

Prince William County LHRC

Meeting Minutes

12/4/2024

5:30pm

Location: Bull Run Library- 8051 Ashton Ave, Manassas, VA 20109

Microsoft Teams Link:

<https://events.gcc.teams.microsoft.com/event/f3e4813b-3fb1-4bcc-bdd1-53fb1639bb09@620ae5a9-4ec1-4fa0-8641-5d9f386c7309>

MEMBERS PRESENT

Susan Evers – Chairperson

Alice Felker – Member

Donna Ferguson – Member

Sheandar Peterkin - Member

MEMBERS PRESENT VIRTUALLY

Sherry Pritchert – Member (Participated virtually due to a personal matter)

OTHERS PRESENT VIRTUALLY

Tracey Thomas- Wall Residences, Inc.

Julie Allen- Allied Behavior Consulting, LLC

Katherine Vitale – Community Visions

Patricia Hartsock – Community Concepts

Jina Kang – Service Source

Kathleen Baker – Service Source

Christina Nicol – VOSAC

CALL TO ORDER

Susan Evers called the meeting to order at 5:40pm.

ROLL CALL/ ATTENDANCE

All members present in person and virtually have introduced themselves.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Susan Evers motioned for the agenda to be approved. Donna Ferguson seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously approved by all committee members present.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Susan Evers motioned for the meeting minutes from 9/04/2024 to be approved and Alice Felker seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously approved by all committee members present.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

None.

CHAIR ANNOUNCEMENTS

None.

ADVOCATE REPORT

Q3(7/1/2024-9/30/2024) ANE/Complaint Data

CSB

Abuse (ANE) - 12 Substantiated (ANE)- 7

Complaints- 7 Substantiated Complaints- 2

Community Providers

Abuse- 227 Substantiated (ANE)- 80

Complaints – 48 Substantiated Complaints- 2

Variances

Region 2 currently has one active variance for Youth For Tomorrow in regard to communication via telephone and visitation.

Updates

- We are always recruiting LHRC members to join the LHRCs in Region 2. We are currently recruiting for members with Consumer, Professional, or Healthcare Provider Interests. Please contact Diana Atcha via email at Diana.Atcha@dbhds.virginia.gov if you or someone you know interested in becoming a member of one of these committees.

Trainings

- The next LHRC New Member Orientation will be on Tuesday, 12/17/24 from 9am-11am. New LHRC members will receive notice in their appointment letters regarding attending Orientation and viewing the other training materials (Overview HRR, LHRC Forms, Fact Finding Hearings, FOIA). Training opportunities will be announced in your orientation packets.
- The Office of Human Rights 2024 Quarterly Training schedule for community providers is posted to the OHR webpage. Providers must pre-register for the training in order to access the meeting link.

Upcoming 2024 SHRC Meeting: The last SHRC meeting for 2024 will be held on Thursday, December 12, 2024 at Central Office in Richmond.

OLD BUSINESS

None.

NEW BUSINESS

The LHRC discussed the proposed 2025 LHRC meeting schedule and confirmed the dates. The team also discussed ideas for potential meeting locations as an alternative to using the library rooms. Other community locations will be explored by the Regional Human Rights Manager per the committee's suggestions.

CLOSED SESSION

Upon a motion made by Susan Evers and seconded by Sherry Pritchert, the committee entered closed session pursuant to Virginia Code §2.2-3711, a.15 and §2.2-37.05.5 for the purpose of discussion of treatment plans.

Individual #1: Wall Residences/ Allied Behavioral Consulting, Return to PWC LHRC on 4/2/2024

Individual #2: Community Concepts/ Allied Behavioral Consulting, Return to PWC LHRC on 4/2/2025.

Individual #3: Service Source, Return to PWC LHRC on 2/5/2025.

Individual #4 VOSAC, Return to PWC LHRC on 2/5/2025.

RETURN TO OPEN SESSION

Upon reconvening in open session, each member certified that, to the best of each member's knowledge, only private business matters, lawfully exempted from statutory open session requirements and identified in the motion by which the closed session was convened, were considered in the closed session, namely, to review an Individual's restrictive plan. Susan Evers motioned to implement the recommendations made in closed session. The motion was seconded by Sherry Pritchard. The vote was unanimously approved by all committee members present.

MEETING ADJOURNED

Susan Evers officially adjourned the meeting at 6:31pm.

The next Prince William County LHRC meeting will be on 2/5/2025.