

December 11, 2009

Health Advisory Council appointments complete

EDMONTON – The Alberta Health Services Board has appointed members to nine Health Advisory Councils. Included in the appointments are Health Advisory Council areas 1-6, 8, 11 and 12 (see map attached). These appointments conclude recruitment to the 12 Health Advisory Councils.

Health Advisory Councils will provide meaningful opportunities for public engagement with Alberta Health Services. Acting in an advisory capacity, the role of the councils will be to engage community members, gathering input and feedback on local health service delivery in communities across the province.

“The appointment of the councils is a significant milestone for Alberta Health Services,” said Board Chair Ken Hughes. “We know Albertans have been asking for increased opportunities to provide feedback on health service delivery in the province. These councils will help us engage with communities and allow us to gather valuable information on local health care needs.”

The appointments were made at the Board’s regular meeting on Dec. 3 in Edmonton. Members of Health Advisory Council areas 7, 9 and 10 were announced in November.

“The Health Advisory Councils will work directly with local leaders,” said Dr. Stephen Duckett, President and Chief Executive Officer. “Their input will help inform our decision-making processes as we work to meet the health service delivery needs of Albertans.”

The Board has appointed council members to two- and three-year terms. The varied term lengths have been established to stagger turnover and help maintain experience on councils. Members will be asked to recommend a council chair. The Board will have final approval.

All councils will hold their orientation meetings in January. Councils will be expected to hold their second meetings by the end of March. Each council is to meet four to six times per year.

“The recruitment process has been a significant undertaking for our organization and we look forward to begin working with the councils in the new year,” said Duckett.

Alberta Health Services is the provincial health authority responsible for planning and delivering health supports and services for more than 3.5 million adults and children living in Alberta. Its mission is to provide a patient-focused, quality health system that is accessible and sustainable for all Albertans.

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The following appointments were made by the Alberta Health Services Board to Health Advisory Councils:

Health Advisory Council 1		
Ms. Jo Bentley	La Crete	December 31, 2011
Mr. Gord Burnell	High Level	December 31, 2012
Mr. Tim Driedger	La Crete	December 31, 2011
Ms. Joyce Fehr	La Crete	December 31, 2012
Ms. Mary Janzen	La Crete	December 31, 2011
Mr. Eric Jorgerson	Fort Vermilion	December 31, 2012
Ms. Sandra Mann	High Level	December 31, 2011
Mr. Clark McAskile	High Level	December 31, 2012
Ms. Noreen McAteer	Fort Vermilion	December 31, 2011
Ms. Crystal McAteer	High Level	December 31, 2012
Mr. Michael Osborn	High Level	December 31, 2011
Ms. Joyce Parenteau	Paddle Prairie	December 31, 2012
Mr. Ray Toews	Fort Vermilion	December 31, 2011
Ms. Wendy Ward	Fort Vermilion	December 31, 2012
Ms. Lisa Wardley	Zama City	December 31, 2011

Health Advisory Council 2		
Ms. Judy Brown	Spirit River	December 31, 2011
Ms. Donna Buchinski	Falher	December 31, 2012
Mr. Tom Burton	DeBolt	December 31, 2011
Ms. Evelyn Bzowy	Rycroft	December 31, 2012
Ms. Patsy Campbell	Valleyview	December 31, 2011
Ms. Darlene Frith	Deadwood	December 31, 2012
Ms. Leona Hanson	Beaverlodge	December 31, 2011
Ms. Fjola Joelson	Valleyview	December 31, 2012
Ms. Michelle Margarit	Grande Prairie	December 31, 2011
Mr. James McGregor	Fairview	December 31, 2012
Mr. Michael Ouellette	Grande Prairie	December 31, 2011
Ms. Theresa Sandul	Spirit River	December 31, 2012
Ms. Shannon Sortland	Peace River	December 31, 2011
Mr. Terry Tissington	Grande Prairie	December 31, 2012
Ms. Cheryl Van Eerden	La Glace	December 31, 2011

Health Advisory Council 3		
Ms. Sharon Anderson	Gift Lake	December 31, 2011
Mr. Kim Courtoreille	Wabasca	December 31, 2012
Mr. Archie Cunningham	High Prairie	December 31, 2011
Mr. Rick Dumont	High Prairie	December 31, 2012
Ms. Nona Elliot	Grouard	December 31, 2011

