



## March GSA Meeting 03.13.2024

### 1. Approval of September Minutes

### 2. Invited Speakers

- Division of Student Health and Well-Being
  - Director of Operations Website Update: The website has been revamped for greater clarity and ease of access to information about various services and resources. You can explore the updates at [wellbeing.jhu.edu](https://wellbeing.jhu.edu).
  - Opening of SHWB Suite in DC: Scheduled for August 2023.
  - BHCST Expansion: The Behavioral Health Crisis Support Team has been expanded to the East Baltimore campus since August 20023 and now provides virtual response services in DC.
  - Single Shared HER: Implementation of a single shared Electronic Health Record to support holistic, comprehensive care.

### 3. Jackie Stone, Executive Director of Student Well-Being

- Health Promotion and Well-Being
- Works on Health Education
  - Educational Campaigns, Programming, and Outreach
  - Individual Consultations
  - Educational Training with Faculty and Staff
- Gender-Based Violence Prevention, Education, and Response
  - Programming and Outreach
  - Confidential Consultation and Support
- Well-Being Communications
  - Promotion of Resources, Services, and Events Through Website, Social Media, Newsletter, and Related Channels
  - Check out [You Decide](#) for more information.
- JHU 24/7 Sexual Assault Helpline: Confidential and available 24/7 at 410-516-7333.

### 4. Sean Hefferman, Mental Health

- Rebranded Mental Health Services: Services have been rebranded to ensure uniformity across campuses.
- Mental Health Services - East Baltimore
- Developments to Services: Online scheduling capabilities, ADHD medication protocol and support, and single session interventions have been introduced.
- Access to Mental Health Services
  - 20-25 Minute Telemedicine Appointment
  - Same and Next-Day Initial Consultation Appointments
- Services Available
  - Goal-Oriented Individual Therapy
  - Therapy Groups (Coming to East Baltimore in Fall 2024)
  - Skill-Based Drop-In
  - Anonymous Interactive Screening for Stress and Depression
  - Timely Care: Talk Now - On-Demand Healthcare Counseling 24/7 Care
    - Not Affiliated with Hopkins
    - 12 Free Scheduled Counseling Visits per Academic Year
    - Psychiatric Evaluation and Medication Management (No Controlled Substances)
- Amber Richert, Primary Care Director
  - Rebranding to Primary Care - East Baltimore
  - Added Same-Day Appointments and Slots Saved for Special Cases
  - Lab Services Available at JHOC Express Testing
  - Now Can Get Labs Done at JHOC and Later in Spring Can Draw Blood on Site
  - Rollout of University-Wide Vaccination Policy
  - Full Scope Primary Care for a Wide Variety of Services
- Cathie Axe, Student Disability Services
  - Accommodation Process
    1. Student Completes Application
    2. Uploads Documentation
    3. Meets with SDS
    4. Student Notifies Faculty
  - Breaking Down Barriers: The New SDS Newsletter That Provides Monthly Updates and Reminders About

- Changes Within SDS Profiles of Disabled Students, Faculty, and Staff
  - Updates About Accommodations and Services
  - Disability-Related Events and News at Hopkins and in the Community
  - Information About Subscribing and Access to Past Issues Is Available on the New [SDS Website](#)
  - Student/Learner Health Benefits - Chrissy T. Clair
    - Preventive Services Are Covered at 100%
    - No Copays Associated with Visits at SHWB-EB
    - In-Network and Out-of-Network Mental Health Benefits Are Covered at 90%
    - For Lowest Out-of-Pocket Costs, Visit an In-Network Provider on the Cigna Website
    - Primary Care Number: 410-955-3250 to Call if Unsure to Go to Urgent Care or Emergency or if Have Any Questions Out of Hours
      - Is Always a Nurse Available
    - JHU Central Benefits Team Email: [jhustudentbenefits@jhu.edu](mailto:jhustudentbenefits@jhu.edu)
5. Executive Officer Announcements:
- President (Rodney Eric Williams) & President-Elect (Scarlett Ge)
    - Mentoring Survey Due by March 15
    - Cooley Center Will Remain Open Until Around August
    - Graduate Student Teaching Award Finalist
    - Graduate Student Convocation Speaker
6. Director of Administration (Nirvani Jairam)
- March Student Spotlight Winners
  - Congratulations to Irika Sinha and Rodnie Colon-Ortiz!
7. Director of Diversity, Inclusion, and Outreach (Ashley Chen)
- Second Look
  - Update from CSAC (Cross-Institutional Student Advisory Committee)
    1. OneHop
    2. Cross-Campus Cooperation
    3. Stellic
  - Director of Finance (Estefan Santi)
    - Travel Awards Due April 1st
    - Reminder to Complete Taxes
  - Director of Social and Community Affairs (Mark Jacob)
    - JHU at the DC Blossoms March 30<sup>th</sup>, 2024
    - Tickets are Sold Out but Waitlist is Available.
  - Director of Media and Public Relations (Juliane Liberto)
  - Director of Student Involvement and Student Groups (Edna Ferreira)
    - One Funding Request That Requires Full Council Vote
    - Women of Whiting - \$1000 for Women in STEM Symposium (April 20th) for Transportation/Honorarium for Guest Speakers and Keynote Speaker
    - Any Remainder Will Go to Financial Aid for Students to Print Posters for the Symposium
  - Director of Policy and Strategic Initiatives (Nick Zhu)
1. **Program Representative Announcements**
  2. **Student Group Announcements**
  3. **University Committee Announcements**
  4. **Misc. Announcements**

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