

# POSITRON EMISSION TOMOGRAPHY STANDARD ADVISORY COMMITTEE (PETSAC) MEETING

Tuesday, May 9, 2006

Capitol View Building  
201 Townsend Street  
MDCH Conference Room B/C  
Lansing, MI 48913

## APPROVED MINUTES

### I. Call to Order.

Chairperson Nagle called the meeting to order at 9:01 a.m.

a. Members Present and Organizations Represented:

Dr. Kevin Berger, Michigan State University (Arrived at 9:02 a.m.)  
Dr. Kirk Frey, University of Michigan Health System  
Dr. David Fry, St. John Health (Alternate)  
Chad Grant, Detroit Medical Center  
Dr. David Kellam, Economic Alliance of Michigan  
Dr. Conrad Nagle, Beaumont Hospitals  
Loren Rhoad, Hospital Network Healthcare Services  
Dr. Anthony F. Shields, Karmanos Cancer Institute  
Dr. Paul Shreve, Saint Mary's Health/Spectrum Health  
Jo Ann Sting, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan  
Carl VerBeek, Alliance for Health

b. Members Absent and Organizations Represented:

Dr. Kastytis Karvelis, H.F. Health System  
Dr. Kevin O'Brien, St. John Health

c. CON Commission Liaison Present:

Dr. Michael Sandler (Left at 2:43 p.m.)

d. Staff Present:

Lakshmi Amarnath  
Sallie Flanders  
Larry Horvath  
John Hubinger  
Matt Jordan  
Irma Lopez  
Andrea Moore  
Stan Nash  
Taleitha Pytlowanyj  
Brenda Rogers

**II. Conflicts of Interests.**

No conflicts were noted.

**III. Review of Agenda and Distributed Materials.**

Motion by Mr. VerBeek, seconded by Dr. Kellam, to add a sub-letter (c) to each discussion topic for action. Motion Carried.

Motion by Chairperson Nagle, seconded by Dr. Frey, to accept the agenda with the change. Motion Carried.

**IV. Review of Minutes – April 11, 2006.**

Motion by Chairperson Nagle, seconded by Dr. Frey, that the minutes be modified in that sub-section I of section VI Discussion of Charge read “release of data after three years, if site was not currently receiving service.” Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr. VerBeek, seconded by Dr. Berger, to approve the minutes as modified. Motion Carried.

**V. Discussion of Draft Language.**

Section 5 (1)(a)(b) and (c)

Motion by Mr. VerBeek, seconded by Mr. Grant, to approve Section 5 (1)(a)(b) and (c) as proposed. Motion Carried.

Section 5 (3)

Motion by Mr. VerBeek, seconded by Dr. Frey, to modify Section 5 (3)(D) by adding “subject to sub-section 4 (3)” and approve Section 5 (3) as modified.

Motion by Mr. VerBeek, seconded by Dr. Berger, to table the VerBeek/Frey Motion. Motion Carried.

Public comment received during discussion:

Lynn Bosscher, Spectrum Health  
Mark Hutchinson, St. Mary's Health Care  
Melissa Cupp, Wiener Associates

Section 4 (3)

Motion by Dr. Kellam, seconded by Dr. Berger, to strike Section 4 (3)(a)(b) and (c). Motion Carried.

Motion by Dr. Shields, seconded by Dr. Kellam, to add at Section 4 (3)(f) the following language “An applicant, whether the Central Service Coordinator or a proposed host site, proposing to initiate a mobile PET host site to an existing mobile PET Network or a new mobile PET Network being applied for under Section 5(3), shall not be required to demonstrate a minimum number of PET Data Units”. Motion Carried.

Section 5 (3)

Motion by Mr. VerBeek, seconded by Dr. Frey, to put the VerBeek/Frey Motion back on the table. Motion Carried.

Motion of VerBeek/Frey. Motion Carried.

Public comment received during discussion:

Melissa Cupp, Wiener Associates

Section 4 (4)

Motion by Mr. VerBeek, seconded by Dr. Shields, to modify Section 4 (4)(c)(i) by changing 5,500 to 4,500, to modify Section 4 (4)(c)(ii) by changing 5,000 to 4,000, and to approve Section 4 (4) as modified. Motion Carried.

Sections 12 (1)(h), 15 (1)(d), 17 (1)(c), and 18 (1)(c)

Motion by Dr. Frey, seconded by Mr. VerBeek, to except the removal of the 85/15 requirement in Sections 12 (1)(h), 15 (1)(d), 17 (1)(c), and 18 (1)(c). Motion Carried.

Sections 15 (1)(d), 17 (1)(c), and 18 (1)(c) (New Sections)

Motion by Mr. VerBeek, seconded by Dr. Kellam, to modify Sections 15 (1)(d), 17 (1)(c), and 18 (1)(c) (New Sections) by changing 20-mile radius to 75-mile radius. Motion Carried.

Section 15 (1)(e) and (2)

Motion by Dr. Berger, seconded by Dr. Shields, to approve Section 15 (1)(e) and (2) as proposed. Motion Carried.

Sections 15, 17, and 18

Motion by VerBeek, seconded by Dr. Frey, to approve Sections 15, 17, and 18 as modified. Motion Carried.

Section 11 (1)(c)(viii)

Motion by Dr. Berger, seconded by Dr. Kellam, to strike Section 11 (1)(c)(viii). Motion Carried.

