



Children's Health Insurance Program Advisory Committee (CHIPAC) Member List 2008-2010

1.) Joint Commission on Health Care *

Representative:

Michele Chesser, Ph.D
Senior Health Policy Analyst

Term:

Member term: March 2006-February 2009

Biography:

Dr. Chesser is the Senior Health Policy Analyst for the Joint Commission on Health Care. Prior to joining the Joint Commission on Health Care in 2007, Dr. Chesser was an Assistant Professor in the Department of Sociology at Randolph-Macon College and an Assistant Professor in the Department of Sociology & Anthropology at Indiana University-Perdue University at Ft. Wayne. Dr. Chesser has also worked as an Evaluation Research Fellow at Hogg Foundation for Mental Health and as a Researcher at IC2 Research Institute. Dr. Chesser earned a degree in sociology from the University of Oklahoma, a Masters of Arts in Sociology and a Ph. D. in Sociology from The University of Texas at Austin.

2.) Department of Social Services *

Representative:

Stephanie Sivert
Medical Assistance Unit Program Manager

Term:

Member term: March 2006-February 2009

Biography:

Ms. Sivert manages the Medical Assistance Unit which provides state oversight of the local departments of social services in their Medicaid and FAMIS eligibility determinations and enrollment. The Medical Assistance Unit provides technical assistance, training and guidance on Medicaid and FAMIS eligibility policies and procedures to local social services agencies. It works in partnership with the Department of Medical Assistance Services on eligibility program policies.

3.) **Department of Health** *

Representative:

Kimberly Barnes

Policy Analyst, Office of Family and Health Services

Term:

Member term: March 2006-February 2009

Biography:

Ms. Barnes currently serves as Policy Analyst for the Office of Family Health Services within the Virginia Department of Health. In this capacity she is responsible for the coordination of staff in the analysis of healthcare delivery systems for women and children and insurance policy issues including legislation, regulatory proposals and economic/operational impact assessments. Ms. Barnes has over twenty years of experience in the healthcare industry including work experience in managed care, hospital administration, and governmental regulation. Prior to joining the Virginia Department of Health, Ms. Barnes was the Executive Director of the Richmond Area Business Group on Health where she represented private industry's interests in national, state, and local healthcare policy development.

4.) **Department of Education** *

Representative:

Tia Campbell, RN, BSN, NCSN

School Health Specialist

Term:

Member term: March 2006-February 2009

Biography:

Ms. Campbell joined the Division of Special Education and Student Services of the Department of Education as school nurse consultant in August 2005. She provides technical assistance and training to 132 school divisions regarding school nursing, school health issues, homebound instruction, and Medicaid. She assists school divisions in providing FAMIS and FAMIS PLUS information to parents and in billing Medicaid for school health services. Prior to coming to DOE, she was a school nurse in Hanover County. Ms. Campbell is a National Board Certified School Nurse and is currently working on her master's degree in nursing education.

5.) **Department of Mental Health, Mental Retardation, & Substance Abuse Services** *

Representative:

Janet Lung

Manager of Child and Adolescent Programs

Term:

Member term: March 2006-February 2009

Biography:

Ms. Lung is a Licensed Clinical Social Worker and has worked in the public mental health system for the past fifteen years. Currently, she is with the Virginia Department of Mental Health, Mental Retardation and Substance Abuse Services. Her focus has been on the development of funding for appropriate community-based services for adults with serious mental illness and children with serious emotional disturbances. She has served in a variety of capacities with the department, including Director of Resource Management, Child and Adolescent Services System Project Director and currently as Manager of Child and Adolescent services. She has served as the principal and co-principal investigator for several large federal grants. She has also worked in direct practice with adults and children and their families and has extensive involvement with mental health advocates, and parent, consumer and family groups.

By way of credentials, Ms. Lung has a master's degree in social work, is a Licensed Clinical Social Worker, and is a Clinical Member of the American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy and the Academy of Certified Social Workers.

6.) **Virginia Health Care Foundation ***

Representative:

Judith Cash
Deputy Director

Term:

Office: Chair of CHIPAC

Chair term: January 2008-December 2009

Member term: March 2006-February 2009

Biography:

Ms. Cash is the Deputy Director of the Virginia Health Care Foundation. In this role, she is responsible for all of the Foundation's grant-making and special initiatives. Ms. Cash came to the Virginia Health Care Foundation after five years as President and CEO of CHIP of Virginia. In that role she led a network of 11 regional public/private partnerships throughout Virginia, designed to ensure access to healthcare for pregnant women and children from low income families.

Prior to joining CHIP of Virginia, Ms. Cash was child health policy analyst with the Virginia General Assembly, and before that, had spent approximately 20 years in direct service and administration of programs for young children with special health care needs and their families.

Ms. Cash holds a master's degree in special education, with a focus on children with special health care needs, and a certificate in nonprofit management.

