

Augusta

Community Healthcare Connections Minutes

Meeting Name	Location	Minutes Taken By		
Augusta Community Healthcare Connections	Brandon Wilde Clubhouse 4275 Owens Road, Evans, Ga	Pamela Thomas & Jennifer Judson		
Date	Facilitator	Leaders	Actual Start Time	Actual End Time
April 15, 2015	Debra Minor	Debra Minor & Pamela Thomas	1:30PM	3:00PM
Meeting Purpose/Objective: Coming Together to Improve Care in the Community				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Improve communication and patient care across the continuum ✓ Assist all facilities in meeting goals for Medicare quality improvement measures ✓ Discuss and implement efforts to increase communication between providers and settings ✓ Recognize current work and reward creative thinking. 				
Team Members Present				
<input type="checkbox"/> See sign-in sheet	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		
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Other Attendees				
DISCUSSION / Getting Started				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome and introductions made by Debra Minor • Debra reviewed Objectives and Confidentiality forms • Debra also gave updates regarding AAA Care Transitions Program. The group was informed that the AAA was awarded another contract with Medicare beginning April 1, 2015 to continue the program. Debra updated the group on the progress the program is making and with the new contract the need to get participates in the program is greater. 				
ACTION ITEMS				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Debra discussed the resource book and the one page documents that all agreed to submit for the book. There has been little participation to this point. All were asked to submit the document that identifies services provided by their entity. 				
DATA				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • N/A 				
EDUCATION				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Shiva Mumtazi of QIO-KEPRO discussed the appeal process with the group to include how to navigation to get status updates on appeals submitted. • David Watkins of State Health Insurance Assistance Program spoke to the group about Medicare Replacement Policies. There was much discussion regarding benefits that are offered through these programs and the obstacles that many of the providers run into. 				
CLOSING / Assignment				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • N/A • 				
NEXT MEETING				
June 17, 2015 Brandon Wilde Clubhouse, 4275 Owens Road, Evans, GA				
NEXT STEPS				
Party Responsible	Activity	Due Date		
All	Submit document for resource book	May 15, 2015		
Jennifer Judson	Complete and distribute minutes	ASAP		