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Kansas Health Policy Authority

Meeting of the Consumer Advisory Council

June 16, 2008

3:00 - 5:00 pm

Our Mission: *The Consumer Council will provide guidance on issues relevant to consumers, particularly regarding health care access, quality, affordability, sustainability, and health promotion, and will provide recommendations on health policies that the Board is reviewing to reflect consumer concerns and questions. Members of this council will include individuals across Kansas who represent various consumer interests.*

AGENDA

3:00 Welcome and Opening Comments. Peggy Johnson and Dr. Marcia Nielsen

- Introduction of Council Participants
- Review agenda and hand-outs

3:15 Session Overview and Discussion. Dr. Marcia Nielsen

- Review of KHPA Legislative Session

4:00 Next Steps. Dr. Marcia Nielsen

- Board Retreat, Expectations, and Timeline

4:15 Future Role of the Consumer Advisory Council. Dr. Barb Langner

5:00 Adjourn

Consumer Advisory Council Members:

- Chair, **Peggy Johnson**. Wichita Medical Research and Education Foundation, Wichita, KS
- Dr. Jane Adams**. Keys for Networking Inc., Topeka, KS
- Mitzi McFatrigh**. Kansas Advocates for Better Care, Shawnee, KS
- Theola Cooper**. RN, Wichita, KS
- Dr. Timothy Davis**. Fort Hays State University, Hays, KS
- Corrie Edwards**. Kansas Health Consumer Coalition, Topeka, KS
- Shannon Jones**. Statewide Independent Living Council of Kansas, Lenexa, KS
- Bruce Linhos**. Children's Alliance of Kansas, Topeka, KS
- Rocky Nichols**. Disability Rights Center of Kansas, Topeka, KS
- Al Penner**. North Newton, KS
- Teresa Schwab**. Oral Health Kansas, Lawrence, KS
- Nancy Soeken**. Great Bend, KS
- Dinell Stuckey**. Derby, KS
- Maury Thompson**. Johnson County Developmental Supports, Chanute, KS
- David Wilson**. AARP Kansas, Overland Park, KS

Additional Participants:

- Dr. Marcia Nielsen, KHPA Executive Director
- Dr. Barb Langner, KHPA Policy Director
- Mandy Cawby, KHPA Outreach Manager/Deputy Communications Director
- Reagan Cussimano, KHPA Legislative Analyst