

**KEYSTONE HEALTH CENTER
ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE TASKFORCE**

DATE: November 30, 2017

RECORDER: Christina Methner

START TIME: 11:30 a.m.

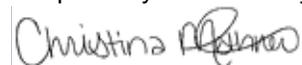
Donna Brandmeyer, Joanne Cochran, Kris Culler, Brandi Glenn-Akers, David Grant, Robin Harmon, Eunice Johnson, Jack Jones, Traci Kline, Pat McCulloh, Sheri Morgan, Noel Purdy, Jon Raber, Megan Shreve, Lehoma Theimer

Guest: Marvin Worthy

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION
Call To Order		Joanne Cochran called the meeting to order at 11:30 a.m.
Approval Of Minutes		On a motion by Noel Purdy and seconded by Donna Brandmeyer, the minutes of the September 21 st meeting were unanimously approved as presented.
Guest Presentation	<p>Guest speaker Marvin Worthy presented the topic "Is Healthcare Really Inclusive In Our Community?"</p> <p>Some main points of discussion were:</p> <p>Diversity – can be used to differentiate groups and people from one another. We all bring diverse qualities. Differences are important to understand, but cannot be used to predict someone's values, choices, responses, etc.</p> <p>Inclusion – being valued, respected, and supported. Diversity is the mix, and inclusion is getting the mix to work well together. Inclusion is an action, and a mindset that encourages a welcoming climate for everyone.</p> <p>Marvin asked the group to break into pairs and discuss some areas that affect the inclusiveness of healthcare in our community.</p> <p>Some feedback points were:</p> <p>Many people don't see cultural difference as an issue, so it's important to keep an open mind.</p> <p>We must display diversity. Many institutions have diversity statements, but don't practice diversity.</p> <p>There are some powerful people in the community who are unwilling to give some of their power to others. This is often done unintentionally.</p> <p>We need different and diverse perspectives in</p>	

	<p>leadership.</p> <p>Our community is changing.</p> <p>More people need to make decisions to not be bystanders. If no one questions anything, the status quo will continue.</p> <p>It's important to understand how disparities impact service, and use that to become competent and intentional.</p>	
Next Meeting	TBA.	
Adjournment		Joanne adjourned the meeting at 1:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by:



Christina Methner, Recorder