

UC SANTA BARBARA

Student Health Service

Student Health Advisory Committee (SHAC) 2nd Meeting of Winter 2026 Minutes

Wednesday, 3/4/2026, 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm, SHS Conference Room 1908 with [zoom option](#)

Members present:

Carter Kaulback (Co-Chair)	Student Advisor to the Executive Team, SHS
Andrew Vesper (Co-Chair)	Social Work Director, SHS
George Tsouloufas	SFAC Graduate Student Representative
Sloane Stephenson	EOB Graduate Student Representative
Buster Buchanan	Health Equity Advocate
Kristen Rogers	Director of Nursing, SHS
Dr. Erin Moore	Interim Medical Director, SHS
Jay Jerue	Health Equity Intern
Grace Johnson	Undergraduate Student
Amirtha Srinivasan	EVPLA Health Care Initiatives Coordinator
Astrid Murray	Undergraduate Student

Members absent:

Melika Zadehmoshedbeik	Health Equity Intern
Jade Mundell	Patient Experience Supervisor, SHS
My-Anh Holmes	ICA Tennis Representative
Jade Mundell	Patient Experience Supervisor, SHS
Troy Heye	Undergraduate Student

Angela Andrade	Associate Vice Chancellor of Student Wellbeing
Kamya Mahendru	Life of the Party Intern
Dr. Randy Lina	Director of Pharmacy, SHS
Hayley Meyer	Greek Life Representative
Andrew Yanez	Undergraduate Student
Emma Orrick	Undergraduate Student
Patrick Tugwell	Graduate Student

1. New member introduction – share what program(s) (if any) they are representing

- a. J. Ho and A. Murray introduced themselves and expressed their interest in “getting behind the scenes” for Student Health and making an impact from their position.
- b. C. Kaulback introduced E. Orrick and T. Tripathy on their behalf.
- c. Introductions by other members followed.

2. Approve updated [SHAC charter](#)

- a. Motion to table to work through the voting members list and either recruit missing representatives or open voting to non-endorsed students.
- b. Health equity representative will also include Health and Wellness.

3. Updated [membership process](#)

- a. Reviewed a brief membership admission process document, but noted that the voting member list must be updated, and therefore there was motion to table the approval of the membership process.

- b. E. Moore noted that we likely will not have all 12 endorsed student representatives, much like in the past.

4. SHAC website update

- a. Photos of current members
 - i. Photos of current members were loosely encouraged as this new SHAC gets off the ground and eventually updates the SHAC website.
- b. Updated charter
 - i. See above about motion to table before updating the website with updated charter.
 - ii. Noted that ADA guidelines must be met before finalizing the charter and uploading it to the website.
- c. Updated membership process
 - i. See above about motion to table before updating the website with membership admission process.

5. Development of awareness campaign for local healthcare benefits update

- a. C. Kaulback provided the context and process for the ongoing awareness campaign, noting that it will hopefully bring in students to discuss their experiences with SHAC.
- b. Current efforts have been to post pharmacy benefits for UCSHIP, GAP, and waived students on Instagram and on Storkie Digital Daily (essentially an electronic bulletin board for TVs across campus).

- c. T. Tripathy's idea of tabling near the Arbor (or another location, perhaps at the SH courtyard, in front of the Recreation Center, or at the STI Screen-A-Thon) with an incentive for engagement would allow SHAC/Student Health to share information about what services are offered, how to access them, and to what extent insurance plays a role in that service.
- d. B. Buchanan stated that Health and Wellness and Associated Students are working together to create a website that houses healthcare literacy facts and serves as a guide for students utilizing healthcare.

6. Reminder of goals for 2026 SHAC – recruitment, facilitating engaging discussions about SHS, influencing changes if needed

7. Next meeting and meeting adjournment

- a. B. Buchanan proposed staff presentations on SH services at the next SHAC meeting for student members, much like Dr. Randy Lina's presentation on the SH Pharmacy in the Fall quarter meeting.
- b. The meeting adjourned at 3:20pm.