

HOSPITAL SERVICE DISTRICT OF THE PARISH OF ST. BERNARD, STATE OF LOUISIANA

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Meeting to be held in the Hand Conference Center of the Medical Office Building at St. Bernard Parish Hospital

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Posted and Distributed on: Monday, September 29, 2025 @ 3:00 P.M.

Meeting to be held on: Tuesday, September 30, 2025 @ 6:00 P.M.

Ray Lauga, Jr – Chairperson, Cindy Maaq – Vice Chairperson,
Raymond Ducote, Jr., Brian Reaney and Katie Dysart

Meeting Called to Order and Roll Call

Invocation

Pledge of Allegiance

1. Recognize the public.
(Those Persons wishing to address the HSD Board on any matter relating to the St. Bernard Parish Hospital may do so by submitting in writing, prior to the start of the meeting, a brief statement of their topic to be presented. Speakers will be given 2 minutes.)

EXECUTIVE SESSION

2. Motion to enter into Executive Session:
 - a. To discuss Chief Executive Officer candidates
 - b. To discuss Strategic Marketing and Planning
3. Motion to return to Regular Session
4. Motion to Review and Approve the Minutes from the June 24, 2025 Hospital Service District meeting.
5. Motion to Review and Approve the St. Bernard Parish Hospital's Annual Review of Clinical Contracts.
6. Motion to Review and Approve Dissolution of Gulf Coast Accounts 100883347 Hospital Service District of St. Bernard Parish – Sinking Funds and and 100891910 Hospital Service District of St. Bernard Parish - Sinking Funds ICS because 2014 bonds have been paid.
7. Motion to Adopt Resolution to sell the following USED EQUIPMENT (**as listed below on the Agenda**) which is no longer needed for public purpose and is of no use to the hospital after publication of Notice of Resolution and proposed sale at least fifteen days prior to the date of the sale in the official journal with the sale being made to the person with the highest bid. The Minimum Bid is listed below for each item.

The HSD reserves the right at auction to remove the minimum bid if no bids are made at the minimum bid price. The winning bidder must pay with certified funds within 72 hours of the auction. The Public Auction will be held on Thursday, October 30, 2025 at 2:00 P.M. at the St. Bernard Parish Hospital Medical Office Building, 8050 West Judge Perez Drive, Suite 2700, Chalmette, LA 70043.

Description	Manufacturer	Model	Quantity	Serial #	Condition	Minimum Bid
Ventilator	Covidien	840	1	1217090921	Parts	\$50
Ventilator	Covidien	840	1	3512100259	Parts	\$50
Ventilator	Covidien	840	1	3512120508	Parts	\$50
Ventilator	Covidien	840	1	3512120410	Parts	\$50

Deep Fryer	Anets	14FII	1	F12DB015475	Used	\$100
Surgery Drill Console	Synthes	Standard	1	1594	Parts	\$100
Radiofrequency controller	Hologic	10	1	30764H19D0	Parts	\$50
Cell washer	Thermo Fisher	CW2 80300567	1	T06Z-448422- TZ	Parts	\$100

8. Update from CEO and CFO.
9. Motion to Review and Approve the minutes from the August 26, 2025 Medical Executive Committee meeting.
10. Motion to Approve the credentialing of the following providers as listed on the Agenda and as recommended by the Medical Executive Committee at the August 26, 2025 meeting:

Department of Medicine

Initial Appointments

Emily Alimia, MD-Emergency Medicine-Provisional Active
Omair Arain, MD-Radiology-Provisional Courtesy
Aaron Best, MD-Hospital Medicine-Provisional Telemedicine
Joshua Carlton, DO-Radiology-Provisional Telemedicine
Carlos Cevallos Chonillo, MD-Neurology-Provisional Telemedicine
Richard Courtney, MD-Radiology-Provisional Telemedicine
Keely Fischbach, MD-Hospital Medicine-Provisional Telemedicine
Rachel Guarisco, MD-Radiology-Provisional Courtesy
Rose Kirk, MD-Telepsychiatry-Provisional Telemedicine
Martin Mutonga, MD-Radiology-Provisional Courtesy
Kevin Shahbazian, DO-Radiology-Provisional Courtesy
Cameron Simmons, MD-Palliative Care-Provisional Telemedicine
David Ware, MD-Sleep Medicine-Provisional Telemedicine