Section 2 (1)(SS)

Motion by Dr. Frey, seconded by Dr. Shreve, to modify Section 2 (1)(SS) by changing 20-mile to 25-mile. Motion Carried.

Motion by Chairperson Nagle, seconded Dr. Frey, to approve Section 2 (1)(QQ)(RR) and (SS) as modified. Motion Carried.

Section 6 (3) (Second)

Motion by Mr. VerBeek, seconded by Dr. Frey, to accept Section 6 (3) as proposed. Motion Carried.

Section 7

Motion by Mr. VerBeek, seconded Dr. Berger, to return Section 7 to its original language with the integration of Section X language and necessary technical changes. Motion Carried.

Public comment received during discussion:

Lynn Bosscher, Spectrum Health  
Mark Hutchinson, St. Mary's Health Care

Lunch Break from 11:52 a.m. until 12:46 p.m.

Mr. Horvath provided an oral presentation on the issue of minimum volume requirements.

Section X (1)(b) and (2)(b) and (g)

Motion by Dr. Shreve, seconded by Mr. VerBeek, to strike Section X (1)(b) and (2)(b) and (g). Motion Carried.

Section 11 (1)(c)(viii)

Motion by Dr. Shields, seconded by Mr. Rhoad, to re-instate Section 11 (1)(c)(viii) to read "Fixed and mobile PET Units shall be operating at a minimum average annual level of utilization during the second twelve months of operation, and annually thereafter, of 1,500 PET equivalence per unit". Motion Carried.

Section X

Motion by Dr. Shreve, seconded Mr. VerBeek, to accept Section X as modified. Motion Carried.

Section 6

Motion by Dr. Shields, seconded by Dr. Frey, in Section 6 (3)(a) insert January 1, 2005 as the before date. Motion Carried.

Motion by Dr. Frey, seconded by Dr. Shields, to modify Section 6 as follows:

Strike Section 6 (3)(c).

Return Section 6 (3) to its original language.

To renumber sub-sections (3) and (3)(sic) to sub-sections (4) and (5).

In new sub-section (4) add sub-section (3) to the list of excluded sub-sections.

Motion Carried.

Public comment received during discussion:

Mark Hutchinson, St. Mary's Health Care

Section 3

Motion by Dr. Shields, seconded by Dr. Frey, to accept Section 3 as drafted. Motion Carried.

Section 14 (1)(b)

Motion by Dr. Shields, seconded by Dr. Berger, to accept Section 14 (1)(b) with the modification of adding a comma after (skin of head and neck), to say "and additional codes as approved by CMS". Motion Carried.

Section 8 (1)(c) and (d)

Motion by Dr. Shields, seconded by Dr. Shreve, to modify Section 8 (1)(c) by changing applicant has an on-site cyclotron to must have access to one and to strike Section 8 (1)(d). Motion Carried.

Section Y

Motion by Dr. Berger, seconded by Dr. Grant, to modify Section Y by striking (B)(I) and changing (B)(II) so that the FCLIN equals the metric number set out times the fractional percentage of the PET Equivalence (PE) to achieve that plus 500. Also, in Section Y (D) change the 110% to be whatever the FCLIN equals, plus 500. Motion Carried.

Public comment received during discussion:

Melissa Cupp, Wiener Associates

Sections 2 and new XX

Motion by Dr. Shreve, seconded by Dr. Frey, to modify Section 2 (1) by adding sub-section (xx) which will be the definition of "Dedicated pediatric PET". Also to add a new Section XX "Requirements for approval for applicants proposing to establish a dedicated pediatric PET" with sub-sections (1)(2) and (3) and on sub-section (2) add Section 6 as part of the exemption. Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr. VerBeek, seconded by Dr. Frey, to give power to the Chairperson to work with the staff on the language to make adjustments that are needed. Motion Carried.

Section 13

Motion by Dr. Shreve, seconded by Dr. Berger, to modify Section 13 by adding a new sub-section (c) to read "For each radiation therapy visit, the PET equivalent(s) determined pursuant to sub-division (a) shall be multiplied by 1.5" and to renumber the original (c) to (d). Motion Carried.

**VI. Potential SAC Action of individual charge points.**

Motion by Mr. VerBeek, seconded by Dr. Berger, to accept Section 1 as proposed. Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr. VerBeek, seconded by Dr. Berger, to accept Section 2 as modified with the additional change to sub-section (GG) to change 15 to 18. Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr. VerBeek, seconded by Dr. Frey, to accept Section 9. Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr. VerBeek, seconded by Dr. Berger, to accept Section 10 with the recommended title change. Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr. VerBeek, seconded by Ms. Sting, to accept Section 11 with the modifications. Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr. VerBeek, seconded by Mr. Rhoad, to accept Section 15 with the modifications to (3)(a) and also to apply those modifications to Sections 17 (4)(a) and 18 (4)(a). Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr. VerBeek, seconded by Dr. Berger, to accept the proposed language of Section 21. Motion Carried.

Motion by Mr. Rhoad, seconded by Dr. Berger, to accept Section 22 with the technical change of the dates. Motion Carried.

Public comment received during discussion:

Lynn Bosscher, Spectrum Health  
Melissa Cupp, Wiener Associates

**VII. Next Meeting Goals.**

None.

**VIII. Future Meetings**

June 9, 2006 (New Date)  
July 12, 2006  
August 2, 2006  
September 7, 2006

**IX. Adjournment.**

Motion by Dr. Berger, seconded by Mr. Rhoad, to adjourn. Motion Carried.

Adjourn at 3:05 p.m.