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*Louisa County Interagency Council*  
Virginia Cooperative Extension Meeting Room  
June 12, 2014  
9:30am

MINUTES

**Individuals Present**

Susan Colvin, Virginia Cooperative Extension; Sunny Leporati, JABA; Becky Peterson, Louisa Resource Council; Neil Chance, District 9 P&P; Laurien Jeffers, VOL & LEC; Deborah Anama, PREP/Parent Resource Council; James Quinn, OKC; Wendy Morris, MACAA; Gary Pond, McGuire VA Medical Center; Heather Boe, Piedmont CASA; Lisa Rengers, DSS-VIEW/Reentry Council; Pam Matthews, JABA; Willie Genry, LCBOS; Lin Kogle, Faith in Action; Kathryn Whitestone, Thomas Jefferson Health District; Sara Pennington, RideShare; Whitney Deane, Louisa County CSA

**Call to Order**

Meeting was called to order at 9:36am by Sara Pennington, Chair of the LIAC.

**Introductions**

Individuals introduced themselves

**Presentation**

Gary Pond, Rural Health Initiative Program at the McGuire VA Medical Center in Richmond, VA

- Mission Statement: Improve access and quality of care for veterans
- Program is comprised of 3 sections: Veteran enrollment, veteran-community partnerships, and health and wellness education.
- Rural Health Team that work to help the veterans
- Veteran enrollment: gateway into Veterans Healthcare System, Streamline services, determine eligibility (processioning all veterans for registration, DD214- report of separation, 10-10EZ- application for health benefits), follow through to final determination.
- Veteran-Community Partnerships (VCP): increase community awareness of unique veteran needs, foster seamless transition between VA & Community Services, build community relationships & strengthen VA ties, enhance continuum of care, education VA on programs and services in the community, identify programs & services to support family caregivers
- Rural Health Services: Eligibility determination, enrollment and registration, community partnerships, outreach events, primary care on mobile clinic
- Health Education and services: diabetes self-care, MOVE! Program, Hypertension, Cholesterol

- Additional educational services: PTSD, Military sexual trauma, immunizations, reflux-gastroesophageal reflux
- Additional services from the VA: women veterans health care, mental health services- PTSD, Substance Abuse, homelessness, suicide awareness, military sexual trauma counseling
  - Transportation
  - Telehealth
  - Patient-aligned care team (PACT)
  - Polytrauma
  - Caregiver support
  - Home Base Primary Care
  - Nursing Home and Services
- Mobile Medical Units (MMU's)
  - Provider, nurse on the unit. Complete physical examinations on the veterans
  - Mobile Medical Unit calendar set-up for the month
  - Appointments are made prior however, individuals are able to walk-in to the MMU to see if they are qualified to receive benefits

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- Gary Pond, Department of Veterans Affairs (804) 675-5559, [gary.pond@va.gov](mailto:gary.pond@va.gov)

**New Business**

- a. Agency updates

Reentry Council

Now accepting referrals. Intake is every other Friday in DHS. The goal is to help folks that are entering the community after incarceration.

Piedmont Court Appointment Special Advocates (CASA)

Fostering Futures program training is beginning- the program allows CASAs to serve young adults in foster care that elect to stay in DHS custody over 18 years old.

Thomas Jefferson Health District

Move to Health challenge in June 1<sup>st</sup>-July31<sup>st</sup>. Sign up at [www.move2healthcentralva.org](http://www.move2healthcentralva.org)

Healthy eating challenge will be coming this fall

Snack chat campaign- reaching out to the youth- take a picture of healthy snacks and tag it with #M2HSnackChat

### PREP/Parent Resource Center

Looking for ways to let parents know about the program so please let her know about community events that reach

### Resource Council

If you buy the reusable bag at Food Lion for \$1.19, the proceeds go to the community cupboard

### JABA

Happy Birthday fundraiser! 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Fundraiser at the Betty Queen Center- Come out and join the party, where you are our special guest! Enjoy an afternoon of delicious food, a live auction full of goodies and of course birthday cake! All proceeds benefit the JABA's Louisa Community Center and Home Delivered Mean Program. \$10/ticket

Care Transitions Program- program is designed to work with people who are readmitted back into the hospital within 30 days of discharge. Coaching style program. The coach makes certain the patient is following the doctor's orders, taking medications properly, attending follow-up appointments, etc. JABA is accepting referrals now.

### **Old Business**

#### Faith in ACTION Subcommittee

July 14<sup>th</sup> is the 3<sup>rd</sup> Gathering for faith-based organizations at the Betty Queen Center. Interagency Council members are welcome to attend. Faith in ACTION is now on the Louisa IAC website.

#### Board of Supervisors Subcommittee

Agency presentations are going well- the Board is finding the presentations helpful.

#### Other

Agencies were encouraged to visit the Louisa Infographic at <http://bit.ly/1kGPNkE> and post it on Facebook, Twitter, etc.

Open Knowledge Collaborative: ReferAll network is now on the web. ReferAll is an online system with organizations, maps, directions, etc. to find services. Provide any and all feedback to OKC.

If you would like information about your agency set-up at the Agricultural Fair, please bring information to Laurien Jeffers at the July IAC meeting. The Ag Fair is on August 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup>

Meeting adjourned at 10:33am