Ms. Colleen Greer	High Prairie	December 31, 2012
Ms. Robin Guild	Wabasca	December 31, 2011
Ms. Rose Kasinec	High Prairie	December 31, 2012
Mr. George Keay	High Prairie	December 31, 2011
Mr. Ken Matthews	High Prairie	December 31, 2012
Mr. Leonard Olaon	High Prairie	December 31, 2011
Ms. Ethel Ruecker	Faust	December 31, 2012
Ms. Frances Schultz	Flatbush	December 31, 2011
Ms. Janice Willier	High Prairie	December 31, 2012
Mr. Marian Wolitski	Wabasca	December 31, 2011

Health Advisory Council 4		
Ms. Carole Bouchard	Fort McMurray	December 31, 2011
Mr. Oliver Buchman	Fort McMurray	December 31, 2012
Mr. Gary Exner	Fort McMurray	December 31, 2011
Ms. Karen Gooden	Fort McMurray	December 31, 2012
Mr. Edward Gordon	Fort McMurray	December 31, 2011
Ms. Iris Kirschner	Fort McMurray	December 31, 2012
Mr. Jim Moore	Fort McMurray	December 31, 2011
Mr. Joshua Olawuyi	Fort McMurray	December 31, 2012
Ms. Nicole Park	Fort McMurray	December 31, 2011
Ms. Keltie Paul	Fort McMurray	December 31, 2012
Ms. Elaine Read	Fort McMurray	December 31, 2011
Ms. Monica Schimanke	Fort McMurray	December 31, 2012

Health Advisory Council 5		
Ms. Deanna Anderson	Elk Point	December 31, 2011
Ms. Cindy Bizon	Grassland	December 31, 2012
Ms. Phyllis Collins	Cold Lake	December 31, 2011
Ms. Margaret Daniels	Caslan	December 31, 2012
Mr. Lorne Dustow	Sputinow	December 31, 2011
Ms. Lynn Hetherington	Cold Lake	December 31, 2012
Mr. Trevor Kotowich	St. Paul	December 31, 2011
Mr. Douglas Lamb	St. Paul	December 31, 2012
Ms. Mireille Lavoie-Beaupré	Bonnyville	December 31, 2011
Ms. Candice Maglione	Ashmont	December 31, 2012
Ms. Louise Reidy	St. Paul	December 31, 2011
Ms. Yvonne St. Arnault	St. Vincent	December 31, 2012
Ms. Angele Theroux	St. Paul	December 31, 2011
Ms. Pauline Thompson	Lac La Biche	December 31, 2012
Mr. Parrish Tung	Elk Point	December 31, 2011

Health Advisory Council 6		
Ms. Peggy Carty	Barrhead	December 31, 2011
Mr. Douglas Fleming	Westlock	December 31, 2012
Mr. Andrew Hendricks	Jasper	December 31, 2011

Ms. Christine Homeniuk	Whitecourt	December 31, 2012
Mr. Daniel Leis	Hinton	December 31, 2011
Ms. Ruth Martin Williams	Edson	December 31, 2012
Mr. Douglas McDermid	Mayerthorpe	December 31, 2011
Ms. Marie-France Miron	Jasper	December 31, 2012
Mr. Trevor Thain	Whitecourt	December 31, 2011
Ms. Barbara Wilson	Westlock	December 31, 2012

Health Advisory Council 7		
Ms. Winnie Bogosoff	Edmonton	December 31, 2011
Mr. James Dean	St. Albert	December 31, 2012
Ms. Cindy Grand	Edmonton	December 31, 2011
Mr. David Hook	St. Albert	December 31, 2012
Ms. Crystal Krueger	Thorsby	December 31, 2011
Mr. Chad Kulak	Stony Plain	December 31, 2012
Mr. Donald Langford	Edmonton	December 31, 2012
Ms. Kathleen LeClair	Edmonton	December 31, 2012
Ms. Carol Rempel	Warburg	December 31, 2012
Ms. Barbara Rothe	Sherwood Park	December 31, 2011
Ms. Daniella San Martin-Feeney	Edmonton	December 31, 2011
Mr. Wayne Shillington	Edmonton	December 31, 2012
Mr. Lawrence Tymko	Edmonton	December 31, 2011
Ms. Sandra Woitas	Edmonton	December 31, 2011
Ms. Catherine Workun	Edmonton	December 31, 2012