7.) **Jill A. Hanken, Esq.**

Representative:

Jill A. Hanken, Esq.
Virginia Poverty Law Center
Staff Attorney

Term:

Member term: February 2008-February 2010

Biography:

Ms. Hanken specializes in health law at the Virginia Poverty Law Center. For the past eight years, she has been actively engaged in developing and improving Virginia's children's health insurance programs and promoting enrollment of eligible children. In 1998, she helped form the Virginia Coalition for Children's Health to pursue administrative and legislative reforms. She has worked on the steering committee of *SignUpNow* and co-chairs Virginia's Covering Kids and Families statewide coalition.

8.) **Virginia Hospital & Healthcare Association**

Representative:

Chris Bailey
Senior Vice President

Term:

Member term: February 2008-February 2010

Biography:

Mr. Bailey has served as senior vice president of the VHHA since 1994. He has overall responsibility for financial policy issues, health data programs and spearheading the Association's efforts with Medicaid. He also serves as executive vice president of VHHA Services. Prior to joining VHHA, he served for 10 years with the Illinois Hospital Association. He holds a bachelor's of science degree and a master's degree in health services administration from the University of Michigan.

9.) **Virginia Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics and Virginia Pediatric Society**

Representative:

William Rees, MD, MBA

Term:

Office: Chair of Access Subcommittee
Member term: February 2008-February 2010

Biography:

Dr. Rees has been on the American Academy of Pediatrics Virginia State Board of Directors for the past four years. He has been in the practice of general pediatrics in northern Virginia since 1975. He received a master's of business administration degree from Johns Hopkins University School of Business and Education in medical services management with a special interest in health policy and health economics. As pertinent to CHIPAC, he has been an active member of the Virginia Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP), on various subcommittees, most recently on both the Reimbursement Committee and Finance Committee. He is also on the Board of Directors for Medical Home Plus, a start-up 501 (c) 3 corporation focusing on the concept of the medical home and the chronic care of children with both medical and behavioral problems.

10.) **Virginia Community Healthcare Association**

Representative:

Amy LaMagra
Associate Director of Public Affairs

Term:

Office: Vice Chair of CHIPAC
Vice Chair Term: January 2008-December 2009
Member term: February 2008-February 2010

Biography:

As Associate Director of Public Affairs for the Virginia Community Health Care Association, Ms. LaMagra works closely with the Director of Public Affairs to assist with the Association's public relations and marketing efforts. She also assists the Association's members with their public relations and marketing efforts and is active in community outreach programs including the Children's Health Insurance Program Advisory Committee (CHIPAC) and SignUpNow.

Prior to joining the Virginia Community Health Care Association, Ms. LaMagra served as an intern for Richmond based CRT/tanaka where she worked on corporate accounts such as Target, Girl Scouts of the USA and Longwood University.

Ms. LaMagra holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in Communication with an emphasis in public relations from Virginia Tech and Master of Science degree in Mass Communications with an emphasis in strategic public relations from Virginia Commonwealth University. Amy is an advisor for Kappa Kappa Gamma at the University of Richmond and is the Publications Chairman for the Kappa Kappa Gamma Richmond Alumni Association.

11.) **DMAS Board Member**

Representative:

Manikoth G. Kurup MD, FACS
Chairman, DMAS Board

Medical Consultant for Medicaid and First Health

Term:

Member term: February 2008-February 2010

Biography:

Dr. Kurup is a consultant for Medicaid and First Health. In addition, he has served on the DMAS Board since 2002, and he has been the chairman of the board since 2004. Dr. Kurup is a retired general surgeon and a Fellow of the American College of Surgery (FACS).

12.) **Virginia Association of Health Plans**

Representative:

Catherine Harrison
Director of Policy

Term:

Member term: February 2008-February 2010

13.) **March of Dimes**

Representative:

Rose Stith Singleton
Program Manager

Term:

Member term: February 2008-February 2010

Biography:

Ms. Singleton works as the Project Director for Richmond Healthy Start Initiative for the Richmond City Department of Social Services. As Project Director, Ms. Singleton provides grant management, supervises and trains staff, and develops collaborative relationships with public, private and non-profit organizations.

Prior to working for the Richmond City Department of Social Services, she worked for the Richmond City Department of Public Health for four years. She holds a bachelor's of science degree and a master's degree in education from Virginia State University.

14.) **Ukrops**

Representative:

John Beckner
Director of Pharmacy

Term:

Member term: April 2008-February 2010

Biography:

John O. Beckner, R.Ph., is Director of Pharmacy and Health Services for Ukrop's Super Markets, Inc., a supermarket chain consisting of 29 stores and 23 pharmacies with headquarters in Richmond, Virginia. In this position he is responsible for sales, marketing, strategic planning, and overall pharmacy operations, as well as developing whole health solutions. Prior to joining Ukrop's in 1994, Mr. Beckner was Director of Pharmacy Operations for Standard Drug Company, also located in Richmond. Mr. Beckner earned a degree in biology from Wake Forest University and a pharmacy degree from Virginia Commonwealth University/Medical College of Virginia.

