

American Psychiatric Nurses Association
 Virginia Chapter Member Meeting
 Conference Call
 Friday, November 1, 2019 3:00pm

Item	Discussion & Action Items
2020 Conference	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Prevention Across the Lifespan” will be the theme • Conference Committee will meet 4:00 – 4:30 on Board call Wednesdays followed immediately afterward by the Board member call • Lora will also reach out to APNA about CE policy • Date of conference: 7/31/20 – SAVE THE DATE! • Location: Roanoke <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Vicki Bierman is reaching out to Phyllis Whitehead to discuss Carilion possibly hosting the conference due to lack of hotels near Radford • Lora will reach out to APNA to get guidance on co-sponsors and different levels of sponsorship • Gail Taylor with VDH has agreed to be a keynote or minimally a co-sponsor • Other potential partners/sponsors: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Virginia Association of Community Psychiatric Nurses – Nina Beaman has spoken with them ○ Virginia Nurses Association - Mental Health Roundtable connection <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Lora will reach out to Janet Wall ○ Virginia Health Care Foundation - Mental Health Roundtable connection <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Lora will reach out to Debbie Oswalt and Denise Daly-Konrad ○ Local CSBs: New River Valley and Blue Ridge – Nina and Vicki could coordinate with them once the APNA policy is understood and informational material for sponsors is developed ○ Washington/Baltimore HIDTA: Lora could coordinate them funding a speaker for the conference • Conference Planning Committee will need to develop a 1 page description of the conference with major goals <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Lora will reach out to Gail Taylor to reconcile potential goals with prevention needs identified in Virginia • Lisa Dishner will join the Conference Planning Committee as a chapter member representative • Lora will generate a list of topics to send to the Conference Planning Committee to start narrowing down/categorizing the topics
Bed Registry/Community Resource Task Force	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lora Peppard will reach out to APNA to ask if they have a specific template they would like for the brief to be submitted to APNA Board for approval of this task force

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lisa Dishner will work with Roanoke colleagues and anyone else who signed up for the task force to generate a brief Lora can submit to the APNA Board for approval.
Area Representatives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lisa Dishner will be our pilot Area Representative for this year. • Lora will reach out to APNA to identify an Area Representative mentor from another state that can mentor us on how to best implement Area Representatives in our state. • Once an infrastructure for ARs is in place, we will ask for volunteers from other regions.
Next Steps	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chapter Calls/Zoom: The next chapter member call will be Friday, December 6 at 3:00 p.m. Contact chaptersupport@apna.org for the call-in information. • Please make sure you are connected on Member Bridge. Lora will be posting some information coming through APNA through this platform.