## **APPOINTMENT**

Approving the reappointment of Dr. Edith Shapira to serve as a member of the Allegheny County Board of Health, for a term to expire on January 12, 2017.

## SPONSORED BY CHIEF EXECUTIVE FITZGERALD

In Council	Feb	1812	, 2014.

Read and approved by Motion of Council.

John P. DeFazio President of Council

Attest:

Jared Barker Chief Clerk

**Allegheny County Council** 

January 9, 2014

Honorable President and Members of Council Allegheny County Council 119 Courthouse Pittsburgh, PA 15219

Dear Members of Council:

Please find the attached resume of Dr. Edith Shapira whom I am recommending for reappointment to the Allegheny County Board of Health.

The powers and duties of the Health Board are set out in Section 12011 of Act 315, Local Health Administration Law, as amended. This Board shall exercise rule making power by formulation of rules for the prevention of disease, removal of conditions which constitute a menace to health and promote and preserve public health. I am recommending that Dr. Shapira serve a four year term ending on January 12, 2017.

Dr. Shapira is currently a practicing psychiatrist in the Pittsburgh region. She received her bachelor's degree in psychology and her medical degree from the University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine. In addition to her thriving practice she is involved in numerous community and civic organizations,

I appreciate your consideration, and ask you to act on this appointment as quickly as possible. Dr. Shapira will make herself available for review before the appropriate committee if members of Council wish to speak with her.

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Sincerely,

Rich Fitzgerald

Allegheny County Executive

CC: Dr. Edith Shapira

#### Curriculm Vitae

NAME: Edith Laura Shapira, M.D. BIRTH DATE: September 26, 1953 BIRTHPLACE: Pittsburgh, PA

CITIZENSHIP: USA

HOME ADDRESS: 6550 Beacon Street

Pittsburgh, PA 15217

(412) 521-8742

BUSINESS ADDRESS: 401 Shady Avenue

Suite A 205

Pittsburgh, PA 15206

(412) 363-6222

**EDUCATION AND TRAINING** 

<u>UNDERGRADUATE</u>

1970-1971

1973-1976

Oberlin College

1976

B.A., with Honors,

Oberlin, Ohio

Psychobiology

**GRADUATE** 

1976-1980

University of Pittsburgh 1980

M.D.

School of Medicine Pittsburgh, PA

POST GRADUATE

7/80-8/80

4/81-2/82

University of Pittsburgh

Internship: Medicine and General

**Psychiatry** 

School of Medicine Western Psychiatric

Institute and Clinic Pittsburgh, PA

7/87-7/88

University of West Virginia Residency, Psychiatry

Allegheny General Hospital

PGY-II (6 mos)

Pittsburgh, PA

7/88-12/90

University of Pittsburgh

Residency, Psychiatry

Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic

Pittsburgh, PA

### **CERTIFICATION AND LICENSURE**

1982	Diplomate of the National Board of Medical Examiners
1982	Medical License, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
1992	Diplomate, American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology

## MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL AND SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES

1981-present	Allegheny County Medical Society
1981-present	Pennsylvania Medical Society
1981-present	American Medical Association
1988-present	American Psychiatric Association
1990-present	Pittsburgh Psychiatric Society

## **PUBLICATIONS**

Laser J, Shapira E, McAnulty J, Rahimtoola S: Exercise pulmonary resistance as a predictor of vascular resistance following mitral valve replacement. Abstract, American Heart Association 52nd Scientific Session, 1979.

### **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

1991-present	Private practice in General Psychiatry, solo practitioner
1991-present	Volunteer faculty UPMC-WPIC, Clinical Assistant Professor of
	Psychiatry in the School of Medicine, Dept of Psychiatry
1991-present	Psychotherapy Supervisor for WPIC residents
1989-90	Member, Residency Selection Committee, WPIC
1991-93	Secretary, Executive Committee of the Medical Staff, WPIC
1993-95	Treasurer, Clinical Care Committee, WPIC
1993-2003	Member, Clinical Care Committee, WPIC
1993-1997	Member, Medical Executive Committee, UPMC
1995, 1997,	1999 Member, Nominating Committee, Medical Executive Committee,
	UPMC

