



**Office of Border Public Health**

**Task Force of Border Health Officials**

Statutorily mandated	Jurisdiction	Role/voting status
(Alphabetical order by last name)	(County/City)	
Richard Chamberlain, DrPH Director of the Health Department	City of Laredo	voting member
Esmeralda Guajardo, MAHS Health Administrator	Cameron County	voting member
Cynthia A. Gutiérrez, MD Director of Public Health	City of Pharr	voting member
Shannon Harvill Director of Environmental Health	City of Harlingen	voting member
Steven M. Kotsatos, RS Director of Health	City of Mission	voting member
Hector Ocaranza, MD, MPH, FAAP Interim Director of Public Health	City of El Paso	Vice-Chair/voting member
Eduardo Olivarez Chief Administrative Officer Health and Human Services	Hidalgo County	voting member
Arturo Rodriguez, DNP, MPH, CPM Director of Health, Wellness and Animal Services	City of Brownsville	Chair/voting member
Nancy P. Treviño Director Health and Code Compliance	City of McAllen	voting member
<b>Ex-officio Appointees</b>		
Vacant	Lieutenant Governor	non-voting member
State Representative Bobby Guerra	Speaker of the House	non-voting member
<b>DSHS Appointees</b>		
Emily Prot, DO, MPH	PHR 11 RMD	voting member
Lillian Ringsdorf, MD, MPH	PHR 8 RMD	voting member
Vacant	PHR 9/10 RMD	voting member