

North Carolina Diabetes Advisory Council

Date of Meeting:	October 6, 2017	Time:	9:30 am - 12:30 pm	
Minutes Prepared by:	Juanita Akinleye Location: Food Bank of Central and Eastern North Carolina			
Attendance at Meeting:	DAC Members & Liaisons Present: Ronny Bell, Chair; Jan Nicollerat, Co-Chair; Gideon Adams, Battle Betts, Laura Edwards, Susan Houston, Karla Kirako, Shayl Jones, Sue Liverman, Monique Mackey, Chris Memering, Earline Middleton, Jerry Munden. Sharon Pearce, Julie Paul; Amy Quesinberry, Carmen Samuel-Hodge, Susan Spratt, Marti Wolf, Larry Wu			

Invited Guests and Staff Present: Surabhi Aggarwal, Juanita Akinleye, Krista Ariail Jana Bartleson, Karen Bartoletti, Anna Bess Brown, Alicia Clark, Vontella Dabbs, Kathy Dowd, Wes Gray, Sharon Jackson, Jessica Johnson, Essete Kebede; Kendrick Kemp; Sanga Krupakar, Jennifer Ladd, Laquelia Lewis, Lee Lillard, Jerri Mayberry, Erin Myer, Kelly Nordby, Sarah Overholt; Jeana Partington, Janice Patterson, Billie Patrick, Jaime Pearce, William Pertet, Laura Plunkett, Bryce Poremba April Reese, Sharon Rhyne; Melissa Rockett; Sandra Stanley, Shannon Summers, Cathy Thomas, Shannon Summers, Brooke Tonkin, Ijeoma Uwakwe, Amy Ward

Meeting Highlights

	Topics and Points of Discussion	Carry- over Item?
1.	Welcome, Introductions, Approval of Minutes	
	 Dr. Ronny Bell, Diabetes Advisory Council (DAC) Chair, welcomed all attendees, and asked everyone present to introduce themselves. New DAC members were acknowledged. 	No
	 Meeting highlights from the May 5, 2017 meeting were approved as submitted. The meeting highlights and handouts are posted on the Diabetesnc.com website. 	
2.	Announcements	No
	- Chair Ronny Bell gave members and guests a few minutes to complete the NC DAC Assessment survey. The Centers for Disease Prevention and Control (CDC) requires an annual evaluation of the statewide coalition. The DAC leadership uses the survey results to address any identified challenges in the groups purpose or logistics. The Community and Clinical Connections for Prevention and Health (CCCPH) diabetes evaluator will report on results at the next DAC meeting.	
	- Chair Ronny Bell also acknowledged members of the DAC who are finishing their term. Sue Liverman and Earline Middleton were present. Other members whose terms have expired include: Robert Benjamin, Ed Fisher, Austin Grainger, Gayle Harris, Jeff Katula, Julie Kirk, Beth Mayer-Davis, Monica McVicker, Wanda Nicholson, Necole Smith, Joanne Stevens, and Kathryn Tarquini.	



3. Approval of 2018 dates	No
 Vice Chair, Jan Nicollerat, presented the group with proposed meeting dates for 2018. Members approved the following dates: 	
- February 9, 2018	
- May 4, 2018	
- November 2, 2018	
The proposed meeting location is the Food Bank of Central and Eastern North Carolina.	
4. Hearing Loss in Persons with Diabetes	
 Dr. Kathy Dowd is the Executive Director for the Audiology Project, a nonprofit organization based in Charlotte NC. She presented on the link between hearing loss and diabetes. Her presentation is on the web at http://diabetesnc.com/partner_ncdac.php 	No
5. Diabetes Management at Gaston Family Health	No
 Ms. Erin Myer is the Director of Behavioral Health for Gaston Family Health Services (a Federally Qualified Health Center) in Gastonia, NC. She presented on an integrated diabet care model that includes behavioral health and efforts to address the determinants of health Her presentation is on the web at http://diabetesnc.com/partner_ncdac.php 	
6. Diabetes Advisory Council Diabetes Prevention and Management Awards	No
The DAC annually acknowledges persons in our state who implement strategies highlighted in the Diabetes Prevention and Management Plan and honors distinguished former members of the NC DAC.	NC
John Bowdish Community Award Recipients	
Dr. Ijeoma Uwakwe, Wilson Value Drugs	
Ms. Shannon Summer, Clay County Health Department	
Myrna Miller Employer Award Recipients	
Ms. Krista Ariail, QunitilesIMS	
Cleveland County Health Department	
Healthcare Provider Award Recipients	
Dr. Susan Spratt, Duke University Medical Center	
Martin Tyrell Washington Health District	
Pictures from the event can be found at http://diabetesnc.com/partner-ncdac.php	
 There will be a training for hypertension coaches on June 26, 2018 in Raleigh, NC. The host facility is to be determined at a later date. 	sting No
- There will be a statewide Lifestyle Coach Summit on September 26, 2018 from 9 am – 4 pm the Embassy Suites in Cary.	n at

Next Meeting: Friday, February 9, 2018, 9:30-12:30 p.m.