

Provider Council Meeting Minutes

Chair: English Albertson, BS, QP | Chief Strategy Officer | Pride in North Carolina | President of the Provider Council

Date: September 11, 2025

Location: Virtual – Microsoft Teams

Time: 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Provider Council Members	Present
Angie Rouse, BS, QP CEO Riverbend Services, Inc.	☐
Ashley Sparks, MSW, LCSW Executive Director – Child & Adolescent Facility Based Crisis Program Alexander Youth Network	☒
Barry Dixon, MA CEO Dixon Social Interactive Services	☒
Chris Faulkner, LCSW Group Practice Owner Family Solutions, PLLC	☒
Debbie Lee Stehling, BS, QP VP of Operations, Long Term Supports and Services Monarch	☐
English Albertson, BS, QP Chief Strategy Officer Pride in North Carolina	☒
Eric Christian, MA Ed., LCMHC, NCC Director of Behavioral Health Integrations Community Care of North Carolina	☐
Jeannie King, MS Regional Vice President Pinnacle Family Services of NC, LLC	☒
Jennifer Moore, MA Operations Director A Caring Heart Case Management	☒
Jerry Earnhardt, MS, LCMHCS, LCMHC Regional Operations Director for Triad Area Daymark Recovery Services	☒
Joyce Barnes, QP, BS Program Manager Herbert Reid Home, Inc.	☒
Kerri Erb, QP, MPA Chief Program Officer Autism Society of NC	☒
Leann Henkel Mid-State CFAC Chairperson Precision Fabrication	☒
Luanne Welch, BS CEO/President Easter Seals UCP North Carolina & Virginia, Inc. & PORT Health Services, Inc	☒
Margaret Weller-Stargell, BA President & CEO Coastal Horizons Center	☒
Melani Green, LCMHC, LCAS, CCS-I Owner & CEO The M.E. Green House	☒
Natasha Holley, LCSW, LCAS, CCS CEO Integrated Family Services	☒
Patrice Bryant, MS, LCMHC, QS, LCAS-A CEO Yotaron Enrichment Resource Center	☒
Roger Jones VP of Operations, Eastern Region RHA	☒
Ron Rau, BA, MBA President & CEO Alcohol & Drug Services of Guilford, Inc.	☒

Provider Council Members	Present
Russell Herring CEO AssistedCare at Home	☒
Seslie Roughton, BS, QP Chief Operations Officer - Eastern Region Skill Creations	☒
Steve Hess Chief Program Officer Family Service of the Piedmont, Inc.	☐
Tieka Martin-Green Outreach Coordinator and Consultant The Lighthouse Home	☒
Tonya Fuller-Johnson Owner/CEO Miss Daisy's & Associates/Miss Daisy's Gentlemen of the Future	☒
Victor Moore, PHD Business, MBA Director Progressive Care Services	☒

Trillium Representative Attendees (Present)
Amanda Outlaw Associate Vice President of Network Accreditation & Policies
Brooke Mickelson Director of Program Coordination
Chauncey Dameron Provider Relations and Engagement Manager
Jamie Robertson Provider Relations Administrative Assistant
Casey Everette Provider Relations Administrative Assistant
Trillium Representative Attendees (Present)
Meagan Evans Hospital Consultant

1. Agenda Topic: Call of Meeting to Order and Reminder about Recording Software

Presenter(s): English Albertson

Discussion	English called the meeting to order and also reminded all meeting attendees that the use of Artificial Intelligence (AI) features including, but not limited to, programs and/or apps to assist with transcription and/or recording of this meeting is not permitted.		
Conclusions	N/A		
Action Items	Person(s) Responsible	Deadline	
N/A	N/A	N/A	

2. Agenda Topic: Establish Quorum

Presenter(s): English Albertson

Discussion	Jamie conducted a roll call to establish a quorum		
Conclusions	A quorum was established.		
Action Items	Person(s) Responsible	Deadline	
N/A	N/A	N/A	

