

CHESTER REGIONAL LOCAL HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE (CRLHRC)

Date

June 16, 2011

Members Present:

Lawrence Gholson, II, Chair

Danielle Hunt, Co Chair

Dennis Winston, Member

Others Present:

Ms. Carrie Flowers, Human Rights Advocate

Members Absent:

Letta Jones, Secretary

Gregory Hopkins, Member

Affiliates Present:

Outreach Training & Support Center

Intensive Community Outreach Services, LLC

New Heights, INC.

Life Touch Services

Youth & Family Dynamics In-Home Services, LLC

E & M Residential, LLC

Alternative Interventions Family Services

Atiba Youth Interventions

Compassionate Hearts Family Services

Home For Good

The Bair Foundation

Cornerstone Youth Services, Inc.

DYVINE Youth Services, LLC.

TriCity Solutions

Envision One, LLC

River City Comprehensive Counseling Services

Y.E.S. Kids Count, LLC

Affiliates Absent:

El Shaddai Adult Group Home

Lighthouse Home , LLC

Have Faith Residential, LLC (Formerly Ivan, Joseph & Allan)

I. Welcome/Introductions

Chester LHRC meeting was called to order at 3:36pm at the Southside Community Service Center. Danielle Hunt asked for introductions from all committee members

present. A quorum was established at 4:15 at which time matters requiring vote were reviewed.

II. Approval of Minutes

Minutes reviewed and approved from March 17, 2011 meeting with amendment requested to the spelling of affiliate Kia Roquemare's of Life Touch Services, name.

III. Public Comments

None reported

IV. Old Business

Danielle Hunt discussed the outcome of the 4/21/11 LHRC subcommittee meeting. Affiliates were notified how the committee will operate as well the expected Affiliate's support of the LHRC. The rotating affiliate schedule (A and B) and agreed Affiliate support of LHRC will be in effect at next scheduled meeting.

V. New Business

Catalyst Family Services were added to the Committee Meeting Agenda, to request affiliation of their Sponsored Residential Services. Mr Dante Friday shared programmatic and operations information. A motion was made by Mr Gholson to approve Catalyst Family Services, Sponsored Residential Program for affiliation. Motion was seconded by Denis Wilson and passed unanimously.

VI. Human Rights Activities Reports (for reporting period 3/17-6/15/11)

Intensive Community Outreach Services

15 Staff (2 Clinicians, 1 new hire, 2 terminations) and 39 Clients. No allegations/complaints

Life Touch Services

-Elite Solutions Adult Day Program- 17 Staff, 0 Clients, and no allegations/complaints

-Residential Services- 17 Staff, 8 Clients, and no allegations/complaints

New Heights, Inc.

1 Staff, 0 Clients, and no allegations/complaints

Outreach Training & Support Center

8 Staff, 6 Clients, and no allegations/complaints

Youth & Family Dynamics

(Richmond) Intensive In-Home Services- 7 Staff, 23 Clients, and no allegations/complaints

(Petersburg) Intensive In-Home Services- 3 Staff, 10 Clients, and no allegations/complaints

Day Treatment Services- not reported

Alternative Interventions

-Intensive In-Home- 7 staff, 12 clients and no allegations/complaints

-Mental Health Support- 1 staff, 3 clients and no allegations/complaints

El Shaddai Adult Group Home- NOT PRESENT

**Have Faith Residential, LLC.-Imani's House (Formerly Ivan, Joseph & Allan, LLC.)
NOT PRESENT**

Atiba Youth Interventions

7 Staff and 15 Clients (2 Clinicians). No allegations/complaints

E & M Residential

8 Staff and 3 Clients. No allegations/complaints

Compassionate Hearts

2 Staff (2 terminations) and 3 Clients. No allegations/complaints

The Bair Foundation of Virginia

7 Staff and 14 Clients. No allegations/complaints

River City Comprehensive

-Intensive In-Home- 43 clients, 25 staff with 1 staff termination due to poor performance. No allegations/complaints.

-Mental Health Support Program- 68 clients, 38 staff. 4 new staff hired. No allegations/complaints.

Home for Good

13 Staff and 30 Clients. No allegations/complaints

Cornerstone Youth Services

Lighthouse Home
NOT PRESENT

Y.E.S. Kids Count, LLC

4 Staff and 0 clients. No allegations/complaints

Facility has new address: 3900 Chamberlyn Ave, Richmond VA 23227

Tri City Solutions

6 staff with 1 resignation and 2 residents. No allegations/complaints

D.Y.V.I.N.E. Youth Services, LLC

13 staff, 20 clients. There were 2 incidents of restraints. A copy of the incident reports were provided. Each incident was reportedly resolved to the satisfaction of the consumer's guardians. A letter of good standing dated May 3, 2011 was received from DBHDS.

Envision One, Inc.

7 staff (3 have resigned), 8 clients, and no allegations/complaints

Motion made by Denis Winston to accept the Human Rights Activities Report and Seconded by Lawrence Gholson. Motion passed unanimously.

VII. Advocates Report

Ms Flowers reviewed and reiterated the information contained in the new Chester Regional Cooperative Agreement and requested submission of signed copies from all affiliates.

Ms Flowers notified affiliates of the committee's ongoing need to recruit a Consumer for Committee membership.

VII. Next Meeting Date

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, September 15th 2011, at Southside Community Service Center. Affiliates in Group A (unless otherwise requested by the Committee) will attend this meeting. Atiba Youth will carrying out the affiliate responsibilities (minutes, refreshments, printing of materials needed to carry out LHRC functions)

VIII. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 5:01 p.m. and concluded in closed session as unanimously voted by committee members for the installment of officers and LHRC applicant interview. Closed Session convened at 5:20pm and concluded at 6pm.