

## MEETING MINUTES

**Date:** Thursday, March 30, 2017

**Meeting Name:** NEFL HATS Coalition (3rd Qtr)  
**Dr. Rita Nathawad, JaxHATS**  
**Location:** Conference Call

**Attending Submitted by:** Sherry Buchman, Marion Landua-Figueroa, Linda Garcia, Janet Hess, Chanda Jones, Dr. Rita Nathawad, DeWeece Ogden, Karen Prewitt, Melody Rios  
 Chanda Jones

AGENDA/TOPIC	DISCUSSION	RECOMMENDATION/ACTIONS	RESPONSIBLE	FOLLOW-UP
<p><b>Welcome&amp; Introductions</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. Rita Nathawad welcomed our community partners</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• N/A</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. Nathawad</li> </ul>	<p>N/A</p>
<p><b>Review of December 2016 Meeting Minutes</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. Nathawad gave a brief overview of the December 2016 meeting minutes.</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. Rita Nathawad</li> </ul>	
<p><b>Updates:</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Dental partnership/services:</b> JaxHATS and the dentistry providers at the Sulzbacher Center for Homeless partnership has begun and are ready to see patients that would qualify for services at their dental clinic.</li> <li>• <b>Dental referrals for patient with ID/DD:</b> JaxHATS has been referring patients to Dr. Glenn Forhan, with Argyle Dental Professionals. The group accepts the Florida Med Waiver. The local dentistry office offers sedation for the ID/DD population- which is a plus for Jacksonville families, who normally have to travel to Gainesville for these services.</li> <li>• <b>The NEFL Coalition planning for a community initiative:</b> Dr. Nathawad shared: Revising the initial plan of having a symposium, but starting on a smaller scale by offering a youth driven workshop. The workshop audience is geared towards health care providers, youth and community partners. The workshop will focus on advocacy and cultural education regarding hearing the voice(s) of youth and young adults with special health care needs.</li> <li>• <b>Community Health Worker information-</b> Chanda Jones discussed their roles in the community and an asset they can patient care settings. A Patient Centered Outcomes Research (PCOR) Conference is being planned for CHW in April. Could this be offered to others in the community?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requested contact info via email</li> <li>• Continue with planning. More information in May's meeting.</li> <li>• More info to share after speaking with CHW Vice President</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. Rita Nathawad</li> <li>• Chanda Jones</li> <li>• NEFL HATS Coalition</li> <li>• Chanda Jones</li> </ul>	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Connect the Dots 2017- Conference:</b> Karen Prewitt, Co-Chair of the Family Care Council, briefly discussed the purpose of the conference, which is to provide awareness, tools and resources for individuals with disabilities, their families and providers. The conference breakout sessions will include: vocation info, guardianship, financial options, independent living and navigating public benefits.</li>   <li>• <b>FLHATS-</b> Janet Hess, DrPH, FL HATS Project Director, shared about the upcoming webinar on the development process and status of the JaxHAT Youth Council.</li>   <li>• <b>Family Support Groups:</b> Marion Landua-Figueroa, Family Advocate Champion, Bower Lyman Complex Care Center, spoke about the effectiveness of parental support groups and her role in the group. Marion expressed the importance of parental support/ outlet outside of caring for their children with special health care needs. She shared the purpose, initial start, structure and current happenings of the group.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Share conference info-via email Conference: April 13, 2017</li>   <li>• Share webinar info-via email Webinar: May 19, 2017</li>   <li>• Sherry Buchman, CMS Regional Executive Nursing Director requested if Marion could come and share at one of the CMS meetings.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chanda Jones</li>   <li>• Chanda Jones</li>   <li>• Sherry Buchman</li> </ul>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The meeting was adjourned at 12:40pm</li>   <li>• The last meeting for the 2016-17 is 5/22/17 at 12p- via Conference Call</li> </ul>			