APIC DFW Business Meeting Minutes Date: 4/7/2022

| Facilitator | Donald Chitanda | Date | 4/7/2022 | Time | 1300 - 1500 | | |
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| Location | Microsoft TEAMS | Minutes prepared by | | Febi Sammons | | | |

| Topic | Discussion | Follow-up |
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| Welcome & Housekeeping Education | Welcome new members and guests! "Mitigating Risks of Processing Reusable Medical Devices in Ambulatory Care Settings" presented by John Whelan, Clinical Education Specialist, HealthMark. Contact jwhelan@hmark.com for questions. Healthmark will be providing CE for this education. Attendees will receive e-mail from John Whelan. | |
| Old Business | March 2022 Business Meeting Minutes – posted on <u>APIC-DFW</u> website. Approved by Daniel Blast, second by Chuck Monney. | |
| New Business | APIC National Updates APIC 2022 Annual Conference is June 13 – 15 in Indianapolis, IN. If able, please attend in-person Shared and encouraged members to read the paper/manuscript APIC put out in March 2022 titled "Between a Rock and a hard place: Recommendations for balancing patient safety and pandemic response. The paper is "is a project of the Association for Professionals in Infection Control and Epidemiology (APIC) and its COVID-19 Task Force, a group of subject matter experts appointed by the APIC Board of Directors to help recommend programming and approaches to supporting infection preventionists during the COVID-19 pandemic. The Task Force held regular meetings to review changing guidance, appoint or serve as faculty on COVID-19-related educational offerings, and develop resources for APIC members, including peer-reviewed articles and fact sheets for healthcare personnel and the public." One of our past presidents, Beth Wallace, is one of the authors. | |

Board Report

APIC DFW Business Meeting Minutes Date: 4/7/2022 **Board Updates** • APIC-DFW will keep current vision and mission statements instead of revising 2023 Leadership Positions – please consider serving on APIC-DFW next year. Open positions will be announced in the near future • Winners for Chapter Scholarship to attend APIC Annual Conference selected during board meeting and winners will be notified via email Congratulations to Sharon Williamson who received the President's Award for Distinguished Service from APIC this year Congratulations to Pat Jackson who is the current president elect for APIC National Vendor Message Nicholas Lopez with ICU Medical Jesse Harper with Eloquest Committee/SIG Reports Jasmine Cluck with Government Affairs Committee: Visit the DFW-APIC Government Affairs Committee Report for April 2022 on the APIC-DFW website. Highlights include: CDC Issues Recommendations to Prevent CLABSI in NICU Leapfrog Hand Hygiene Standards HHS COVID-19 Test to Treat Initiative FDA to meet in April to discuss future COVID-19 boosters Treasurer Report As of 2/28/2022 **Opening Balance, checking** \$18,556.85 Income \$3.530.75 Expenses \$225.00 Closing Balance, checking \$21,862.60 Savings \$45,490.28

| Daniel | Blast: | PAC | meeting | month | ly. If | you | have 1 | recertifi | ed e | email |
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| Butc. 1/1/2022 | apicdfwpac@gmail.com. If you need access to APIC text let PAC know. | | | | |
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| | Chuck Monney: Check your membership to ensure you are included in the roster for communication purposes. | | | | |
| Public Health Update | No Public Health Update | | | | |
| Announcements | Surveillance/Mentoring SIG Conference Call Friday, April 8 th , 2022 at 12 PM Check Email and Website for Teams details | | | | |
| | Next Month's Meeting Information: May 5 th , 2022 at 1 PM via Teams Speaker: Demi Smoczkiewicz and Kellie Whitton on <i>IP Career Ladder (IPCAP)</i> | | | | |
| | Professional Advancement Committee First Thursday of every month Via Teams from 11:00 – 12:30 Check APIC-DFW Website for details | | | | |
| Adjournment | Meeting adjourned at 15:00 | | | | |

Next Meeting: May 5th, 2022 via TEAMS