Regional Nursing Meeting Virginia Department of Behavioral Health & Developmental Sorrison



September 2022

Office of Integrated Health **Health Supports Network**

The Office of Integrated Health – Health Supports Network Regional Community Nursing Meetings "A safe space for nurses to discuss challenges, experiences, and ask questions."

Goals

- To ensure individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities are receiving needed services.
- To provide a forum in which nurses (and others) can discuss ideas, challenges, policy needs (e.g. health policies, which affect individuals with IDD, to bring policy needs forward.
- To provide a forum for caregivers to interact with state agency representatives, to express concerns, develop educational tools and resources, and further enhance train-the-trainer models.

Region 1 – September 7, 2022 10am -12:00pm

Register in advance for this meeting:

https://dbhds-

virginia.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJlscmtrD0sGYOs7lkNg_uvZoMnd9lSGBA

Community Nurse Leader:

Kevyn Burn- kburn@wallresidences.com

Region 2 – September 21, 2022 10am - 12:00pm

Register in advance for this meeting:

https://virginia-

gov.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJlscaurT4oH9OZ7N4i4zrZ3UWfxQJ2YDk

Community Nurse Leader:

Beatrice Claiborne - bclaiborne@mycri.org

September Meetings Dates

Consistent with VDH and CDC guidance for gatherings which recommend utilizing best practices for infection control and holding outdoor events as possible, **Regional Nursing Meetings will** continue to be virtual.

Region 3 – September 16, 2022 10am - 12:00pm

Register in advance for this meeting: https://dbhds-

virginia.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJlt ce6przsgG7bcXVRZdd4wYND M5uJc-0

Community Nurse Leader:

Teresa Berry - rnttb1@aol.com

Region 4 – September 12, 2022

11am - 1:00pm

Register in advance for this meeting:

https://virginia-

gov.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJlscggpzltHr1CP8Exf8S EG6gNW04cFQ

Community Nurse Leader:

Jeannette Gholson- jigholson.thc@gmail.com

Region 5 – September 26, 2022

10am - 12:00pm

Register in advance for this meeting:

https://virginia-

gov.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJltdeygrzkt

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Community Nurse Leader: Marcia A. Lindsay-Brothers - mbrothers@chesapeakeibh.net

September 2022 Meeting Agenda

Virtual Meeting Platform:

 In cooperation with VDH Guidance on COVID-19 relating to group gatherings, the Regional Nursing Meetings will continue to be held in ZoomGov. The ZoomGov registration links are included in this agenda. You must register to receive the meeting URL link, password, and phone access to the meeting. Registering prior to the meeting date is recommended, to avoid technical issues on the day of the meeting.

Presentation:

. This month our focus is on Choking Emergencies, what role Nut Butters play in choking and Modified Foods Textures. The OIH-HSN RNCCs will be sharing a couple of short videos on how to respond to choking emergencies, the dangers of nut butters and white bread, and modified food textures.

Issues and Concerns Relevant to each Region:

• Open Group Discussion. Please feel free to share general issues or concerns you may be having, to obtain suggestions, resources and feedback from others. The meeting is a safe and supportive place for those providing care to individuals with IDD. Please do not share any personal health information about any individual.

Monthly CNE Opportunity: OIH - HSN Health & Safety Alert Review and Discussion:

 A Health & Safety Alert with quiz/evaluation will be reviewed each month during the meeting. This month's CNE topic is Nut Butter and Choking. To receive 1 free CNE, you must attend the meeting and return the quiz/evaluation by email, fax or text. Just scan or take a pic of your completed quiz with your smart phone, and text or email it to your regional RNCC, with your name and email address clearly displayed. Your CNE certificate will be emailed directly to you.

NOTE: Anyone can attend the Regional Nurses Meeting of their choice. You do not have to attend the Regional Nursing Meeting where you work or reside. Simply register with the link provided to attend.

The Office of Integrated Health – Health Supports Network Registered Nurse Care Consultants

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The 988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline is a national network of local crisis centers that provides free and confidential emotional support to people in suicidal crisis or emotional distress 24 hours a day, 7 days a week in the United States.

The Lifeline accepts calls, texts, and chats from anyone who needs support for a suicidal, mental health and/or substance use crisis. This new number is a commitment to improve crisis services and advance suicide prevention by empowering individuals, advancing professional best practices, and building awareness.

The 3rd Annual All - State Community Nursing Meeting

October 13, 2022 between 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

Meyera E. Oberndorf Central Library - 4100 Virginia Beach Blvd, Virginia Beach, VA 23452

Registration Link: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/DN3M5XJ

Cost is \$20.00 Early Bird before 8/15/22, then \$25.00 until 9/30/22.

Registration can be transferred but not refunded.



Summer 2022 OIH - HSN Training Sessions



"NEW" Diabetes Part 1 - Thursday September 8, 2022 between 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Everything you need to know about safe wheelchair transitions

Register in advance for this training: https://virginia-gov.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJlsfuvggDloHfto6JvT6KlLnhX102HsCJw

Skin Integrity & Pressure Injuries - Thursday September 15, 2022 between 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Everything you need to know about maintaining good skin integrity and avoiding pressure injuries.

Register in advance for this training: https://virginia-gov.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJlsd-CorzwpG CrYgfVOKVfUCjiQF uWIQ

The Fatal Seven - Tuesday September 20, 2022 between 1:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Everything you need to know about the seven common diagnosis which can lead to serious consequences for individuals with IDD.

Register in advance for this meeting: https://virginia-gov.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJltceuvrT8uHp9xKVMfSklqG-yla6vGp9s

"NEW" Diabetes Part 2 - Thursday September 29, 2022 between 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Everything you need to know about managing diabetes, with a review of diet, treatments, and personal care.

Register in advance for this training: https://virginia-gov.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/vJlsfu-gpzltHQ8FNp6N i81WEYQkZ8p0T8

After you register and are approved to attend, you will receive a confirmation email with the link and password to join the training on the day of the course. The link can be added to a calendar for easy access the day of the training.

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