## HAWAI'I PSYCHIATRIC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION



Minutes of Monthly Membership Meeting Tuesday, January 10, 2017 6:30-8:00PM

**Mission:** Helping Hawaii's Psychiatrists Provide the Highest Quality Care

Location: HMA Board Room, Honolulu, HI.

**Attendees on Oahu:** Drs. Iqbal "Ike" Ahmed, Jeffrey Akaka, Julienne Aulwes, Michael Champion, Trisa Danz, Gregory Prier, Brian Schultz, Douglas Smith, Rika Suzuki, Raissa Tanqueco

Attendees via GoToMeeting connection: none

Call to order: 6:20pm

Dr. Champion chaired the meeting.

Minutes of previous meetings:	Minutes for the December meeting were reviewed and accepted with changes.	
ANNOUNCEMENTS	• None	
<b>BUDGET &amp; COMMITTEE</b>	REPORTS	Things to follow up on:
Treasury: Dr. Aulwes	No report	
Membership: Dr. Smith	Nothing new to report.	
Assembly: Dr. Ahmed	<ul> <li>Area 7 council is looking for Congressional advocates – those who may have relationships with representatives in Congress</li> <li>Dr. Akaka noted that APA has had successes recently in the past few months, reflecting on the importance of having relationships with those in Congress</li> </ul>	

<b>BUDGET &amp; COMMITTEE</b>	REPORTS	Things to follow up on:
Communications/Public Affairs Chair: Dr. Danz	<ul> <li>The first meeting of the Committee on Women will be held on 1/29 at 4 pm at Dr. Ona's house. Discussion topics to include coming up with future topics, and having a mentoring session</li> <li>Dr. Danz has heard from 30 interested people thus far. She has reached out to HPMA, DOP, TAMC. The event is open to anyone interested in women's roles in psychiatry.</li> <li>Dr. Danz requested funds for refreshments; the council approved a maximum of \$400.</li> </ul>	
Resident Rep: Dr. Tanqueco	Nothing new to report	
Ethics Chair: Dr. Prier	Nothing new to report	
Legislative: Dr. Akaka	Discussion postponed for a Legislative council meeting	
OLD BUSINESS		
NEW BUSINESS	<ul> <li>Management company update: <ul> <li>The bulk of SBI's work for HPMA has been financially related.</li> <li>HMA provided a proposal to provide similar services, but at a higher price. Plan to clarify aspects of their proposal.</li> <li>Continue to look into other options</li> <li>Dr. Akaka suggested revisiting Area 7 manual recommendations</li> </ul> </li> <li>State of Reform Conference to be held later this week. A motion was introduced and seconded to fund attendance for Dr. Akaka, in addition to prior arrangements for attendance by Drs.Danz, Smith, and Tanqueco. The motion was passed without objection.</li> </ul>	
NEW BUSINESS		
	None at this meeting	
Hot Topic	<ul> <li>None at this meeting</li> </ul>	
Future Meeting	<ul> <li>Next meeting on Feb 7 at 6 pm in the HMA Board Room</li> </ul>	

Submitted by: Brian R. Schultz, M.D., Ph.D. Secretary, HPMA