



February 13, 2009

Heart Disease and Stroke Prevention Task Force Meeting  
Mississippi State Health Department  
Osborne Building, Conference Room 203

- Review of Minutes from Nov. 14, 2008
- Speaker's Bureau
  - Presentation Updates
  - Speaker's Bureau Evaluation Form
- Partnership Needs Assessment Form
- House Bill 759 and House Bill 1184
  - Annual Reporting
  - Representative from all agencies, organizations or entities
- School Nurse Childhood Obesity Prevention Education (S.C.O.P.E.)
- Empowering Communities Pre-Conference Stroke Workshop
- Community Workgroup Report Lay Friendly State Plan
- Delta Health Collaborative Update
- Next Meeting

**CVH Task Force Meeting  
Minutes  
Mississippi State Department of Health  
February 13, 2009**

**Facilitator:** Dr. Clay Hays, Chair

**Recorder:** Xavier K. Johnson

**Participants:** Mary Helen Connor, Dr. Clay Hays, Dr. Sharon Wyatt, Roxanne Coulter, Shanda Boarden, Tina Bennett, Dr. Evelyn Walker, Cassandra Dove, Demetra Lewis, Bo Bowen, Tanya Funchess, Augusta Brown, Xavier Johnson, Kim Stonecypher, Lorrie Davis, Earl Coleman. Bettye Daniel, Michael L. Jones

**Taskforce Website**

- Lei has a Tobacco Presentation that Dr. Hays would like to include on the HDSP Taskforce Website. Link to the HDSP Task Force with current data.
- The Tobacco presentation can be tailored for others. Partners can use the presentation as a resource.
- Speak with Jim Newkirk to add web link to of website
- Add the Partner Assessment to the website (Complete and submit by email).
  1. Dr. Walker suggested the following:
    - a. Email assessment to extended partners for their input and
    - b. to make recommendations on how they can contribute to the implementation of the task force goals
  2. Add the following to question #3(Barriers)
    - a. What barriers keep your organization from being involved
    - b. Other
  3. Add the following option to question #2:
    - a. Other
    - b. Diabetes, obesity, physical activities, healthy eating, smoking

**Speaker Bureau Evaluation Form**

1. Add to taskforce website
2. Mary Helen Connor suggested to add questions of how the organization can use the material or how will this material will be used in your practice

## **Annual Reports**

- Dr. Hays, Dr. Wyatt, and the HDSP Program wrote the annual report.
- Pull the last few reports and we will update.
- Who received the report? The Chair of the Public Health Committee and the Governor.

## **House Bill 1184**

- Bo Bowen recommended that we go back to the code/section of the Bill 1184.

## **Task Force Members**

- Alyce Clarke was appointed last year with the House of Representatives, Dr Wyatt replied.
- Original appointee was Jim Barnett
- Ask Speaker Billy McCoy if Alyce Clarke is the appointee, if not recommend her. (Lorrie Davis)
- Dr. Hays will contact Speaker Billy McCoy Alyce Clarke as the appointee.
- Nolan Mettetal Senate Representative
- The HDSP Program will draft a memo inviting Task Force Members who are not participating to the meetings.
- The HDSP Program will work with communication to advertise the meetings
- Create a document where all agencies are listed for roll call at upcoming taskforce meetings.

## **Stroke Pre-Conference Workshop**

- Mary Helen and Earl Coleman can assist with coordination the Stroke Pre-Conference Workshop, Dr. Hays suggested.

## **SCOPE Program-Jodi Rankin**

- The first SCOPE training is may 21st

- The SCOPE training will be conducted as a Empowering Communities for a Healthy Mississippi Pre-conference Workshop on May 26, 2009
- SCOPE works with community leaders, physicians, and nutritionists
- There are 432 registered nurses in Mississippi
- The last training will be completed by September 22, 2009.
- National Association of School of Nurses are interested: 2 to 3 representatives

Kickoff on July 30-31

Invite Community Leaders and Physicians to promote education in their area  
MCIC "Know Your Numbers for Kids" had been developed and is in the review phase

Congressional Health Nurses can offer the training

Contact Mississippi COOP Group, Ann Sansing about trainers

Speakers trained in Know Your Numbers can train also

Email to Dr. Wyatt

**Next Meeting: May 15, 2009**