

**Health Program Management Committee Meeting  
Friday October 18, 2013**

Meeting brought to order by Nancy Glab at 10:04 am

Roll: Nancy Glab, Pat Martin, Lou Crary, Candice (visitor), Jill Budde, Dawn Fichter, Deb Thompson, Kern Kemp, Julie Adair, Pat Thieben, Tina Sanders, Shane Knoche

1. Introductions and review of current members

- Unable to contact the long term care representative. If anyone knows of a long term care representative that might be willing to serve, please let Pat know.

2. Member reports:

Tina Sanders – HIT Representative

- Working on updating staff on new ICD -10 coding
- Plan for their facility and providers with a deadline of December 1, 2014
- Current shortage of medical coders
- Set up a home coding program

Julie Adair – Iowa Health Care Association

- Iowa preparation for direct care workers
- Average wage for direct care worker \$9-12 per hour
- New modules for nursing assistant training written by the University of Iowa
- Discussion on lack of nursing assistant trainers due to the instructor qualifications
- In Iowa students can still challenge the nursing assistant test without taking a course
- Home care and assisted living nursing assistants are not required to be certified and are not regulated

Kern Kemp – EMT/EMS Representative

- Extensive new list of training for EMS personnel
- Eliminate first responder now 1<sup>st</sup> level will be EMR emergency medical responder.
- High failure rate with new education requirements – need more data

Shane Knoche – Secondary Administrator

- Continuing to work on health science program North Scott
- Discussion of options to offer in the health science area

Deb Thompson – Radiology Representative

- Updating curriculum to correspond with exam
- Updating to digital
- Discussion on payment models and how it impacts radiology

- Iowa Department of Public Health(IDPH) changed its permit to practice – all continuing education was previously administered via IDPH, this is no longer the case and they will have to find a new route of approval for continuing education

#### Dawn Fichter – HOSA Representative

- Iowa students represented the state well at nationals – several students placed or received awards
- Fall conference coming up Oct. 20 & 21<sup>st</sup> – approximately 85 registered. Travis Lloyd will be the keynote speaker
- New chapters this year – Xavier, Marshalltown, Indian Hills
- State Officers will be meeting with the governor Oct. 14<sup>th</sup> to sign HOSA week proclamation

#### Jill Budde – IHEA & IACTE

- Indian Hills large turnover in staff this year, but things going well
- Intent to offer dental hygiene program
- Dental assisting program started this fall with 18 students
- IHEA – goal to grow and serve health educators, would like to reach more secondary educators

#### Lou Cary – Four- year educator

- Trying to increase enrollment and retention
- Waiting on RN-BSN to make determination on next steps
- Science indicators seem to be the best indicators for student success

#### Pat Martin- Postsecondary educator

- Community colleges continuing to look at curriculum revisions also waiting recommendations from RN-BSN task force
- Continue working with facilities and partnerships
- New simulation open house successful

#### Nancy Glab – Postsecondary administrator

- Announced her retirement in December of this year
- New regional centers opening- focus on STEM
- 400 high school students coming for CTE classes
- Looking at four year articulation agreements for respiratory therapy
- Notes high amount of technology in health care – high school students need to know

#### Pat Thieben – Department of Education

- New director of Department of Education – Brad Buck – he was a past superintendent
- [www.curricunet.com/iowa\\_doe/](http://www.curricunet.com/iowa_doe/) - to view community college programs
- Perkins update – CTSO grant to organizations, POS grant continuing with IWCC and Iowa Central, Federal audit in the summer went well

Program of Study grant update:

- Grant continuing with IWCC and Iowa Central
- POS brochure Allied Health handed out

IHEA

- [www.iowahealthed.org](http://www.iowahealthed.org)
- Memberships \$10 – please encourage health educators to join, 1 free CEU on the website quarterly
- Need a representative from secondary education and industry on the board -Deb Thompson and Dawn Fichter volunteered
- Goals – improve communication in the state
- Nominations for awards on the website

RN- BSN update

- Focus on two year stand-alone programs to do linkage with a four year program

Budget Item – Assessment from NCHSE – pilot program

- 73 students from Missouri Valley, Tucker Center, and Prairie Valley
- \$1200 budgeted – test cost will be \$953

Budget Item – Community College Instructor Meeting

- February 28, 2014 at Indian Hills
  - No cost for college instructors
  - CEU's offered
  - Topics include Bloom's taxonomy, flipping the classroom, and POS
  - \$4000 budgeted
  - Motion by Jill Budde to use extra \$200 from NCHSE assessment for community college instructor meeting – motion passed

Other -

Health coach - ?programs and needs – may be increase in need with insurance changes

- [www.nshcoa.com](http://www.nshcoa.com) – certified health coach

NN2 – National Network of 2 year college health career programs.

- Nancy Glab attended a meeting in Omaha – membership dues \$65
- Collaborative effort for community colleges

Nursing assistant instructor barriers

- Pat, Julie and Dawn will look into this issue

#### Healthcare Reform

- Discussion on meeting the demands in the health care workforce
- [www.edps.org](http://www.edps.org) – health workforce planning data

Next meeting April 18<sup>th</sup>

Adjourned 1:45 pm