## **Board of Directors**

Date: November 21, 2022

Members Present: ⊠Eileen Yarborough/Chairman, ⊠Kendra Brown/Vice Chairman ⊠Stacey Dimitt, M.D./Chief of Staff ⊠Robert Windhorst/Board Member ⊠Kevin Branum/Board

Member ⊠Ron Ortiz/ Board Member ⊠ Joan Gilmore /Board Member ⊠ Stephanie Rivard /Board Member, ⊠ Harry Sheski /Board Member

Others present: 🗵 Thomas Whelan/CEO 🗵 Jim Hermes/ CFO 🖾 Maria Atencio/co-CNO 🗆 Glenna Losito/co-CNO 🗆 Christopher Harris/ HR Director 🖾 Ambroshia

Mandagaran/Director of Risk and Quality ⊠Cynthia Tena/Director of Marketing / ⊠ Lorraine Chavez /Compliance Director ⊠ Nydia Sanchez / Marketing Assistant

⊠Eric Jones/QHR

Additional Attendees:

Recorder: Amanda Jim / Administrative Assistant

Called to order: 173

Time adjourned:
Location: Community Room via WebEx

AGENDA ITEM	DISCUSSION/FINDINGS	CONCLUSIONS/RECOMM.	ACTION/FOLLOWUP/RESP. PARTY
Call to Order	The meeting was called to order by Eileen Yarborough		Nothing further.
Roll Call	Eileen Yarborough called roll.		Nothing further.
<u>Prayer</u>	A prayer was given by Robert Windhorst		
Recognition of Additional Attendees			Nothing further.
Citizens to Address the Board			None present.
<u>Agenda</u>	<ul> <li>a. Agenda presented for November 21, 2022</li> <li>b. Meeting minutes presented for approval: <ul> <li>i. Board Meeting: October 24, 2022</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Motion to approve amended Agenda made by Kendra Brown. Seconded by Stephanie Rivard  a. Motion Carried by way of acclamation, all in agreement.  b. Motion to approve minutes as presented was made by Stephanie Rivard. Seconded by Robert Windhorst. Motion carries by way of acclamation, all	
<u>Committee</u> <u>Reports</u>	i. Finance/CFO Report Jim Hermes verbally advised the board with details from the Finance Committee: Charges \$7.1m vs. \$8.2m budgeted and \$6.9m in September. Surgeon - generated revenue averaged \$1.2m/Mo. in FY 2022 vs. \$915k YTD variance (\$285k) Outpatient visits (except rehab) were strong (Total up 23% YOY) and ER is up 22% YOY Net Revenue	in agreement.	

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	Net revenue of \$3.8m is (\$384k) below budget. Hap and TAP funding is undisclosed to date so (\$150k) reduction in amount is being accrued. @(\$160k) is reduced surgeon generated net revenue		
	Operating Expenses Costs of \$3.9m were \$300k below budget for wages and benefit, partly offset by locums Surgeon and CRNA Nursing and contract services were \$147k in October, flat to budget and down from a \$205k per month average in Q1! Overtime hrs. are down 33% vs Oct 2021 and 11% vs. last year Oct YTD		
	Financial Results October loss of (\$90k) is \$70k > budget and \$180k better than 10/2021. YTD (\$529k) loss is (\$190k) < budget. YTD (\$529k) is \$190k better vs (\$728k) budgeted loss but \$800k worse than 2021 YTD for wages, locums & agency Accounts Receivable and Cash Update 67 AR days up 4 from September despite 3 day unbilled AR improvement on poor collections Cash dropped \$600k to 140 Days on hand, off 5 from September.		
CNO Report	Maria Reported:		No further discussion.
	Staffing:  We presently have 7 contract staff. 4 in ED and 3 in OB. (Down by 1). We have hired a new grad from UNM Gallup Nursing program and she will be starting on MS today. We will be wining and dining the 4 NMSU grads in early December and hopefully get a few of those when they pass their exams. Education:  The training this month could not have been any more appropriate with all of the paediatric RSV patients we are seeing. PALS (Paediatric Advanced Life Support) was provided for our staff. Emergency Department: ED visits continue to climb. In October there were		

