

**UNIVERSAL FAMILY
LOCAL HUMAN RIGHTS COMMITTEE REPORT
(Approved)**

Date: November 5, 2008

Location: Interstate Corporate Center, Building 20, Suite 249 Norfolk, VA

Committee Members Present:

Barbara Johnson

Melvin Jones

Grace Washington

Adria Peterson-Pullry

Dorothy Drummand

Committee Members Absent:

Shelton Stevens

Laverne Johnson

Human Rights Advocate:

Stewart Prost

CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order at 9:45 a.m. by Melvin Jones

OLD BUSINESS:

The minutes for August 6, 2008 were voted and approved by the committee.

NEW BUSINESS:

Financial Report: There is currently \$1737.66 in the LHRC account. Melvin Jones is still acting as temporary chairman. The committee voted two new programs, with temporary affiliation to the committee. The new programs were Valdemar Home Care at 31 Colonial Acres Dr., Hampton, VA. And Jen and C Homes Care LLC at 1845 Garner Lane, Virginia Beach, VA.

MR. STEWART PROST REPORT:

Mr. Prost spoke of the training for new LHRC members. Mr. Prost spoke about the growing amount of new programs increasing; two new LHRC committees will be formed; he also spoke on the state cut backs. Mr. Prost spoke on the process of adding a service or site, he stated to the programs that a representative must be present at the meeting and what would happen if not.

****PROGRAM REPORTS ****

TAYLOR FAMILY HOMES, LLC

Representative: Dorothy Taylor: 471-1121 or 424-8268

Address: 3568 Brannon Drive, Virginia Beach, Va. 23456

License status, permanent affiliation and dues are current. There was one admission, no discharge, and have a capacity of four. There was no report of restraints (include physical and medical). There was no report of abuse/neglect (to include cases alleged, pending or proven). There was no report of serious incidents/injuries/deaths. Close Session

PREFERRED PROVIDER SERVICES, LLC

Representative: Renea Ballard: (757) 399-6363 or 537-0258

Address: 212 Maxwell Avenue, Portsmouth, Va. 23702

License is current, permanent affiliation, dues are current. There was no admission, no discharge, have a capacity of three. There was no report of restraints (include physical and medical). There was no report of abuse/neglect (to include cases alleged, pending or proven). There were no serious incidents/injuries/deaths.

FAMILY PRESERVATION SERVICES, IPC

Representative: Chris Handy (757) 455-8300

Address: Interstate Corporate Center, Building 20, Suite 249 Norfolk, Va. 23502

License is current, permanent affiliation, dues are current. Admissions are revolving, discharges revolving and revolving cases. There was no report of restraints (include physical and medical). There was no report of abuse/neglect (to include cases alleged, pending or proven). There were no serious incidents/injuries/deaths.

HOFFLER HOUSE, LLC

Representative: Wendy Johnson: 773-1992 or 923-4117

Address: 424 South Main Street, Suffolk, Va. 23434

License is for two years, permanent affiliation, dues are current. There was no admissions, no discharge, have a capacity of six. There was no report of restraints (include physical and medical). There was no report of abuse/neglect (to include cases alleged, pending or proven). There were no serious incidents/injuries/deaths.

LIMITED TIME DAY SUPPORT:

**Representative: Isalene Anderson: (757) 270-3520
Address: 714 Round Bay Road, Norfolk, Va. 23502**

License is for three years, permanent affiliation, dues are current. There was no admissions, no discharge, have a capacity of five. There was no report of restraints (include physical and medical). There was no report of abuse/neglect (to include cases alleged, pending or proven). There were no serious incidents/injuries/deaths.

CROSSROADS FAMILY SERVICES TWO, LLC (Sebastian House)

**Representative: Cheryl Hines: 393-5800 cell: 285-5562
Address: 2602 Lincoln Street, Portsmouth, Va. 23704**

License is current, permanent affiliation, dues current. There were no admission, no discharges, and capacity of seven. There was no report of restraints (include physical and medical). There were no reports of abuse/neglect (to include cases alleged, pending or proven). There were no reports of serious incidents/injuries/deaths.

