confirmed at Crystal Lake Public Beach in Montcalm County – Press Release – September 2, 2026
2. Harmful algal bloom at Crystal Lake public beach – *Daily News* – September 3, 2026

M. AGENCY NEWSLETTER: - [Access -https://conta.cc/4yLp2qB](https://conta.cc/4yLp2qB)- **Included.**