Health Advisory Council 8		
Mr. Robert Bachman	Provost	December 31, 2011
Ms. Wendy Bannister	Amisk	December 31, 2012
Mr. Denis Cunninghame	Vermilion	December 31, 2011
Mr. Barry Hall	Wainwright	December 31, 2012
Mr. Karl (Rod) Krips	Viking	December 31, 2011
Mr. Kenneth McNeil	Wainwright	December 31, 2012
Ms. Barbara Read	Tofield	December 31, 2011
Mr. Rick Roberts	Hardisty	December 31, 2012
Mr. Oleh Shykora	Vergreville	December 31, 2011
Mr. Morris Smith	Lloydminster	December 31, 2012
Ms. Elaine Sorochan	Two Hills	December 31, 2011
Mr. Glen Thompson	Two Hills	December 31, 2012
Ms. Terry Tropak	Vegreville	December 31, 2011
Ms. Colleen Vennard	Camrose	December 31, 2012
Ms. Martha Waldorff	Daysland	December 31, 2011

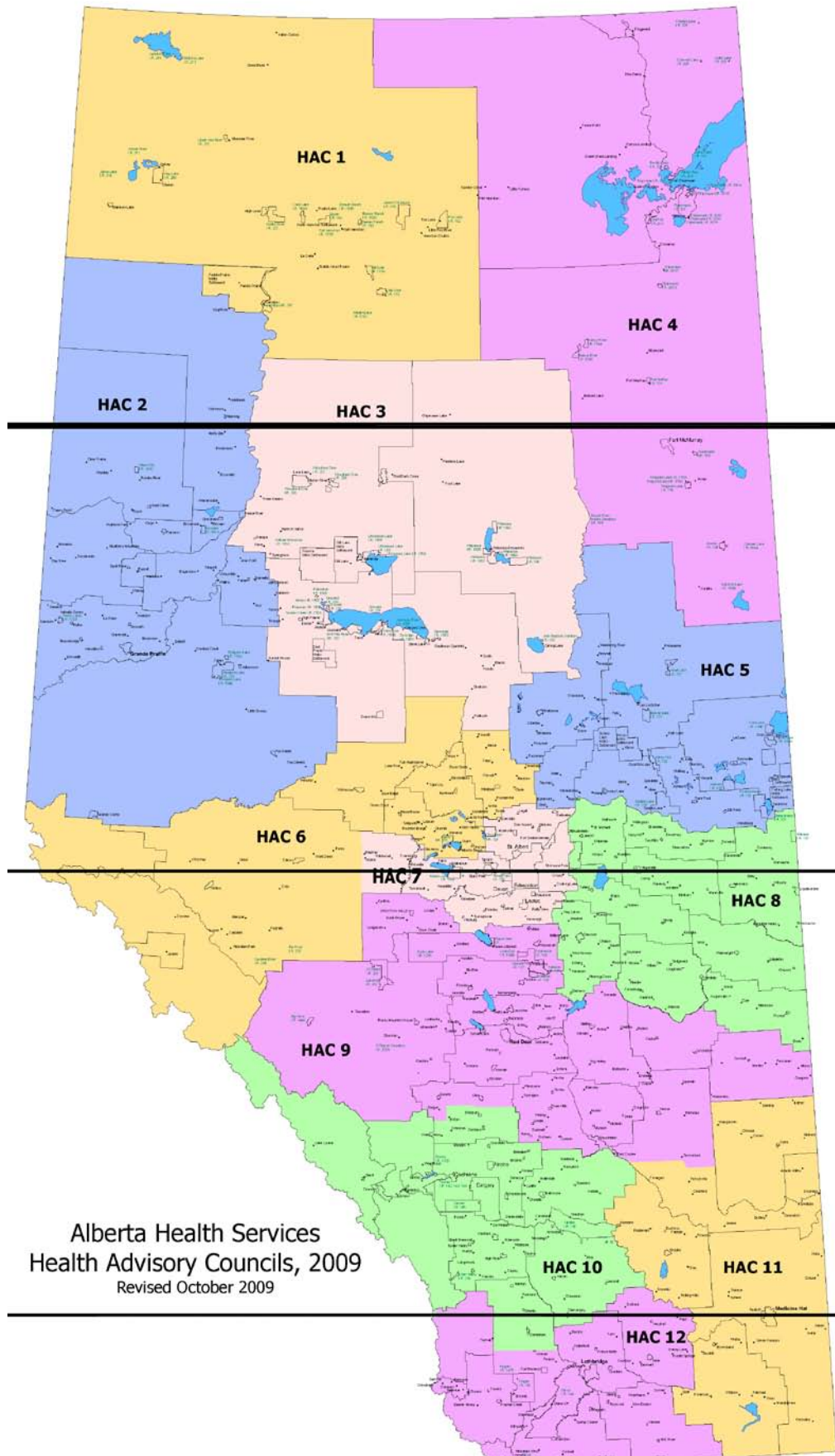
Health Advisory Council 9		
Mr. Bruce Buruma	Red Deer	December 31, 2012
Ms. Stacey Carmichael	Blackfalds	December 31, 2011
Ms. Dawna Elliot	Coronation	December 31, 2012