Reappointments/Advancements

Chad Aultman, MD-Radiology-Telemedicine
Bridget Bagert, MD-Neurology-Telemedicine
Cecelia Brewington, MD-Radiology-Provisional Courtesy to Courtesy
Jason Brown, MD-Radiology-Telemedicine
Osvaldo Camilo, MD-Neurology-Telemedicine
Darryl Demaris, MD-Radiology-Telemedicine
Ryan Durel, MD-Radiology-Active to Courtesy
Emily Felzenberg, DO-Hospital Medicine-Provisional Telemedicine to Telemedicine
Sara Greene, MD-Telepsychiatry-Telemedicine
Sheriffdeen Ilo, DO-Hospital Medicine-Telemedicine
Hirenkumar Italia, MD-Hospital Medicine-Provisional Telemedicine to Telemedicine
Ali Kaabi, MD-Neurology-Provisional Telemedicine to Telemedicine
Stephen Kantrow, MD-Critical Care/Pulmonary-Active to Telemedicine
Kim Lee, MD-Neurology-Telemedicine
Kwaku Obeng, MD-Radiology-Active to Courtesy
Brian Ogden, MD-Radiology-Active to Courtesy
Pooja Mohan Rao, MD-Neurology-Telemedicine
Madhumati Reddy, MD-Hospital Medicine-Provisional Telemedicine to Telemedicine
Christopher Rouse, MD-Radiology-Telemedicine
William Shaffer, MD-Radiology-Courtesy
Louis Summersgill, MD-Radiology-Courtesy
Vani Vijayakumar, MD-Radiology-Courtesy

Resignations

Andrew Guidry, MD-Neurology-Telemedicine
Afshin Karimi, MD-Radiology-Telemedicine
Eric Rubin, MD-Radiology-Telemedicine
Benjamin Simpson, MD-Neurology-Provisional Telemedicine

Allied Health Initial Applications

Frederick Biggs, PA-C-Emergency Medicine-Provisional Allied Health Professional
Kimberly Cagle, NP-Emergency Medicine-Provisional Allied Health Professional
Connie Pomerantz, NP-Emergency Medicine (TeleTriage)-Provisional Allied Health Professional
Kimberly Poussard, NP-Emergency Medicine-Provisional Allied Health Professional
Amanda Stewart, PA-C-Neurology-Provisional Allied Health Professional

Allied Health Reappointments/Advancements

Tara Wulff Bolka, NP-Emergency Medicine-Provisional Allied Health Professional to
Allied Health Professional
Nicky Culotta, NP-Emergency Medicine-Provisional Allied Health Professional to
Allied Health Professional
Angel Ladner, NP-Emergency Medicine-Provisional Allied Health Professional to
Allied Health Professional

Department of Surgery

Initial Appointments

Hazeem Eissa, MD-Pain Management-Provisional Courtesy
Hamilton Tsang, MD-Pathology-Provisional Courtesy
Rachel Whitehair, MD-Pathology-Provisional Courtesy

Reappointments/Advancements

Richard Davis, MD-Pathology-Provisional Courtesy to Courtesy (9/30/2025 to 11/30/2025)
Richard Davis, MD-Pathology-Courtesy (11/30/2025 to 11/30/2027)
Rajiv Gala, MD-OB/GYN-Courtesy
Courtney Hanna, MD-Pathology-Active to Courtesy
Ralph Junius, MD-Orthopedic Surgery-Courtesy
Victoria McHenry, MD-OB/GYN-Active
Jonathan Nussdorf, MD-Ophthalmology-Courtesy
Timothy Schneider, MD-Otolaryngology-Active
Sharon Tomberlin, MD-Pathology-Active to Courtesy

Resignations

Alexandra Brown, MD-Pathology-Active
Supriya Donthamsetty, MD-Pathology-Courtesy

Allied Health Initial Applications

Areen Sittichot, PA-C-Orthopedics-Provisional Allied Health Professional

Allied Health Reappointments/Advancements

Byron Brewer, RNFA-Surgery-Allied Health Professional
Lloyd Ledet, CRNA-Anesthesia-Allied Health Professional
Victoria Marcel, PA-C-Orthopedics-Allied Health Professional
Melissa Percle, NP-Urology-Allied Health Professional
Thai Woodcock, CSFA-Surgery-Allied Health Professional

11. Motion to Review and Approve the minutes from the September 30, 2025 Medical Executive Committee meeting.
12. Motion to Approve the credentialing of the following providers as listed on the Agenda and as recommended by the Medical Executive Committee at the September 30, 2025 meeting:

