



# Louisville Metro Government

## Action Summary - Final Community Affairs, Housing, Health and Education Committee

*Chair Barbara Shanklin (D-2)*  
*Vice Chair Cassie Chambers Armstrong (D-8)*  
*Committee Member Jessica Green (D-1)*  
*Committee Member Keisha Dorsey (D-3)*  
*Committee Member Kevin Triplett (D-15)*  
*Committee Member Marilyn Parker (R-18)*  
*Committee Member Stuart Benson (R-20)*

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Wednesday, January 26, 2022

1:30 PM

Council Chambers/Virtual

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**THIS IS CONSIDERED A SPECIAL MEETING/ THIS MEETING IS BEING HELD VIA VIDEO  
TELECONFERENCE**

### Call to Order

Chair Shanklin called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.

### Roll Call

Chair Shanklin introduced the committee members present. A quorum was established.

**Note: All Committee members present attended virtually.**

- Present:** 6 - Committee Member Jessica Green (D-1), Chair Barbara Shanklin (D-2), Committee Member Keisha Dorsey (D-3), Vice Chair Cassie Chambers Armstrong (D-8), Committee Member Marilyn Parker (R-18), and Committee Member Stuart Benson (R-20)
- Excused:** 1 - Committee Member Kevin Triplett (D-15)

### Clerk(s)

Olivia Bennett, Assistant Clerk  
Sonya Harward, Clerk

## Special Discussion

[ID 22-0078](#)

### COVID-19 Variant Updates - Dr. Sarah Moyer, Louisville Metro Public Health and Wellness

Dr. Sarah Moyer, Louisville Metro Public Health and Wellness ("LMPHW"), reviewed the information provided on the COVID-19 Dashboard link: <https://covid-19-in-jefferson-county-ky-lojic.hub.arcgis.com/>

The following spoke to this item:

- Dr. Sarah Moyer
- Chair Shanklin
- Vice Chair Chambers Armstrong
- Committee Member Benson

The following was discussed:

- LMPHW does not consider a person up-to-date on their COVID-19 vaccinations unless s/he has had the booster to fight against the new COVID-19 variants
- Questions were asked regarding the percentage of people in District 2 that have been vaccinated and current updates were provided
- Questions were asked regarding the COVID-19 cases seen in the category of children under the age of 5 years old and current updates were provided
- Questions were asked regarding how the new variants have impacted childcare centers for younger children and current updates were provided
- Questions were asked regarding what Metro Government has already done to help during the pandemic and what other suggestions could be provided going forward -- Dr. Sarah Moyer gave many examples on what has already been provided and guidance to what can continue to be done as well as new ideas going forward in the COVID-19 pandemic
- Discussion was had regarding the new COVID-19 testing site located in District 2 and the requirements for the site
- Concerns were shared regarding the transportation to get to the COVID-19 testing sites -- LMPHW is encouraging people to call their helpline to be set up with transportation to get individuals to their testing locations as well as vaccine appointments
- Comments were made about the current COVID-19 updates

## Adjournment

Without objection, Chair Shanklin adjourned the meeting at 2:03 p.m.