**Durham County Nursing Home Advisory Committee Minutes**

Durham Center for Senior Life, 406 Rigsbee Ave, Suite 244, Durham, NC

**Tuesday, May 8, 2018**

**2018 ATTENDANCE**

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|  | **January 2018** | **February 2018** | **March 2018** | **April 2018** | **May 2018** | **June 2018** | **July 2018** | **August 2018** | **September 2018** | **October 2018** | **November 2018** | **December 2018** |
| Sylvia Alston | \* | NA | X |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Brenda Brown | \* | X | X | X |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Marilyn Cash | \* | X | X | X | X |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dorothy Justice | \* | X | X | X | X |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dana Pearson | \* | X | X | X | X |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Deirdre Thornlow | \* | X | E | X | X |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Lascel Webley | \* | X | X | X | X |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Page Wingfield | \* | X | E | X | X |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Pam Palmer, Ombudsman | \* | X | E | X | X |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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| **Attendance Key** |
| X | Present |
| E | Excused Absence |
| U | Unexcused Absence |
| \* | No Meeting Scheduled or Meeting was prior to Membership on Committee |

**Welcome**

*Deirdre Thornlow*

The committee members were welcomed to the May 2018 Meeting.

**Ombudsman Update**

*Pam Palmer*

**Action Items**

*Deirdre Thornlow*

**Approval of April 2018 Minutes**

Each member was provided a moment to review minutes from the April 2018 meeting and for concerns to be addressed.

**Motion**

The minutes were moved and approved by the committee.

**Nursing Home Reports**

A representative of each nursing home visitation team presented details of visits to various facilities.

**Carver**

Carver had recent citations for improper female personal care and odor in hallways. Everyone is happy with transportation staff. Dementia areas shaping up nicely, and working on its courtyard area.

**Motion**

Page moved and Dot seconded to accept report.

The report was approved by the committee.

**Announcements and Upcoming Events**

*Deirdre Thornlow*

Announcements were solicited and upcoming events were shared with committee members for discussion and/or consideration.

Upcoming Events

DID Learning Collaborative Conference call May 24, 2018 (and every third Thursday 12 – 1 pm). Please remind your nursing home administrators and DONs that this monthly call is open to everyone as a way to share best practices for delivering patient-centered care for residents living with dementia.

NC Partnership – May 16, 2018

Caregiver Summit - June 14, 2018 at Sheraton Imperial, $15 includes lunch. Register on

website. Another will be held in August.

Farmer’s Market table – June for Elder Abuse Awareness day. Volunteers needed.

DID Action Team Meeting West End Grant - pilot program started.

**Adjournment**

*Deirdre Thornlow*

As there was no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

**Next Meeting:** June 12, 2018