

BYLAWS

OF THE METROPOLITAN BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY, TENNESSEE

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Amended July 10, 2025

Article I: Name

The name of this board shall be the Metropolitan Board of Health, or such other name as is designated by the Charter of the Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County, Tennessee (hereinafter, "Charter").

Article II: Object

The object of this board shall be to perform the functions and duties set forth in state law, the Charter and related Ordinances.

Article III: Members and Officers

The membership of this board, qualifications, term and selection of members and officers shall be designated by the Charter.

Article IV: Meetings

- Section 1.** The regular meetings of the Board shall be held on the second Thursday of each month unless otherwise ordered by the Board.
- Section 2.** Special meetings may be called by the Chairman. The purpose of the meeting shall be stated in the call. Except in cases of emergency, at least three days' notice shall be given.
- Section 3.** Notice of meetings shall be posted in compliance with the laws of the State of Tennessee.
- Section 4.** Four members of the seven-member board shall constitute quorum.

Article V: Committees

Such committees, standing or special, shall be appointed by the Chairman as the board shall from time to time deem necessary to carry on the work of the board.

Article VI: Parliamentary Authority

The rules contained in the current edition of *Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised* shall govern the board in all cases to which they are applicable and in which they are not inconsistent with these bylaws, the Charter or Metropolitan ordinances, state law, and any special rules of order that the board may adopt.

Article VII: Amendment of Bylaws

These bylaws may be amended at any regular meeting of the board by a two-thirds vote, provided that the amendment has been submitted in writing at the previous regular meeting.

