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Call to Order	The following members were present on the	A quorum was present and the meeting	None.
4:35 PM	attached sign-in roster.	was called to order.	
Introduction(s)			
	Candice Abbott, CFO	None	None
Public Comments			
	None		None
Minutes			
Meeting Minutes	Approval of December 6, 2021 MEC minutes.	None	Motion to approve December 6,
			2021 MEC meeting minutes
			1 st Motion: Dr. Luis Perezalonso
			2 nd Motion: Dr. Julie Pass
			All approved
Old Business			
	None	None	None
New Business			
	MEC Meeting Dates for 2022 provided to MEC staff for review.	None	None
Report			
Treasurer Report	Amount in PNC account: [\$ 91,502.21]	None	
	Only 2 checks written for December: Residents		
	Retreat/February - \$5,000 on 12/20 and Retainer		
	Fee for Lawyer - \$2,500 on 12/1.		
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	Concerns: Dr. Dawkins isn't allowed to write a check to himself for reimbursement of Dr. Pena's service.		Dr. Gunawardene or Dr. Perezalonso need to file for access.
Committee Reports			
Pharmacy Report	All MEC members received the Pharmacy Report for November 2021.	None	Kristine is on vacation and will present at the next MEC meeting.
Department Reports			
Family Residency Report	Nothing to report	None	None
Delinquent Medical Records	All MEC members received the Delinquent Medical Records report for November 2021. Deficiencies – 426 and 129 Delinquent charts. • Providers suspension	 Dr. Gunawardene recommends 30 days from 12/22/21 letter to implement suspension of admitting privileges until deficiencies reach 50% by January 22, 2022. Admitting Privilege Suspension Notification will go out January 22, 2022 to all providers that is on the list who has not completed their charts. 	 Janet and RoseAnn will meet tomorrow to go over the list and mail notifications to all providers.
	 H&P's should be done within 24 hours. Janet will need to review the timeframe for verbal/phone orders for signature. 		 Janet will pull the policies for next MEC meeting.

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	Physicians can no longer sign another physicians chart.	• Dr. Umoren will handle Ketty Letang's charts.	
	All providers need to have remote access.		Janet and Candice will meet to make sure all providers have remote access.
CCU Report	All MEC members received the CCU Report for November 2021.	None	None
Emergency Department Report	All MEC members received the ED Report for the month of November 2021. Dr. Perezalonso reported the ER seen 1,337 from 1,269 last year. Transfers – 70, compared to 104 last year. Hospitalized – 170; AMA – 33. Dr. Perezalonso and Regina will report AMA's on a spreadsheet that details each specific case - 98% are unavoidable.	None	None
Radiology Report	All MEC members received the Radiology Report for November 2021. PowerScribe Training: Dr. Novick – 1/4/22; Dr. Castillo – 1/5/22 and Dr. Marino – 1/6/22.	None	None
Surgery Services Report	All MEC members received the Surgical Report for November 2021.	None	None
Credentialing Report	Nothing to report	None	None
Lab Report	All MEC members received the Laboratory Report for November 2021. Wastage: 1 unit PRBC and 20 units of Plateletpheresis all expired on stock. CCP is available for use but very limited.	Dr. Perezalonso recommended for the next 3 months to keep 2 units on hand. Dr. Gunawardene wants to continue keeping the 2 units.	Dinaliza will have the Wastage Report Costs at the next MEC meeting.

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OB Services Report	All MEC members received the OB report for November 2021: 12 deliveries - 9 vaginal and 3 C-sections. Dr. Pass mentioned that OB has no labor and delivery nurse. Janet and Karen are working on getting coverage.	None	None
Community Liaison Report	Nothing to report	None	None
Pediatric Report	All MEC members received the Pediatric report for November 2021.	None	None
Associate CMO Report	 Sickle Cell Pain Management SOP was given to all MEC members for review and approval. New Business/In Progress/Follow-ups: New Director of Quality to begin 1/4/22: Judy Westhouse is replacing Eduardo Bustillo Whitecoats delivered – any issues let Dr. Medard know Pediatric census reporting issue in Epic Telemedicine – update (met with Compliance) Recommend IT input 	None	Motion to approve Sickle Cell Pain Management SOP 1 st Motion: Dr. Julie Pass 2 nd Motion: Dr. Jennifer Dorce- Medard All approved Dr. Medard will follow up with the Pediatric census reporting issue and report at the next MEC meeting.

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	 Wil follow up with Compliance after IT PPEC (Professional Excellence Committee) meeting ER Provider KPI dashboard - reviewed with Jennifer Vorst 		
	Dr. Medard notified Dr. Fein that it's not appropriate to make a note at the bottom of the mid-levels chart. He confirmed going forward he will not make his notes.		
Quality Report	Nothing to report	None	None
Director of Nursing Report	Nothing to report	None	None
Risk Management	All MEC members received the Risk Management report for November 2021 – Q4. There were 57 incidents. Top trending: AMA; LWBS; IV/Blood and Behavior Issues. No good catch or near miss.	None	None
Associate VP Report	 Happy New Year! Few updates: Ground transportation underway MRI contract has been signed – project will start this year Staffing challenges – Reaching out to 3 agencies for help. Director of Nursing returns on 1/15/22 Infection Control – Working on a plan for staff with COVID. Karen Harris and Jennifer Glisson are monitoring the numbers. Please inform Janet if some Physicians are out due to COVID. 	None	None

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	 Mobile Unit – Rapid Testing Monday – Saturday; 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (only if they have test kits) AMR – Monoclonal Treatments Need to get a schedule Director of Quality and Patient Safety 		
	 Judy Westhouse, starts 1/4/22 		
Adjournment	Meeting adjourned at 5:37 p.m. Next meeting March 7, 2022		