

City of Westfield  
Health Plan Trustees Meeting  
Conference Room 315  
January 30, 2026

**Trustees:**

Present: Matthew Barnes, Vicki Moro, Shannon Barry, Jamie Naughton and Anne Larkham

Absent: none

Also in attendance: none

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The meeting was called to order by Vicki Moro at 2:00 PM.

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The minutes of this meeting were taken by Matthew Barnes.

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The following agenda items were discussed at this meeting:

- A motion was made by Anne Larkham, seconded by Shannon Barry and voted 5-0 to approve the minutes of the January 14, 2026 meeting.
- Public Participation: Alison Frary had questions regarding information presented at the January 14, 2026 meeting. Anne Larkham said she would meet with Alison Frary to provide the answers.
- GLP-1 coverage and PEC negotiation: Anne Larkham watched the GIC meeting held in mid-January. The meeting discussed potential changes to GLP-1 coverage, plan co-pays and deductibles. There was no final decision at the meeting. The GIC is expected to vote at their next meeting on February 12, 2026. The IAC met and recommended completely removing GLP-1 coverage. Anne Larkham stated the Mayor's preference is to remove the GLP-1 coverage, but is also fine with option 3. Health New England will continue to cover GLP-1s, but members need to follow their weight loss program to maintain coverage. Anne Larkham provided the trustees with two options: wait until the GIC meeting to decide on the coverage or take a vote now and she would begin the PEC process. The trustees were concerned about 8% premium increases to maintain GLP-1 coverage, in addition to the annual rate increase. Shannon Barry made the motion to recommend removing GLP-1 coverage from the Blue Cross Blue Shield Plan effective with the 7/1/26 renewal. The motion was seconded by Anne Larkham and approved 5-0.
- A motion was made by Anne Larkham, seconded by Jamie Naughton and voted 5-0 to adjourn the meeting at 2:20 PM.