CONVENANT PLACE

**Representative: Dr. Portia Rawles: (757) 493-2912 cell: 537-1579
Address: 416 Oakmears Crescent, Virginia Beach, Va. 23462**

Their license is current, permanent affiliation, dues are current. There was no admission, one discharge, and capacity of eight. There was no report of restraints (include physical and medical). There were no reports of abuse/neglect (to include cases alleged, pending or proven). There was a report of serious incidents/injuries/deaths. Close session needed.

VOA/BAKER HOUSE

**Representative: Linda McDaniel: (757) 497-1900 cell: (757) 650-1405
Home: 397-0476
Address: 5677 Herbert Moore Road, Virginia Beach, Va. 23462**

Their license is current, permanent affiliation, dues are current. There was no admission, no discharge, and capacity twelve. There were no reports of restraints (include physical and medical). There were no reports of abuse/neglect (to include cases alleged, pending or proven). There was one report of serious incidents/injuries/deaths.

STEPPINGSTONE FAMILY SERVICES, INC.

Representative: Alisha Jonesz (757) 673-8117

Address: 64 Aylwin Drive, Portsmouth, Va. 23702

Legacy House: Their license is current, permanent affiliation, dues current. There was two admission, one discharge, and capacity seven. There were no reports of restraints (include physical and medical). There was no report of abuse/neglect (to include cases alleged, pending or proven). There was no report of serious incidents/injuries/deaths.

Intensive In-Home: Their license is current, permanent affiliation, dues are current. They have 60 plus cases, no discharges and capacity (continues to revolve). There were no reports of restraints (include physical and medical). There were no reports of abuse/neglect (to include cases alleged, pending or proven). There were no reports of serious incidents/injuries/deaths.

HINES HAVEN HEALTHCARE (Columbia House Inc.)

Representative: Cheryl Hines (757) 393-1500 cell: (757) 286-6996

Address: 4500 Columbia Street, Portsmouth, Va. 23707

Their license is current, permanent affiliation, dues are current. There was no admission, no discharge, and capacity of eight. There was no reports of restraints (include physical and medical). There was no report of abuse/neglect (to include cases alleged, pending or proven). There were no reports of serious incidents/injuries/deaths.

ESSENTIAL INDEPENDENT LIFESTYLES

Representative: Carolyn Bowman: (757) 409-2829 or (757) 487-7517

Address: 3012 Camelot Boulevard, Chesapeake, Va. 23220

Their license is current, permanent affiliation, dues are current. There were no admission, one discharge, and capacity four. There were no reports of restraints (include physical and medical). There were no reports of abuse/neglect (to include cases alleged, pending or proven). There was no report of serious incidents/injuries/death.

PETERSON FAMILY CARE CENTER

Representative: Ernestine Wheeler: (757) 399-1924

Address: 1632 Elm Avenue, Portsmouth, Va. 23707

Their license is current, permanent affiliation, dues are current. There were no admissions, no discharge, and capacity six. There was no reports of restraints (include physical and medical). There was no report of abuse/neglect (to include cases alleged, pending or proven). There was no report of serious incidents/injuries/death.

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CMJ POSITIVE CHANGE, LLC

Representative: Isalene Anderson: (757) 923-1200

Address: P.O. Box 241, Suffolk, Va. 23434

Their license is current, permanent affiliation, dues are current. There was no admission, no discharge and capacity eight. There was no report of restraints (include physical and medical). There was no report of abuse/neglect (to include cases alleged, pending or proven). There was no report of serious incidents/injuries/death.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

A motion was made and passed that the ULHRC enter into an Executive Session pursuant to Virginia Code Section 2.2-3711 (A) for the purpose of reviewing allegations that occurred at Taylor Family Home, Covenant Place.

EXIT EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Upon reconvening into public session, the ULHRC unanimously certified to the best of each member's knowledge, only public matters, lawfully exempt from statutory open meeting session, the Executive Session, were discussed in the Executive Session.

After reconvening into public session, the Universal Family Local Human Rights Committee indicated they made no recommendations for Covenant Place, Taylor Family Home.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned by Melvin Jones at 11:00am.