Mr. Beckner is active in several industry associations, including the Food Marketing Institute's Pharmacy Services Committee (Chairman in 2000), Topco Advisory Committee. He is past president of the Virginia Pharmacist's Association (VPhA) and serves on the board of directors for the VphA Research and Education Foundation and also for the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation. He is also currently serving as Vice President of the Virginia Institute for Pharmaceutical Care (VIPIC) and is legislative liaison for the Virginia Association of Chain Drug Stores. Mr. Beckner is host for the Ukrop's "Live Healthy, Be Healthy" pharmacy program, a live call-in show on Richmond's cable television network.

15.) **Capital One**

Representative:

Doug Moran

Vice President of Information Technology

Term:

Office: Chair of Retention Subcommittee

Member term: February 2008-February 2010

Biography:

As the Business Information Officer for GFS North American Lending (i.e., Canada, Small Business Services, Insurance Services, and Home Loans), Mr. Moran is responsible for managing the technology resources in support for these lines of business. This includes: developing the technology strategy and approach to support these lines of business, managing the portfolio of project solutions to drive business value, ensuring the highest quality, supporting technology-based solutions, and managing the business' Data Analyst teams (responsible for accessing and interpreting the raw data captured on Capital One's systems). While Insurance Services and Home Loans IT teams report directly to their respective LOB leadership, they are accountable to Mr. Moran for remaining aligned with COF IT strategy, architecture, policies, and standards.

Mr. Moran joined Capital One in October 1998, first serving as a project manager on Capital One's Year 2000 Project. From June 1999 through January 2001, Mr. Moran served as Chief of Staff for Capital One's CIO.

Prior to joining Capital One, Mr. Moran held posts in Governor George Allen's administration, serving as Telecommunications Director for the Virginia Department of Information Technology, Chief Operating Officer for the Virginia Department of Social Services, and acting-Deputy Secretary of Health and Human Resources. Mr. Moran began his career at Bell Atlantic Corporation where he served in roles including operations management, strategic planning, marketing and sales.

Mr. Moran holds a Bachelor of Science degree from James Madison University.

16.) **Virginia Commonwealth University Health System**

Representative:

**Barbara Harding, RN, MPA, CCM, PAHM
Nurse Manager, Pediatric Ambulatory Care**

Term:

Member term: February 2008-February 2010

Biography:

Barbara Harding, RN is the Nurse Manager in Pediatric Ambulatory Care for Virginia Commonwealth University Health System (VCUHS). In this position she is responsible for clinical management to ensure compliance with patient care standards and to develop and manage finances of eight clinical practices. Prior to joining Virginia Commonwealth University Health System in 2006, Ms. Harding was Nurse Manager for Central Virginia Care Connection for Children. Ms. Harding earned a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Nursing from the College of St. Catherine in Minnesota and a Master of Public Administration from Central Michigan University. Ms. Harding is also a certified case manager.

17.) **Steve Horan**

**Stephen Horan, Ph.D.
Community Health Resource Center
Executive Director**

Term:

Office: Chair of Utilization Subcommittee
Member term: February 2008-February 2010

Biography:

Dr. Horan is the founding President and Executive Director of Community Health Resource Center. He has fifteen years of experience in various consulting and government positions, including several senior positions with the Commonwealth of Virginia. He has directed dozens of projects involving state and

local government, hospitals, health systems, health plans, physician organizations, and consumer groups. He holds a Ph.D. with a major in evaluation research from the University of Virginia.

18.) **Alexandria Neighborhood Health Services, Inc. (ANHSD)**

Representative:

**Eduardo Mantilla-Torres
Program Coordinator**

Term:

Member term: February 2008 – February 2010

19.) **Medical Society of Virginia**

Representative:

Joseph F. Borzelleca, Jr., MD, MPH

Term:

Member term: February 2008-February 2010

Biography:

Dr. Borzelleca is on the faculty of the Department of Obstetrics/Gynecology in the Virginia Commonwealth University (VCU) Health System. He received his medical degree from Medical College of Virginia (MCV) in 1981, did two years of a family practice residency before finishing his obstetrics/gynecology residency at MCV in 1986. He was in private practice in Richmond for several years before returning to MCV. He received his Master's of Public Health at VCU in 1996. He is the medical director of ambulatory services for his department, held the same position for women's services at the Hayes Willis Health Center until 2004, and is the medical director of obstetrical services and chair of the medical committee for the Board of the Virginia League for Planned Parenthood. He has worked and is working with the Center for Disease Control (CDC) on several Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders (FASD) prevention projects, and represents the Medical Society of Virginia on this committee.

20.) **Virginia League of Social Services Executives**

Representative:

**Earl Ford, Jr.
Virginia Beach Department of Human Services
Financial Assistance Division Director**

Term:

Member term: February 2008-February 2010

Biography:

Mr. Ford has been in social services since 1994 and is currently the Financial Assistance Division Director for the Virginia Beach Department of Human Services. He is responsible for daily operations and administration of TANF, Food Stamps, and Medicaid. Prior to this assignment he was the Director of the Louisa County Department of Social Services in Louisa, Virginia. He serves on the Virginia League of Social Services Financial Services Committee and the State Benefit Steering Committee. He holds a bachelor's of science degree from Southern Illinois University in industrial technology and master's degree in management from Florida Institute of Technology.