

**Rhode Island Department of Health
Women's Health Advisory Committee**

June 3, 2009

3:30 - 5:00 p.m.

AGENDA

3:30 Welcome & Introductions

v Iris Tong

3:35 Approval of Minutes (April)

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3:35 – 3.50 Projects Update

v Iris Tong

o Pharmacy Update (next BOP meeting Thursday, June 18)

o Subcommittee Updates

1. Breast CA screening among senior women (M. McCarthy)

o Senior Expo

o Letter to Dr. Gifford

2. Healthy relationships among teenage girls (M. Ghazal)

3. Sexual Abuse Awareness (I. Tong)

4. Exercise & Health (W. Fox)

3:50 – 3:55 Invite Dr. Gifford to attend September WHAC meeting

1. list of WHAC accomplishments

- 2. how better to collaborate**
- 3. recommended areas of focus**
- 4. response to our letters**

3:55 – 4:15 Teen Ambassador Projects

- 5. Jessica Marfeo, Prout School (Teen Pregnancy/STD prevention)**
- 6. Katie Albert, Prout School (Nutrition/Breast Cancer)**
- 7. Angelique Higgins, Wm. M. Davies Career & Technical School
(Science fair to promote women in science)**
- 4. Vivian Lima, Blackstone Academy Charter School (Eating disorders podcast)**

4:15– 4:40 Items for Review

v Healthcare Reform

v Title V Maternal & Child Health Block Grant Survey

v OWH Strategic Plan

4:40 – 4:45 Regional Report

v Marian Mehegan

4:45 – 4:55 Staff Report

v Carrie Bridges

4:55 – 5:00 Announcements

Next Meeting Date: September 2, 2009

If accommodations are needed to ensure equal participation, please contact the Office of Women's Health at (401) 222-4616 or kate.mccarthy-barnett@health.ri.gov at least three business days prior to the meeting.