

**PUBLIC HEALTH COUNCIL
MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
Henry I. Bowditch Public Health Council Room, 2nd Floor
250 Washington Street, Boston MA**

Docket: Thursday, March 27, 2014 10:00am

1. ROUTINE ITEMS:

a. Introductions

2. PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY ORDER: Request for Approval of the Public Health Council for the Commissioner to Take Action to Address the Public Health Emergency of Opiate Overdose and Abuse **(Vote)**

3. EMERGENCY REGULATION:

Proposed Emergency Amendments to 105 CMR 700.000 (Implementation of M.G.L. c. 94C) and 105 CMR 171.000 (Massachusetts First Responder Training) Related to the Use of Naloxone and Other Opioid Antagonists by First Responders **(Vote)**

The Commissioner and the Public Health Council are defined by law as constituting the Department of Public Health. The Council has one regular meeting per month. These meetings are open to public attendance except when the Council meets in Executive Session. The Council's meetings are not hearings, nor do members of the public have a right to speak or address the Council. The docket will indicate whether or not floor discussions are anticipated. For purposes of fairness since the regular meeting is not a hearing and is not advertised as such, presentations from the floor may require delaying a decision until a subsequent meeting.