

Western State Hospital  
Staunton, Virginia

***Local Human Rights Committee Meeting Minutes  
Jeffreys Building, Room 95 at 12:30 p.m.  
September 25, 2006***

Present: Debbie Harris, Karen Cochran, Ski Washington, Linda Thumma, Rev. David Reed and Marge Brimmer; Committee Members; Randy Uργο, WSH Advocate; Susan Frushour, Director's Liaison; and Rebecca Currin, VOPA  
Absent: Chuck Collins, Regional Advocate; Mark Seymour, CCCA Advocate

The Cook/Chill demonstration to be held in Building 119, Nutrition Services, was rescheduled for the October meeting due to staffing issues. Members reconvened at the Jeffreys Building to conduct the meeting.

Debbie Harris, Chair, called the meeting of the Local Human Rights Committee to order on September 25, 2006. It was noted that a quorum of members was present. Minutes of the August 28<sup>th</sup> meeting were reviewed and approved by the Committee.

The Committee voted on holding the November/December meeting on December 4<sup>th</sup>.

Randy Uργο reviewed the Advocate's report with members. Mr. Uργο stated he plans to schedule Human Rights training for the new members.

Rebecca Currin reported on VOPA issues and stated DMRMRSAS will be going "tobacco free" in the near future.

Ms. Frushour reported on the Barriers to Discharge Report and will report back on an individual whom Central Office was unsuccessful with FRP (Forensic Review Panel).

The next meeting will be held on October 23, 2006.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

**APPROVED:**

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Margaret Bowman  
Secretary, LHRC

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Debbie Harris  
Chair, LHRC