ADAMHS BOARD OF CUYAHOGA COUNTY
ALCOHOL, DRUG ADDICTION & MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS FOR FY 2027

Revised as of 07/01/2026

FAITH-BASED OUTREACH COMMITTEE - (7 Members)

- ***The Faith-Based Outreach Committee meets the 1st Wednesday of every even-numbered month at 4:00 pm with the exception of August & December.***
  *(*Indicates Community Representatives appointed to the Faith-based Outreach Committee per ADAMHS Board Bylaws.)*

Rev. Benjamin F. Gohlstin, Sr., Committee Chair
Patricia James-Stewart, M.Ed., LSW, Committee Vice Chair
Ashwani Bhardwaj
*Dr. Benjamin Franklin, Jr.
Charles Garven, M.D.
Linda D. Johanek
*Mary Louise Tatum, MSN, MPH, RN, PMHNP-BC

COMMUNITY RELATIONS & ADVOCACY (CR&A) COMMITTEE - (9 members)

- ***CR&A Committee meets on the 1st Wednesday of every "odd numbered" month at 4:00 PM with the exception of July.***
  *(*Indicates Community Representatives appointed to the Community Relations & Advocacy Committee per ADAMHS Board Bylaws.)*

Ashwani Bhardwaj, Committee Chair
Anita Gray, Committee Vice Chair
Reginald C. Blue, Ph.D.
Erskine Cade, MBA
*Bianca Crawford
James T. Dixon
Patricia James-Stewart, M.Ed., LSW
Linda D. Johanek
Kathryn Y. Parks, MBA, MA, LPC, LICDC

FINANCE & OVERSIGHT (F&O) COMMITTEE - (10 Members)

- ***Meets on the 3rd Wednesday monthly at 4:00 PM with the exception of July, August & December.***

Bishara W. Addison, Committee Chair
Norman A. Bliss, Committee Vice Chair
Ashwani Bhardwaj
Reginald C. Blue, Ph.D.
Erskine Cade, MBA
James T. Dixon
Rev. Benjamin F. Gohlstin, Sr.
Hallie R. Israel
Patricia James-Stewart, M.Ed., LSW
Steve Killpack, MS

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE - (6 Members)

- ***The Executive Committee consists of Board Officers & Committee Chairs; meets as needed.***

Patricia James-Stewart, M.Ed., LSW, Board Chair & Executive Committee Chair
James T. Dixon, Vice Chair & Nominating Committee Chair
Norman A. Bliss, Second Vice Chair
Bishara W. Addison, Finance & Oversight Committee Chair
Ashwani Bhardwaj, Community Relations & Advocacy Committee Chair
Rev. Benjamin F. Gohlstin, Sr., Faith-based Outreach Committee Chair

NOMINATING COMMITTEE - (7 Members)

- ***The Nominating Committee meets as needed.***

James T. Dixon, Committee Chair
Reginald C. Blue, Ph.D., Committee Vice Chair
Erskine Cade, MBA
Charles Garven, M.D.
Rev. Benjamin F. Gohlstin, Sr.
Anita Gray
Molly Wimbiscus, M.D.