

PA Compact Executive Committee Meeting Minutes

November 12, 2025

Name	Member Role	Voting Member	Attendance
Tim Terranova	Chair	X	Χ
Marisa Courtney	Vice-Chair	X	X
Jamie Alley	Secretary	X	
Larry Marx	Treasurer	X	X
Elizabeth Huntley	Executive At Large	X	Х
Justin Hepner	Executive At Large	X	X
Paula Martinez	Executive At Large	X	Х
Total voting members present			6/7
Greg Thomas	Ex-Officio – NCCPA		Χ
Kathy Scarbalis	Ex-Officio – AAPA		X
Name	Non-Member Role		Attendance
Nahale Kalfas	Interim Legal Counsel		Χ
Carl Sims	Interim Staff Support		X
Abigail Mortell	Interim Executive Director		X

Name	Approve Amended Agenda	Approve 10/8 Minutes	
Tim			
Terranova			
Marisa	1		
Courtney			
Jamie Alley			
Larry Marx		1	
Elizabeth		2	
Huntley			
Justin			
Hepner			
Paula	2		
Martinez			

Call to Order

Chair Terranova calls the meeting to order at 3:01 p.m. ET

9 Roll Call

10 A. Mortell calls roll.

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Review and Adopt Agenda

13 Committee reviews agenda.

Motion:

- Marisa Courtney motions to adopt the agenda.
- Paula Martinez seconds motion.
- All members present voted in favor; none abstained; motion passed.

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Review and Approve Draft Minutes

Committee reviews minutes. Chair Terranova notes a necessary amendment to the last sentence to change "Chair Courtney adjourns meeting" to "Chair Terranova adjourns meeting."

Motion:

- Larry Marx motions to adopt draft minutes as amended from 10/08/25.
- Elizabeth Huntley seconds motion.
- All members present voted in favor; none abstained; motion passed.

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Legislative Update

C. Sims gives a legislative update. Active legislation can also be seen on the map on the PA Website: https://www.pacompact.org/#compact

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• There are four states with active legislation: MA, MI, NJ, and PA.

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Committee and re-committed to Appropriations on 10/29/25. Pennsylvania SB1051 was referred to Senate Consumer Protection 10/15/25. The issuance of CMS's RHTP NOFO spurred legislative action in Pennsylvania.

Pennsylvania HB1961 was reported as committed by the House Professional Licensure

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 Today, 11/12/25, Michigan HB4309 was reported favorably from the Senate Health Policy Committee.

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• Tomorrow, 11/13/25, New Jersey A4328 and S3560 will be heard by the Senate Budget and Appropriations Committee.

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• Massachusetts H2531 was reported favorably by the House Public Health Committee and referred to the Health Care Financing Committee on 10/27/25 and is now in a holding pattern.

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Since the last Executive Committee meeting, CSG met with AAPA to plan for the 2026 legislative session, and six states were identified as priority states and 17 as possibilities for compact introduction in 2026.

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Committee Reports and Review and Approval of FY26 Draft Budget

Finance – has not met since last Executive Committee meeting.

Draft budget was approved by the commission at the full commission meeting on November 3,
 2025.

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Rules – met Monday, November 10, 2025.

- Chair Terranova explains the committee approved draft rules 3 and 4 for transmission to the Executive Committee on Monday, 11/10/25. Members of this committee will receive the rules ahead of the December meeting to allow ample time for review ahead of discussion.
 - N. Kalfas notes the Rules Committee's intention to turn to the rule on joint investigations next.

Communications – has not met since last Executive Committee meeting. Next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, December 4, 2025, at 2pm ET.

 Chair Terranova notes the committee will work on the next newsletter during their December meeting.

RHTP NOFO Request for Comment

- Chair Terranova explains the commission was approached by InsideHealthPolicy for comment
 on the CMS's Rural Health Transformation Program Notification of Funding Opportunity. The
 questions, Chair Terranova's response, and the resulting article were shared with the committee
 in today's meeting materials. Chair Terranova's comments were brief, nothing that the
 commission was not involved in the decision to include the PA Compact in the RHTP application,
 the commission is pleased it is included, and the commission is not involved in the preparation
 of states' applications. The other commissions who provided comments shared similar
 sentiments based on the article.
 - No comments or questions from the committee.

RFP Update and Data System Proposal Assessment Rubric

- Chair Terranova updates the committee that the commission is waiting for proposals from vendors, which are due December 19, 2025. Proposals will be reviewed during the committee's January meeting. A sample rubric to guide the commission's assessment of vendor proposals was shared in today's meeting materials.
 - Chair Terranova poses the option of editing the rubric now if the committee has
 questions, comments, or additions, or using this rubric as is, sending it to committee
 members along with the received proposals, and adding to the rubric then if needed.
 - L. Marx agrees with Chair Terranova's suggestion that this rubric be used and sent to committee members to use during their review of the proposals, and additions to the rubric can be made if the committee determines additional categories are necessary.

Delegate Questions and Comments

• Chair Terranova mentions that December's meeting will likely take the whole meeting time since the committee will review draft rules 3 and 4, and January's meeting will also be longer than today's meeting as the committee will begin reviewing data system proposals.

Public Questions and Comments

None.

Adjourn

Hearing no further business or discussion, Chair Terranova adjourned the meeting at 3:17 p.m. ET.