Department of Medicine

Initial Appointments

Munsif Ali, MD-Hospital Medicine-Provisional Telemedicine
Dennis Ang, MD-Rheumatology-Provisional Courtesy
Zachary Hoffman, MD-Emergency Medicine-Provisional Active
Christian Huebner, MD-Radiology-Provisional Telemedicine
Neelam Khan, MD-Hospital Medicine-Provisional Telemedicine
Emily Knafl, MD-Radiology-Provisional Courtesy
Jared Lajaunie, MD-Radiology-Provisional Telemedicine
Emma Lindsey, MD-Radiology-Provisional Telemedicine
Jamil Meloelain, MD-Hospital Medicine-Provisional Telemedicine
Ahmed Samara, MD-Radiology-Provisional Courtesy
Cameron Volpe, MD-Emergency Medicine-Provisional Active
Victoria Vorholt, MD-Emergency Medicine-Provisional Active

Reappointments/Advancements:

Prabhat Adhikari, MD-Critical Care/Pulmonary/eICU-Telemedicine
David Alleva, MD-Radiology-Courtesy
Christopher Arcement, MD-Radiology-Courtesy
Emily Aventura, MD-Critical Care/Pulmonary/eICU-Telemedicine
Ryan Basquez, MD-Hospital Medicine-Active to Courtesy
Myles Digby, MD-Radiology-Courtesy
John Eick, MD-Radiology-Active to Courtesy
Byron Herpich, MD-Hospital Medicine-Telemedicine
Cara Irwine, MD-Radiology-Active to Courtesy
Ifeanyi Iwuchukwu, MD-Neurology-Telemedicine
Fawad Khan, MD-Neurology-Provisional Telemedicine to Telemedicine
Todd Layman, MD-Radiology-Active to Courtesy
Richard Mankinen, MD-Radiology-Active to Courtesy
Randy Musack, DO-Radiology-Telemedicine
Brianna Oliver, MD-Radiology-Active to Courtesy
Mohammed Qureshi, MD-Neurology-Telemedicine
John Renz, MD-Radiology-Provisional Courtesy to Courtesy
Mark Rocco, MD-Radiology-Provisional Telemedicine to Telemedicine
George Sayde, MD-Telepsychiatry-Telemedicine
Julie Sossaman, MD-Radiology-Active to Courtesy
Gregory Tobin, MD-Radiology-Courtesy
Colin Van Hook, MD-Neurology-Telemedicine
Richard Vanbergen, MD-Radiology-Telemedicine
Richard Vanderbrook, MD-Radiology-Provisional Telemedicine to Telemedicine
Derek Vonderhaar, MD-Critical Care/Pulmonary-Active to Courtesy
Bernard White, MD-Critical Care/Pulmonary/eICU-Telemedicine
Edward Yang, MD-Radiology-Provisional Courtesy to Courtesy

Resignations

Marika Antimisiaris, MD-Neurology-Telemedicine
Ali Kaabi, MD-Neurology-Telemedicine
Bradley Peet, MD-Telepsychiatry-Telemedicine
Pooja Mohan Rao, MD-Neurology-Telemedicine

Allied Health Initial Applications

None

Allied Health Reappointments/Advancements

Brandi Carter, NP-Cardiology-Provisional Allied Health Professional to

Allied Health Professional
Kim Guidry, NP-Emergency Medicine (TeleTriage)-Provisional Allied Health Professional to
Allied Health Professional
Mindy Hymel, PA-C-Emergency Medicine (TeleTriage)-Provisional Allied Health Professional to
Allied Health Professional

Department of Surgery

Initial Appointments

Devin Broadwater, MD-Pathology-Provisional Courtesy
Maged Guirguis, MD-Pain Management-Provisional Courtesy
Aaron Hanyu-Deutmeyer, DO-Pain Management-Provisional Courtesy

Reappointments/Advancements:

William Bivin, MD-Pathology-Active to Courtesy
Scott Buhler, MD-Orthopedics-Active to Courtesy
George Garib, MD-Pathology-Courtesy
Xinyu Wu, MD-Pathology-Courtesy

Resignations

Jacob Anderson, MD-Urology-Active

Allied Health Initial Applications

Sydney Forsythe, PA-C-Pain Management-Provisional Allied Health Professional

Allied Health Reappointments/Advancements

Macy Cope, NP-OB/GYN-Provisional Allied Health Professional to
Allied Health Professional (09/30/2025 to 11/30/2025)
Macy Cope, NP-OB/GYN- Allied Health Professional (11/30/2025 to 11/30/2027)
Jennifer Dileo, CRNA-Anesthesia-Allied Health Professional
Alyce Johnston, CRNA-Anesthesia-Allied Health Professional
James Sticker, CRNA-Anesthesia-Allied Health Professional

13. Motion to Review and Approve a new Chief Executive Officer for St. Bernard Parish Hospital.
14. Motion to adjourn meeting.

By order of the Chairperson,
Ray Lauga, Jr.
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