



**GEORGIA ASSOCIATION OF COMMUNITY SERVICE BOARDS  
INTELLECTUAL & DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES COMMITTEE**

**MAY 6, 2024  
VIRTUAL MEETING MINUTES**



<b>MEMBERSHIP ATTENDANCE: X - Denotes Attendance</b>					
X	Chair- Cindy Levi - Avita	X	Legacy – Heather Hatchett	X	GACSB- Robyn Garrett
	Vice Chair- Jennifer Hibbard – View Point	X	Bridge Health- Melissa Fouts	X	GACSB- Renee Millians
X	Advantage- Erin Ray	X	McIntosh Trail- Amanda Brown	X	GACSB- Dr. Glyn Thomas
X	Aspire- Caroline Chandler	X	Middle Flint- Kerri Roberts		
X	Avita- Hannah Quinn	X	New Horizons- JoAnn Mosley		
	Clayton Center – Paula Tyler		Oconee- Pending		
X	CSB of Middle Georgia- Stephen Smith		Pathways- Jade Benefield		
X	Dekalb- Larry Fuller		Pineland- June DiPolito		
	Douglas County – Gale Walton	X	River Edge- Greta O’Dell		
X	Gateway – Rufus Johnson	X	Serenity- Laurie Bradford		
	Georgia Pines- Christine M. Mayer	X	Unison- Belydia McCarty		
	Highland Rivers- Dena Payne	X	View Point Health- Sayon Cooper		
<b>GUESTS: Dan Barnard, Susan Gallagher, Brenda Albertson, Dana Glass, Reid Denson, John Moore</b>					
<b>DISTRIBUTION: IDD Ops 05/06/2024 Agenda, IDD Ops 02/26/2024 &amp; 03/25/2024 Minutes</b>					

<b>Agenda Items</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	<b>Action/Resolution</b>	<b>Responsibility</b>	<b>Due Date</b>
<b>Welcome/Call To Order</b>	Chair, Cindy Levi, called the virtual meeting to order at 11:02AM.			
<b>Approval of Agenda</b>	Robyn Garrett requested to add the following agenda topic: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>GADDSS Survey</li> </ul> A motion to approve the 05/06/2024 amended Agenda was made by Heather Hatchett. Motion was seconded by Hannah Quinn and carried without opposition.			
<b>Approval of Minutes</b>	A motion to approve the 02/26/2024 Minutes was made by Amanda Brown. Motion was seconded by Kerri Roberts and carried without opposition. A motion to approve the 03/25/2024 Minutes was made by JoAnn Mosley. Motion was seconded by Rufus Johnson and carried without opposition.			
<b>GADDSS Survey</b>	Dr. Glyn Thomas reported that the GADDSS Survey results have been sent out to all participating CSBs (18). Any questions can be directed to Dr. Thomas. Some discussion about bringing the survey up to date and adding IT questions to the current survey or creating a separate IT survey for persons served.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Email the NCI project IT questions and other resources to I/DD ListServ.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dr. Glyn Thomas</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>05/06/2024</li> </ul>

<b>Statewide Initiatives</b>	<p><b>I/DD Advisory Council-</b> No update.</p> <p><b>I/DD Trade Association Meeting-</b> No update. Next meeting is scheduled for 05/17/2024.</p> <p><b>I/DD Workforce Development Committee-</b> Kerri Roberts reported minor issues with Relias regarding duplicated training on transcripts and trainings being removed. Caroline Chandler reported that Aspire BH/DDS had 26 in the UGA pilot, and all were waiting to take the exam.</p> <p>DOL Pilot- Greta O'Dell reminded members that staff will not receive incentive payment until the entire apprenticeship program is completed.</p> <p>UGA Pilot- DBHDD will be opening additional seats for this pilot in the Fall (roughly 300 students)</p> <p><b>New I/DD Workgroup-</b> No update.</p> <p><b>CCBHC/NADD Certification</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• NHBH- No updates, still waiting to hear back about accreditation</li> <li>• Advantage- Received NADD Accreditation letter in the mail and then received codes for certification</li> <li>• Reminder- DBHDD will pay for 8 slots for each CSB to attend the NADD Conference</li> </ul>			
<b>Clinical Ops Committee Update</b>	<p>The last meeting was held on 05/02/2024. Minutes are available on the GACSB website. Peachstate Health Plan joined the meeting to discuss the following topics:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Value-Based Program</li> <li>• 7-day follow up from inpatient discharge</li> </ul>			
<b>Operational Challenges</b>	<p>There was conversation around home providers moving to Private Providers and taking individuals with them. Most members in attendance also reported on-going issues with individuals being dropped off to BHCCs/CSUs or Emergency Rooms and then having no one to pick them up once services are completed.</p> <p>Members requested the Executive Office create an "I/DD RN ListServ" and schedule a meeting to allow for open discussion. (no Monday or Friday)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Send communication to I/DD Director ListServ requesting contact information for each CSB's I/DD RN</li> <li>• Create I/DD RN ListServ</li> <li>• Schedule meeting for I/DD RNs</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Executive Office</li> <li>• Executive Office</li> <li>• Executive Office</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 06/24/2024</li> <li>• 06/24/2024</li> <li>• 06/24/2024</li> </ul>
<b>Annual Leadership Conference 2024</b>	<p>Call for Presentations was released by Executive Office on 04/25/2024. Submission deadline is 05/30/2024.</p>			

<b>Other</b>	Reminder- Upcoming Provider meetings. Members reported useful information from the I/DD Learning Collaborative.			
<b>Next Meeting</b>	The next meeting is scheduled for June 24, 2024 at 11AM.			
<b>Adjournment</b>	The meeting was adjourned at 11:49AM.			
<b>Vice Chair:</b>	Cindy Levi	Recorded By: Renee Millians		