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	1281 visits with 69 admits from the ED. The		
	average length of stay for non- admits was 136		
	minutes, just over the national average of 135		
	minutes. The water outage in nearby Acoma has		
	greatly impacted ED visits with ACL being closed		
	the average daily census for November is 53		
	patients/day. We want to share that this hopefully		
	is a temporary situation and we will return to our		
	"normal busy." Dr Fedko is looking at supporting		
	the ED with Allied professional 3 days/ week		
	starting in February / March to take some of the		
	work load off of the ED Providers.		
	OR/PACU		
	Our big news here is that Dr Susan Austin has		
	started with us as a Locum. She has already		
	entertained a busy OP practice and done 2		
	surgeries. The Surgery Team is excited to have her		
	and looking forward to her building a practice. In October there were 76 OR cases with 18		
	outpatient procedures and 2 cancellations the day		
	of surgery. James Our OR Manager and Angelina		
	Foreman our PFS Manger are both new in their		
	roles and attended a 2 day STEPPS Program for		
	new leaders which both of them feel they		
	benefited from.		
	Obstetrics		
	Our OB Director Kristin Brown is just completing		
	her Fetal Monitoring Instructor course which will		
	enable her to teach here at Cibola. This is a huge		
	cost savings anytime we can provide courses here		
	for our staff and will help on OB to train new		
	nurses and get in these hard to find classes. She		
	also recently returned from a National conference,		
	"Critical Care in Obstetrics". We delivered 23		
	newborns the month of October.		
	Infection Control		
	Our Infection Control Nurse paired up with an		
	experienced IC Nurse from Nor Lea Hospital down		
	south. Besides her experience and knowledge		
	sharing she provided, he also received validation		
	of current processes in place. Successful overall.		
	Cardiopulmonary		
	Cardiopulmonary remains busy. September		
	totalled 935 procedures and in October they had		
	1272 which is a 35% increase over 1 month. They		
	are presently evaluating new treatment options		
	for our RSV patients. Our Cardiopulmonary		
	manager, Brooke has provided the Providers with		
	CPAP Class which will help them interpret the		

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HR Report	results of the sleep study and manage the treatment of sleep apnea and CPAP as a therapy. Social Services SS consults for the month of October were 38. We had 199 out-patient behavioural health encounters. SS and nursing admin recently met with both CYFD and APS to gain insight/training from them on their policies and procedures when we refer at risk children and adults to their respective agencies. December 2nd we will have our next sit down meeting with law enforcement (Sherriff's Office, Grants PD, State Police, Acoma and Laguna have all been invited) to continue the conversation regarding community members with mental health crisis and services we can provide. Social services/BH has some community outreach events scheduled in the next few weeks with PMS Home Visiting Program, Casa San Jose and Open Skies. Pharmacy Omnicell project continues. Orientation continues for our new fulltime pharmacist as he came from the retail side. Our prn pharmacist that we did hire has hospital experience and seems to be fitting in well.  Chris Harris discussed recruiting and hiring.		No further discussion.
	Thirteen candidates are currently in the hiring pipeline. Chris has been attending many career fairs in the month of September and October. Human Resources is working on increasing Employee Engagement.		
CEO Report	Thomas Whelan gave an update regarding general surgeon candidates. Dr. Cannata came for a site visit and toured the community. Family Medicine doctors, still in residency are looking for job placements in order to make a commitment. The Hospital is still pursuing an Ortho Surgeon to assist in coverage with Dr. Austin.		No further discussion.
Risk Management	Ambroshia Mandagaran reported on Incidents by Department for Q1FY2023. Performance Improvement initiatives were submitted in Q1FY2023.		
Compliance	Lorraine Chavez presented her report for July-Sept, 2022.		
Clinic Update	Bob Cleland presented FY2023 Clear Company Goals and Clinic updates.		

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Medical Staff Report	Dr. Stacey Dimitt verbally advised the Board that Med Exec has heard some wonderful feedback regarding Dr. Austin. Appointments are being scheduled a month or two out. Providers are not using their vacation because they want to see patients and not inconvenience the customer.	A suggestion was presented to see if providers can roll over their PTO or are able to sell it back while being compliant with policy and any other regulations.	No further discussion.
QHR Report	Eric Jones introduced Ryan Nestrick and shared:  a. REsolutionRCM Shared Services		No further discussion.
Executive Session	Motion to move to Executive Session made by Joan Gilmore. Seconded by Stephanie Rivard Motion Carried by way of acclamation, all in agreement.  Executive session begins at 1905 to discuss: a. Credentialing b. Personnel c. Legal		Motion to return to Open session made by Joan Gilmore. Seconded by Kevin Branum Motion Carried by way of acclamation, all in agreement.  Open session begins at 1934
Old Business	0		Nothing further.

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New Business/Action Taken:	a. Board Committee assignments are tabled until next session in January 2023.		a. Board Committee assignments will be discussed in January 2023.
	<ul> <li>b. Motion to approve Investment Policy as presented by the Finance Committee</li> <li>c. Motion to approve offer for General Surgeon, William Cannata, as presented in Executive Session.</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>b. Motion to approve Investment Policy in Executive Session by Joan Gilmore. Seconded by Robert Windhorst, motion carried by way of acclamation, all in agreement</li> <li>c. Motion to approve offer for General Surgeon, William Cannata as presented in Executive Session by Kevin Branum. Seconded by Joan Gilmore, carried by way of acclamation, all in agreement</li> </ul>
Announcements/ Reminders	December 3, 2023 Holiday Party at Pizza 9. Board Meeting calendar for 2023 was distributed.		
Executive Session II			Nothing Further
Adjournment:	Meeting adjourned by Board Member Eileen Yarborough	Board Meeting adjourned at 1939.	The Board of Directors will meet next on Monday, January 23, 2023 at 1730 in the Board Room.