



Kansas Health Policy Authority

Meeting of the Consumer Advisory Council

September 4, 2009

1:00 – 3:00 P.M.

Main meeting location will be at the Curtis State Office Building at 1000 SW Jackson. Meeting Room 530

Satellite locations with video conferencing capabilities will be at KDHE district offices located:

1500 West 7th
Chanute, KS 97807

2301 East 13th Street
Hays, KS 67601

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2501 Market Place, Suite D
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Wichita, KS 67202

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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.

Members:

Chair, Peggy Johnson, Wichita Medical Research and Education Foundation, Wichita KS
Dr. Jane Adams, Keys for Networking Inc., Topeka KS
Deanne Bacco, KS Advocates for Better Care, Shawnee KS
Theola Cooper, RN, Wichita KS
Dr Timothy Davis, Hays KS
Corrie Edwards, KS 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
Alvin Penner, North Newton KS
Teresa Schwab, Oral health Kansas, Lawrence KS
Nancy Soeken, Great Bend KS
Dinell Stuckey, Derby KS
Maury Thompson, Tri-Valley Developmental Services, Chanute KS 66720
David Wilson, AARP Kansas, Overland Park KS
Mary Jane Helleburst, Director, Tobacco Free Kansas Coalition, Inc, Topeka
Mitzi McFartich, Executive Director, Kansas Advocates for Better Care, Lawrence
Jane Carter, Kansas Organization of State Employees, Topeka
Susan Fowler, Information Specialist, Private Consulting/Lyon County Law Librarian, Emporia
Suzanne Wikle, Director of Healthy Policy, Kansas Action for Children, Topeka

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Additional Participants:

Dr. Andrew Allison, KHPA Executive Director
Doug Farmer, KHPA Deputy Director
Dustin Moyer, KHPA Legislative Liaison

Agenda

1:00 PM – Call to order
Introductions

1:10 PM – Dr. Andrew Allison
Effects of 2009 Session
Summary of Cuts in budget
Summary of Agency Restructuring

Looking ahead:
New Focus of the Kansas Health Policy Authority
Direction for 2010 Legislature
Greater emphasis on program management
Policy proposals (options) for the Legislature

2:00 PM – Council Discussion
Thoughts on Agency changes
Comments on program management focus
Comments on Policy Proposals for the 2010 Legislature

2:50 – Council Adjournment