

# MIAA Sports Medical Committee

## Minutes

### November 17, 2025

#### **Welcome**

Dr. Mancini welcomes all, and asked new members to introduce themselves

#### **Election of Officers**

Chair – L. Mancini (J. Jardine, R. Colandreo) 20-0-0

Vice-Chair – J. Jardine (L. Mancini, B. McQuaid) 20-0-0

Sec. – B. McQuaid (L. Mancini, J. Gouvin) 20-0-0

**Minutes:** Minutes of Previous Meeting – August 25, 2025

Moved and approved (J. Gouvin, C. Schatz) 17-0-3

#### **Update on initiatives**

Concussion Protocols webinar

- Dr. Mancini will record a brief webinar for members Pre-Event Medical meeting

Dr. Mancini talks about his efforts to work on recording some examples for MIAA member schools. Dr. Mancini mentioned that the NFHS SMAC is also focused on this

#### **WBGT readings; Work to rest**

- R. Pearson mentioned questions that schools/AD's have had in relation to MIAA Heat Acclimatization Policy
- Dr. Jardine speaks to possible scenarios, like games etc.; how best to manage and use mitigating factors
- Committee members discuss policy; members ask about how to get best information and clarity for schools
- Member asked if there are other mitigating factors or protocols from other states
- American College of Sports Medicine has published a paper
- M. Kelly willing to work with ATOM Secondary Schools committee
- Could SMC develop a FAQ (scenarios and recommended brand/devices)
- Working group (J. Jardine, J. Gouvin, M. Kelly, C. Schatz, Z. Blaszak)

#### **ATOM Legislation – Update**

- B. Colandreo, offers updates about three active pieces of legislation
- Some committee discussion of possible EKG future legis; no action, discussion only

#### **Information - items shared with Committee**

- NFHS Injury Surveillance System - High School RIO 2024-25
- Summary Report 2024-25
- Original Sample Report 2024-25
- Convenience Sample Summary Report 2024-25
- NFHS SMAC Advisory Meeting Agenda Oct. 2025
- NFHS SMAC Section Reports April 2025

- NFHS SMAC Section Reports Oct. 2025

**Other**

- R. Pearson mentioned the BOD vote for the start of the fall season for football and golf

**Upcoming Meeting Schedule**

- Feb. 23, 2026, 12:00 p.m. virtual
- May 11, 2026, 11:00 a.m. In-Person

Adjourn

(J. Domingos, N. Bottomley) 20-0-0