

Behavioral Health Care Subcommittee Monday, October 17, 2011 Senate Room A – General Assembly Building

Present: Delegate Robert H. Brink Senator George L. Barker

Delegate David L. Bulova Senator Harry B. Blevins
Delegate Rosalyn R. Dance Senator Ralph S. Northam
Delegate Harvey B. Morgan Senator Linda T. Puller

Delegate John M. O'Bannon, III

The Honorable William A. Hazel, Jr.

Next JCHC meeting: November 22, 2011

Delegate Harvey B. Morgan, Subcommittee Co-chair called the meeting to order.

Kim Snead reviewed the meeting agenda and explained that the Subcommittee would not hear from Mr. Richard Bonnie (regarding the findings of the 2010 Mental Health Survey of Colleges and Universities and on the work of the Commission on Mental Health Law Reform) as planned, as he had a conflicting obligation. Mr. Bonnie will make those presentations during the November 22nd meeting of JCHC's Healthy Living/Health Services Subcommittee.

Ms. Snead explained that a BHC Subcommittee review of residential options for individuals with severe brain injury was deferred after learning that the Virginia Disability Commission had undertaken a significant study in 2010. A summary, prepared by Sarah Stanton, of the Virginia Disability Commission's findings and recommendations were shared with the BHC Subcommittee.

Inspector General Bevelacqua presented the *Interim Progress Report: Joint OIG and DBHDS Temporary Detention Order Barriers Report.* A final report should be ready in 2012.

Dr. Les Saltzberg, DBHDS Director of Licensure, presented licensing statistics and explained how community-based providers of behavioral health care services are licensed.

Margaret Nimmo Crowe, discussed the 2011-2012 action agenda of the Campaign for Children's Mental Health, which is supported by more than 60 organizations.

Delegate Morgan explained that he expected this meeting to be his last as a Commission member as he has a conflict with the November 22nd meeting. He indicated it was an honor and a pleasure to serve. It was noted that Delegate Morgan had been the last original JCHC member serving on the Commission and he was given a standing ovation in honor of his service.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Prepared by: Kim Snead Date: November 7, 2011