



COMMONWEALTH of VIRGINIA

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State Health Commissioner’s Advisory Council on Health Disparity and Health Equity (ACHDHE) January 13, 2026 – 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Location: FeedMore, 8020 Villa Park Drive, Richmond, Virginia 23228

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Meeting Agenda

Welcome

Dr. David **Rose**
ACHDHE Chair

Introductions

Dr. David **Rose** &
ACHDHE Members

Adoption of Agenda

ACHDHE Members

Approval of Minutes 7/8/2025 Meeting

ACHDHE Members

ACHDHE Recommendations – 7/8/2025 Meeting

Dr. Kate **Bradshaw**,
ACHDHE Vice Chair

State Health Commissioner’s Updates

- Agency’s Updates

Dr. Karen **Shelton**
State Health Commissioner, VDH

Presentations: Presenter(s)

- “Overview of VDH’s Syphilis Response and Mitigation”

Oana **Vasiliu**, Director, STD Prevention and
Surveillance, Office of Epidemiology, VDH

Dr. Susan B. **Girois**, Director, Norfolk
Health District, VDH
Dr. Caitlin S. **Pedati**, Virginia Beach Health
District, VDH

Working Lunch

All Participants

New Business:

Updates:

- Office of Health Equity
- Other Updates
- Public Comment
- Adjournment

Dr. David **Rose**/others

Sandra **Serna**,
Director, Office of Health Equity

ACHDHE Members

General Public

Dr. David **Rose**, Chair ACHDHE

2026 ACHDHE Meeting Dates
April 14, 2026, July 14, 2026, October 13, 2026