

Minutes
Virginia HIV/STDs Resources Review Panel Meeting
September 21, 2007

Members Present: Barbara Arieti, Bonnie Connor-Gray, Deb Cross, Jennifer Flannagan, Jeremy Fulcher, Caroline Fuller, Phil Gapinski, Cathy Hawkins, Chrys Kosarchyn, Doug Leftwich, Colleen McCabe, Fran Meyer, Amy Sherrill, Tara Torrence

Members Absent: Doris Ashton, LaVern Davis, Alison Gibbs, Gale Grant, Katie Smith, Sherri Wright

Welcome and Introductions: The meeting began at 9:45 with Caroline Fuller welcoming everyone present. Introductions were made (there are four new members: Jeremy Fulcher, Cathy Hawkins, Amy Sherrill and Tara Torrence). Minutes from the April 20, 2007 meeting were approved.

Updates:

- Caroline Fuller reported that all the summer trainings went well.
- Bonnie Connor-Gray announced a Hop Sports demonstration will be held at Rolfe Middle School in Henrico on October 3, 2007 from 1:00-3:00pm and invited everyone to attend and to spread the news about this exciting event.

Travel Reimbursements were signed and **Participant Directory Forms** filled out and updated.

Review Panel meetings were set for the remainder of the 2007-08 academic year:

- **November 30, 2007**
- **February 1, 2008 with February 8 as the “snow” date**
- **April 18, 2008**

Resources Review: The following resources were reviewed and **approved** unless otherwise noted.

Audio-visual Resources:

- A **PSA** for possible use with the Module on Sexual Abuse, Assault and Harassment developed by the Men’s Group at the Monterey Rape Crisis Center which provides statistics on male sexual harassment (30 seconds)
- **Little Questions, Big Questions: The Case for Family Life Education in the Early Grades** developed by Rutgers University (24 minutes). Makes the case for Family Life Education at a young age and shows how to implement it appropriately (1993). For possible use with a new Module under development on Family Life Education for the Elementary School.
- **Too Young (to be parents)** developed by the National Campaign to Prevent Teen Pregnancy (2007) for potential use with the Module, Understanding Human Sexuality. Provides statistics and stories of teenage mothers and the consequences of young motherhood. (5 minutes)

- **Gonna Make It** for possible use with the Sexual Abuse, Assault and Harassment Module developed by the Pennsylvania Commission for Women, Women's Coalition Against Rape (2001). A hip-hop format music video showing cases of sexual abuse; provides Pennsylvania statistics at the end (5 minutes).
- **Crossing the Line** developed by the Virginia Department of Health, also for possible use with the Module on Sexual Abuse, Assault and Harassment (2004). (11 minutes)

Print Resources:

- **Resources Lists** to be used with the corresponding **Modules**:
 1. **Preventing HIV Infection**
 2. **Integrating HIV, STD, and Teen Pregnancy Across the Curriculum**
 3. **Dealing with Teen Pregnancy: A Focus on Fathers**
 4. **Strengthening Parental Involvement in Family Life Education**
- **Guidelines for Sexual Health Education (K-12)**; The Medical Institute (2007)
- **It Happened to Me**; MISH (2007) on HIV transmission
- **Worth Waiting For**; MISH (2007) on postponing sexual activity

Homework: the following four Modules were assigned as homework with a due date of November 30:

- **Preparing for the Future: Family Planning Teacher Training Guide Module**
- **Integrating HIV Prevention Across the Curriculum**
- **Preventing Sexual Behaviors, Drugs Use and HIV Infection**
- **Managing Sensitive Issues**

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 2:30.