



Southwest Michigan Behavioral Health Substance Use Disorder Oversight Policy Board Meetings

Per PA 228 of 2020:

- For calendar year 2020 Board meetings will be held remotely due to the COVID-19 pandemic.
- Members of the public may attend electronically by <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/250012069> or by dialing 1-312-7577-3121 access code: 250 012 069.
- Members of the public may contact members of the Board to provide input or ask questions on any business that will come before the Board by contacting Michelle Jacobs at michelle.jacobs@swmbh.org prior to the meeting, or by commenting during the Board meeting Public Comment section as identified by the Board Chairman.
- Members of the public with disabilities who require special accommodations should contact Anne Wickham at anne.wickham@swmbh.org well before the meeting occurs.
- Members of the public are not required register or otherwise provide their name or other information as a condition of participation, other than mechanisms to permit participation in the public comment period.
- Members of the public are to be excluded from participation in a properly convened and held closed session of the Board.

January 20, 2020 4:00-5:30pm

March 16, 2020 4:00-5:30pm

May 18, 2020 4:00-5:30pm

July 20, 2020 4:00-5:30pm

September 14, 2020 3:00-5:30pm

November 16, 2020 4:00-5:30pm

All scheduled meetings take place at the Principal Office, unless otherwise communicated

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Principal Office Located at 5250 Lovers Lane, Suite 200, Portage, MI, 49002

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