

Forsyth County Department of Social Services
Minutes
November 18, 2010

Present: Dave Plyler, Walter Marshall, Florence Corpening, Claudette Weston, Chair, Joe Raymond, Pat Read, Melinda Hartley, Diane Wimmer, Ava Smith-Pegues

Absent: Michael Wells

Call to Order at 8:07am

Information

Team Division's new staff:

- Kawanis Inzar
- Lori Costner
- Shelia Coffey
- Amanda Priddy
- Lavon James
- Celestine Allen

Business Office's new staff:

- Stacey Creed
- Tiha Evans

There were no public comments.

The Director's Report included

- The Family and Children's Division won their 6th consecutive Best Practice Award for the Team-Up program
- The agency's United Way Campaign has raised approximately \$16,500.00 to date.

Consent

The October Minutes were approved on a motion by Mr. Plyler, second by Mr. Marshall.

The Data Report for October showed

- Food & Nutrition has an increase of approximately 395 with the average worker caseload at approximately 800
- Medicaid cases increased over 3 years by approximately 25,000
- Adult Services cases increased over 3 years by approximately 15,000

Strategic

Beacon Update reported:

- Testing and detail gathering continues
- 28,000 records have been scanned to date
- The launch to go-live is tentatively set for mid-January

Youth In Transition

- The Director along with Maureen Jackson spoke about the Youth in Transition Program at the Winston-Salem Foundation's Legacy Society Dinner on November 10. Ms. Jackson spoke on her experiences growing up in the foster care system.
- The Director attended the Jim Casey Youth Opportunities Initiatives Fall Convening in Tampa Florida November 15 through 17.
- February is target date for the FC YIT Implementation Plan launch

Meeting adjourned at 8:59. Motion by Mr. Plyler, second by Mr. Marshall.