



**GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF MEDICAL EXAMINER
Opioid Fatality Review Board
April 8, 2025, Open Meeting Minutes**

There were (22) attendees:

Opioid Fatality Review Board (OFRB) Members: 12

Kenan Zamore (Chair)	Dr. Jewell Reddick (Vice Chair)
Cyndee Clay (HIPS)	Ciena Bayard (OCME)
Dr. Barbara Wynter (CSOSA)	Tyrone Guyse (DEA)
Chaka Curtis (DBH)	Joseph Lippi (DHS)
William Bonnette (Community)	Dr. David Vitberg (DC FEMS)
Kunil Raval (OCME)	Robert Buck (MPD)

Participants: 5

Dr. Sharon Hunt (DBH)	Betty Smith (DC FEMS)
Melanie Baylis (DC Health)	Maura Gaffney (DEA)
Taylor Black (OCME)	

Fatality Review Staff: 5

Tracie Martin (OCME)	Jettia Vance (OCME)
Kimberli Hall (OCME)	Shannon Thompson (OCME)
Woyni Teklay (OCME)	

Open Meeting

I. Greetings:

- The Opioid Fatality Review Board (OFRB) meeting began at 3:03 pm and opened with Kenan Zamore (Chair) greeting board members and guests.

II. Roll Call

- The OCME staff conducted a roll call of board members, participants, and staff.

III. Review and Majority vote to approve the agenda.

- There was a majority vote to approve the agenda.

IV. Review the open portion of the meeting minutes from March 11, 2025.

- The open portion of the March 11, 2025, meeting minutes were reviewed and approved.

V. Majority vote to close the meeting for remaining Board members.

- Melanie Baylis, DC Health – CDC was recognized. There were no members of the public wishing to address the Board.
- There was a majority vote to close the open portion of the meeting and move to the closed session.
- This statement was read aloud:

“This meeting will hereby be closed to the public for the following reasons - Open Meetings Act Section B- 12 & 14; and Mayor’s Order 2019-0243 Section XIII (13).”

The next OFRB meeting is scheduled for May 13, 2025, at 3:00 p.m. Thank you for your participation!