

Meeting Name	Nurse Practitioner (NP) Council		Council/Meeting Minutes
Location	Microsoft Teams Meeting		
Date	5/12/2020		
Time	4:30pm-6:00 pm		
Conducted By	Mary McDermott, MSN, RN, NEA-BC, Dorit Lubeck Walsh, MSN, ANP-BC		
Topic/ Facilitator	Discussion	Staff Input & Feedback	Action
Updates from CNO	Mary shared COVID 19 updates.	Currently there are 30 COVID patients admitted to the hospital. Units are slowly being converted to normal.	Mary will continue to update us at our monthly meetings
Deployment of the ACPs	Teresa Cowell and Tangie Rivera shared their experiences working with COVID patients in the ICU	Overall the feeling was of great satisfaction, however there was concern about lack of communication regarding deployment and how each work area was determined.	Mary will reach out to him and invite him to the next council meeting
	Holly McNamara and Nerissa Plondaya shared their experiences working on the COVID inpatient units	Nicholas Stasi was the point person for Phelps deployment and many of the NPs did not know who he was. There is a desire meet with him and have an in depth discussion	
	Jenny Chaco and Linda Caffrey shared their experiences work in Occupational Health		
General concerns and coping of the ACPs regarding Covid situation and how it affects their practice and general well being	Various members of the council discussed their concerns.	Suggestion was made to invite Michelle Espinoza MD to a meeting.	Mary suggested we invite separately from Nicholas Stasi PA. Council would like to meet with Nicolas Stasi PA first.
	A suggestion was made for a means to connect the NPs so they can communicate to each other	We discussed connected via Whats App to share concerns and information (not patient information).	

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