

SAH Diversity Committee
October 10, 2001

Present: Katherine Froehlich, Chairperson
Sandy Johnston
Dawn O'Brien

Absent: Sheila Hammonds
Marcie Swift

Call to Order: Katherine Froehlich called the meeting to order at 12:00 PM.

Old Business

Prioritizing ideas for action Katherine had contacted her identified agencies and was awaiting word back from them. Other members of the committee are to bring their lists of their organizations and the results from their phone calls to these agencies to the November meeting.

New Business

KUMC Diversity Coordinator Mr. Chuck Romero, KUMC Diversity Coordinator, visited with the SAH Diversity Committee today and presented a Powerpoint presentation about his role as the KUMC Diversity Coordinator and his ideas for advancing diversity here at KUMC. Sandy has requested a copy of this presentation and will attach it to these minutes for any absent members to review.

The main theme of Mr. Romero's report was his overall vision of where KUMC is going, how we can get there, and a discussion regarding cultural competency and its impact on the medical center.

A discussion followed, expressing the thoughts and views of the individual members of the SAH Diversity Committee. Thank you, Mr. Romeo for an hour of enrichment.

Adjournment

Katherine Froehlich adjourned the meeting at 1:00 PM. The next meeting will be held November 7th 10th.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandy Johnston, RHIA
Secretary