



The University of Texas at Austin Dell Medical School

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ASH Redesign Academic and Area Experts Work Group

Monday, January 24, 2022 ▪ 11:00am – 12:00pm ▪ Conference Call

Agenda

1. Welcome
2. Update on ASH and Dell Med discussion
3. Report recommendations and feedback
4. Next steps
5. Close

Attendees

Sydney Harris, Mari Robinson, Virginia Brown, Francela Brazil Williams, Debbie Cohen, Jeff Matthews, Lauv Bruner, Lynn Crimson, Dan Evans, Puja Patel, Carol Alter, Stacey Thompson, Steve Starks

Minutes

Welcome

Group was welcomed and agenda reviewed.

Update on ASH and Dell Med discussion

Shared key points from discussion between chairs and ASH leadership. Discussed need to focus on areas group is able to have an impact on.

Report recommendations and feedback

Reviewed proposed report recommendations outline with the group. Recommendations focus on solutions to salary and hiring challenges, creation of a public psychiatry focus within Dell Medical School, and identifying current community partnerships supporting academic activity. Discussed how to partner on creating/identifying structures that are currently working between HHSC and academic institutions in Texas. Group provided feedback and suggestions on recommendations. Discussed new state hospital in Houston that will be run and staffed by UT. A member suggested adding a forth recommendation to develop public facing training.

Next Steps

Discussed next meeting taking place in person in April. In the interim a more fleshed out report recommendations document will be created and shared with the group for edits, comments, and feedback. Additional research will also be done on existing structures.