

**SAC Medical Use Working Group**  
**Minutes of meeting**  
**September 18, 2002**

Present at the meeting:

Dr. Jim Kolb, Patricia Worden, Dr. Mike Foley, Allen Reedy,  
Dr. Bob Carey, Joe Carabello, Lynn Lowenstein, Dr. Jerry Slate,  
Cindy Friedman, Charlie Foskett, John Berkoben

- The meeting was called to order by Bob Carey at 7:15 PM. The minutes of the September 11 Meeting were accepted.
- The ratings of possible medical uses were discussed and it was agreed that they will be collated by Bob Carey for the next meeting.
- An extensive discussion ensued as to how to recruit more medical services to this location. It was agreed we should try to recruit more physicians with an emphasis on primary care. To do this it was agreed that certain services would be needed.. Mammography, CT scan, ultrasound, and contrast x ray studies in addition to the plain x rays provided by Lahey were listed first. Also an endoscopy unit would attract gastroenterologists and would serve the pulmonologist, Dr. Slate, already here. EKG and stress testing with echo and a blood drawing station are already provided by Lahey.
- Other allopathic medical services which would be very helpful to the community include obstetrics and gynecology, dermatology, podiatry, a dialysis unit, a day surgical center, and mental health services.
- Complementary medicine also was proposed to add to the acupuncture already available..
- A mission statement will be prepared by Dr. Slate and Allen Reedy and presented to the group for amendments and approval.

The next meeting was scheduled for September 25. A motion was made to adjourn the meeting at 9:15 PM and unanimously approved.

Robert J, Carey