3. Agenda Topic: Approval of Meeting Agenda**Presenter(s): English Albertson**

Discussion	- Ron Rau made a motion to approve today's meeting agenda as written; Jerry Earnhardt seconded the motion. - Today's meeting agenda was unanimously approved by the Provider Council.		
Conclusions	N/A		
Action Items		Person(s) Responsible	Deadline
• N/A		N/A	N/A

4. Agenda Topic: Final Vote of July 10, 2025 Meeting Minutes**Presenter(s): English Albertson**

Discussion	Barry Dixon made a motion to approve the July 10, 2025 meeting minutes; Ashely Sparks second the motion.		
Conclusions	July 10, 2025, was approved.		
Action Items		Person(s) Responsible	Deadline
• N/A		N/A	N/A

5. Agenda Topic: Introduction of Amanda Outlaw**Presenter(s): English Albertson/Amanda Outlaw**

Discussion	English Albertson introduced Amanda Outlaw, Associate Vice President of Network Accreditation and Policies, who will be taking over the responsibilities of Linda Isbell following her retirement. Amanda Outlaw introduced herself and expressed that she is happy to be working with the council.		
Conclusions	N/A		
Action Items		Person(s) Responsible	Deadline
• N/A		N/A	N/A

6. Agenda Topic: Training**Presenter(s): Brooke**

Discussion	Brooke Mickleson shared a presentation on the upcoming trainings that feature Post Disaster Simulation, ReEntry Simulations, and Supporting Children early simulation.		
Conclusions			
Action Items		Person(s) Responsible	Deadline
Presentation will be sent to the Provider Council.		Jamie Robertson	

7. Agenda Topic: Provider Council Member Conflict of Interest Form**Presenter(s): English Albertson**

Discussion	The Provider Council Member was reminded by the English department to submit their conflict of interest if it has not yet been submitted.		
Conclusions	N/A		
Action Items	Person(s) Responsible	Deadline	
	English	N/A	

8. Agenda Topic: Nomination Committee/roll off**Presenter(s): Jerry Earnhardt / Chris Faulkner**

Discussion	English Albertson shared an update on behalf of the subcommittee, noting that while they've been working hard, they're not quite ready to present any final materials yet. The group hopes to bring bylaw changes and other items to the Council for a vote at the next meeting. English also mentioned that the application deadline for hospital representative positions has been extended to September 19, 2025. A few applications have already been received, and once the full list is in, they'll be sent to the Nomination Committee for review.		
Conclusions	N/A		
Action Items	Person(s) Responsible	Deadline	
		N/A	

9. Agenda Topic: Nomination Committee**Presenter(s): English Albertson**

Discussion	Council members wishing to serve on the Nomination Committee were asked to contact English via email. She pointed out the importance of representing each of the five regions and ensuring all disability areas are addressed.		
Conclusions	N/A		
Action Items	Person(s) Responsible	Deadline	
Council members who are interested in joining the Nomination Committee should contact English.	Interested Council Members	ASAP	

10. Agenda Topic: Confirm Next Provider Council Meeting**Presenter(s): English Albertson**

Discussion	The next Provider Council meeting will be held Thursday, November 13, 2025, from 10am-12pm.	
Conclusions	N/A	
Action Items	Person(s) Responsible	Deadline
N/A	N/A	N/A

11. Agenda Topic: Agenda Topic Reminders**Presenter(s): English Albertson**

Discussion	If you have any subjects you want to cover in future meetings, please send them to Jamie Robertson.	
Conclusions	N/A	
Action Items	Person(s) Responsible	Deadline
N/A	N/A	N/A

12. Agenda Topic: Meeting Adjournment**Presenter(s): English Albertson**

Discussion	Jerry Earnhardt made a motion to adjourn the meeting; Luann Welch seconded the motion. The motion was unanimously approved by the Provider Council.	
Conclusions	N/A	
Action Items	Person(s) Responsible	Deadline
N/A	N/A	N/A

NEXT MEETING DATE: NOVEMBER 13, 2025

(Meetings convene from 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM)

Supporting documents are proprietary and can be requested by contacting the Provider Council Secretary.

Respectfully Submitted by:

Jamie Robertson (Administrative Assistant) / Secretary to the Trillium Provider Council