Public Health Committee of the
Public Health and Health Planning Council
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Welcome and Introductions
Chair: Dr. Jo Ivey Boufford

Progress Report on Public Health and Health Planning Council
Recommendations: Maternal Mortality (January 2016)
Dr. Boufford

State’s efforts to reduce Maternal Mortality
Lauren J. Tobias, Director,
Division of Family Health

Maternal Mortality Reviews
Dr. Marilyn Kacica, Medical
Director, NYS DOH, Division of
Family Health

Christa Christakis, Executive
Director, American Congress of
Obstetricians and Gynecologists
(ACOG) District II

Partnership for Maternal Health and Preconception Care
Dr. Kacica, Christa Christakis
and Kris Mesler, Director,
Bureau, Women, Infants and
Adolescent Health, Division of
Family Health

Perinatal Regionalization
Wendy Shaw, Associate
Director, Division of Family
Health

Maternity Bundle under Value-Based Payment
Dr. Doug Fish, Medical Director,
NYS DOH, Office of Health
Insurance Programs

Next Steps