

STAUNTON AREA LHRC

Approved Minutes

October 1, 2024

10:30 AM

MEMBERS PRESENT

Abby Shirkey - Chairperson

Kim Nine – Member

Members Absent

Doug Cochran—Vice Chairperson

OTHERS PRESENT

Riley Curran - Human Rights Advocate, DBHDS OHR

Dr. Anna Lacey, PhD, WSH Team Psychologist

Dr. Kenneth Showalter, PhD, WSH Team Psychologist

Dr. Lillian Tiddler, MD, WSH Team Psychiatrist

Jaqueline Rucker, WSH Treatment Team Coordinator

Dr. Emily Morrison, PhD, WSH Team Psychologist

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Abby Shirkey at 10:35 AM.

ROLL CALL/ATTENDANCE

Those in attendance made introductions.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The amended agenda was submitted and a motion to approve was made by Abby Shirkey seconded by Kim Nine.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes were motioned to be approved by Abby Shirkey seconded by Kim Nine.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Public comment was received from Cody Harris.

ADVOCATE REPORT AND TRAINING

Riley Curran provided the advocate report to include facility data regarding quarterly ANE and Complaint Statistics, summary of current Variances, local updates, and upcoming events. FOIA policy was reviewed with the members.

CLOSED SESSION

Upon a motion made by Abby Shirkey and seconded by Kim Nine 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.

NEW BUSINESS (Closed Session)

- WSH Restriction Review
- WSH Consent and Authorization Review
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The WSH Restriction Review and both WSH Consent and Authorization Reviews was motioned to be approved after returning to open session by Abby Shirkey seconded by Kim Nine.

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.

MEETING ADJOURNED

The meeting was adjourned by Abby Shirkey at 11:30AM. The next meeting date is on January 7, 2025 at 10:30 AM located at Western State Hospital.