#### **AWARDS**

2006	Named a Distinguished Daughter of PA by Governor Ed Rendell
2002-present	Selected each year since 2002 as a Best Doctor in Pittsburgh,
<del>-</del>	Pittsburgh Magazine

#### **COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

### The Pittsburgh Foundation

1/1/2013-present	Chair, Board of Trustees
10/2003-3/2012	Member, Board of Trustees
10/2003-3/2012	Member, Program and Policy Committee
4/2008-3/2012	Chair, Program and Policy Committee
4/2008-3/2012	Member, Governance Committee
4/2008-3/2012	Member, Executive Committee
2004-2007	Member, Human Resources Committee

### The Pittsburgh Promise

9-2008-present Member, Board of Directors

<u>Riverlife Task Force</u>, appointed by City of Pittsburgh Mayor Tom

Murphy

1999-2010 Member, Task Force, which became Board of

Trustees

1/2012-present Rejoined the Board of Directors after 1 year absence

4/2000-2003 Chair, Urban Design Committee 7/2000-12/2010 Member, Executive Committee 1/2004-12/2006 Co-chair, Riverlife Task Force

### Charles E Kaufman Foundation of the Pittsburgh Foundation

2011-present Member, Board of Directors

#### **Allegheny County Board of Health**

3/2012-present Member, Allegheny County Board of Health, appointed by County

Executive Rich Fitzgerald

7/2012-present Member, Allegheny County Health Department Strategic

Planning Committee

11/2012-5/2013 Co-chair Search Committee to hire new Director of the ACHD

# Past Board service

9/2003-1/2013 public	Sports and Exhibition Authority  Member, Board of Trustees-appointed by County Executive, Jim Roddey, reappointed by Dan Onorato. This is a City-County
2005-2012	authority. Secretary, Board of Trustees SEA
2005-2011	Urban League of Pittsburgh Member, Board of Trustees
2005-5/2008	Western PA Conservancy Member, Board of Directors
2004-5/2013	University of Pittsburgh, School of Social Work Member, Board of Visitors
2007-2008	Magee Hospital Member, Board of Directors
2006-2008	Regional Water Management Task Force, Institute of Politics  Member, Task Force
2011-2013	Member Shale Gas Roundtable, Institute of Politics
1995-2003	<u>University of Pittsburgh Medical Center</u> Member, Board of Trustees, Presbyterian University Hospital, which was reorganized in 1997 into the Joint Presbyterian-Shadyside Boards of Directors, University of Pittsburgh Medical Center
2001-2003	Joint Presbyterian-Shadyside Boards of Directors  Member, Joint Conference Committee, reorganized in 1998 as the Patient Care Committee,
2001-2003 2001-2003	Member Quality Patient Care Committee of the UPMC Health System Member UPMC Health System Community Health Committee

	Institute For Transfusion Medicine
	(parent corp. for The Blood Bank)
1997-9/2006	Member, Board of Trustees
1998-9/2006	Member, Nominating Committee
2000-9/2006	Chair, Nominating Committee
	A + Schools
2004-2007	Member, Board of Directors
	Winchester-Thurston School
1989-1999	Member, Board of Trustees
1989-1999	Member, Executive Committee
1993-1999	Member, Nominating Committee
1989-1993	Chair, Admissions and Marketing Committee
1993-1994	Chair, Committee on Trustees
1994-1995	Chair, School Mission and Long Range Planning Committee
1995-1999	Vice-President, Board of Trustees
	United JewishFederation
1999-2001	Member, Urban Affairs Foundation
	Beginning With Books
1999-2001	Member, Board of Trustees



# COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY

#### OFFICE OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL

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February 19, 2014

Dr. Edith Shapira 6550 Beacon Street Pittsburgh, PA 15217

Dear Dr. Shapira:

This is to inform you that at the Regular Meeting of Allegheny Council held on February 18, 2014 Council approved your reappointment to serve as a member of the Allegheny County Board of Health, for a term to expire on January 12, 2017.

Congratulations on your reappointment and best of luck in this undertaking. We look forward to receiving your recommendations and stand willing to assist you in any way you believe appropriate.

Sincerely,

Jan Rea, Appointment Review Committee Chair

Allegheny County Council

Jan Rea

Dr. Karen A. Hacker, Director, Allegheny County Health Department

JR/sb

cc: