

Early Detection Subcommittee

Friday 1, 2008

12:30 – 2:30 p.m.

Members Present: **Chair:** Michael O'Malley, **Co Chair:** Eleanor Green, Katya Roytbard, Pam Dickens, Richard Leber, Rick Greene, Phil Harris, Peggy Messick, Paris Mock, Susie Lavender, Larson (Larry) Isely, Nancy Reese, Emmeline Weber, Lakeisha Johnson, Gerell Smith, Earnestine Good, Jenny Rollins, Sandy Oehler, Beth Williams, Greg Nash, Betsy Levitas

Lead Staff: Dianah Bradshaw

Comprehensive Cancer Staff: Kenisha Bethea, Rachel Walton

Topic	Discussion	Action
Welcome/ Introductions	Michael O'Malley	Members introduced themselves.
Minutes Approval	Motion of minutes to be passed	Minutes unanimously passed.
Strategy Development - NC Cancer Plan	<p>Committee worked on Strategy Template for the NC Cancer Plan. People were separated into groups based on cancer types (breast, prostate, lung, colorectal). Each group completed a template and included the names of the group members.</p> <p>Group reconvened to share 1 of the strategies that was identified within the group. The committee was encouraged to continue identifying strategies within their organizations or individually. Templates are to be either mailed, faxed, or emailed to NC Comprehensive Cancer.</p>	Group discussion took place, suggestions/comments were given. All changes that can be made will be made.
FYI	<p>Dr. O'Malley discussed Blue Cross Blue Shield (BCBS)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Screening and Early Detection Services do not include all screenings• ED Committee should partner with BCBS to include ALL screenings• BCBS covers 2.5 -3 million residents. The State Health Plan should include cancer toolkits	No action was taken at this time. This will be discussed further.
Meeting Adjourned at 2:00pm.	Next Meeting will be Friday, April 18, 2008 at the Solution Center.	

