

Newport News Regional LHRC/Review

October 9, 2006

Present:

Willie Barnes	Human Rights Advocate
Joyce O'Brien	LHRC Member, Chairperson
Crystal Rivera	LHRC Member, Secretary
Rosanne Walters	LHRC Member

Absent:

Precious Etheridge	LHRC Member
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I. Call To Order:

The Meeting was called to order by Joyce O'Brien, Chairperson at 6:15 p.m.

II. Purpose:

To review the revision to Restraint, Seclusion and Time out procedure Section of the Residential Living Options' Human Rights Policies and Procedures.

III. Old Business

A. Topic: Use of Protective and Medical Restraints

Discussion: Mr. Smith states revision to policy Seclusion, Restraint, And Time out procedure includes the use of protective and medical restraints. Also that new client (LP) is required to use Helmet and Gait Belt. Policy is now in compliance.

Action: A motion was made by Crystal Rivera to go into closed session To review plan, seconded by Rosanne Walters

CLOSED SESSION

OPEN SESSION

V. Topic: Use of bedrails, specify in plan.

Discussion: Committee request Residential Living Options forward a plan with the Addendum to committee members.

Action: A Motion was made to accept the plan for use of Protective and Medical Restraints by Residential Living Options for specific use of gait belt and helmet with an addendum specifying of bedrails during rest time. Committee voted unanimously to accept plan

VI. NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING

The next LHRC Meeting is scheduled on Tuesday December 12, 2006 at 6:00 pm.

VII. ADJOURNMENT

Joyce O'Brien adjourned meeting at 6:33 p.m.