Mr. Lance Houston	Rocky Mountain House	December 31, 2011
Mr. Gerald Ingeveld	Sundre	December 31, 2012
Mr. Randy Littlechild	Hobbema	December 31, 2012
Ms. Dawn Morrow	Innisfail	December 31, 2012
Mr. Bob Reid	Red Deer	December 31, 2011
Mr. Stéphane Perreault	Red Deer	December 31, 2011
Ms. Diana Rowe	Drumheller	December 31, 2012
Mr. Lou Soppit	Rocky Mountain House	December 31, 2012
Ms. Johana Stark	Ponoka	December 31, 2011
Ms. Leona Thorogood	Stettler	December 31, 2011
Ms. Jeannette Vatter	Drayton Valley	December 31, 2011
Mr. Clifford Watt	Sylvan Lake	December 31, 2012

Health Advisory Council 10		
Mr. Larry Albrecht	Okotoks	December 31, 2012
Mr. Luis Delgado	Carseland	December 31, 2012
Ms. Sandy Durrant	Calgary	December 31, 2012
Ms. Debbie Goeseels	Claresholm	December 31, 2011
Mr. David Hawkins	Priddis	December 31, 2012
Ms. Carla Helder	Canmore	December 31, 2012
Ms. Carmela Hutchison	Irricana	December 31, 2011
Mr. Clark Kassian	Calgary	December 31, 2011
Mr. Ralph Levinson	Airdrie	December 31, 2012
Ms. Irene Pfeiffer	Okotoks	December 31, 2011
Ms. Shannon Rennie	Calgary	December 31, 2011
Ms. Sandra Robertshaw	Calgary	December 31, 2012
Mr. Joginder Sangha	Calgary	December 31, 2011
Ms. Kirsten Wallace	Calgary	December 31, 2011
Ms. Gloria Wilkinson	Calgary	December 31, 2012

Health Advisory Council 11		
Ms. Ruth Babcock	Bow Island	December 31, 2011
Mr. Jim Black	Medicine Hat	December 31, 2012
Mr. Rudolph Brockmann	Oyen	December 31, 2011
Ms. Kelly Christman	Bassano	December 31, 2012
Mr. Warren Drefs	Medicine Hat	December 31, 2011
Ms. Linda Gale	Medicine Hat	December 31, 2012
Ms. Carol Lees	Medicine Hat	December 31, 2012
Ms. Diane MacNaughton	Redcliff	December 31, 2011
Ms. Sharon Reid	Brooks	December 31, 2012
Ms. Patty Rooks	Seven Persons	December 31, 2011
Mr. Kenneth Sauer	Medicine Hat	December 31, 2012
Mr. Martin Shields	Brooks	December 31, 2011

Health Advisory Council 12		
Ms. Angela Best	Lethbridge	December 31, 2011
Mr. Dick Burnham	Pincher Creek	December 31, 2012
Mr. George Epp	Taber	December 31, 2011
Ms. Diane Herrick	Lethbridge	December 31, 2012
Ms. Emma Hult	Coutts	December 31, 2011
Ms. Barbara Lacey	Lethbridge	December 31, 2012
Ms. Tara Linklater	Fort Macleod	December 31, 2011
Ms. Robin Little Bear	Lethbridge	December 31, 2012
Mr. Bill Martens	Coaldale	December 31, 2011
Mr. Wayne McGinn	Lethbridge	December 31, 2012
Ms. Kerry Milder	Barnwell	December 31, 2011
Ms. Tanya Pace-Crosschild	Lethbridge	December 31, 2012
Ms. Rojeanne Parker	Lethbridge	December 31, 2011
Ms. Kathryn Petrunia	Taber	December 31, 2012
Ms. Sharon Solvey	Taber	December 31, 2011



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