## **Washington State Oral Health Coalition**

April 10, 2009 **Draft Minutes** 

## HealthPoint's Administrative Offices – Conference Room 955 Powell Avenue SW Renton, WA 98057

## **Members Present and by teleconference**:

Officers: Christie Waddington, Lisa Anderson, Yvonne Martin (absent)

Others: Ida Ovnicek, Divesh Byrappagari, Melody Scheer, Norma Wells, Pam Gorsuch, Nancy Alleman, Peg Terp, Beverly Fry

## **Guests/Presenters:**

None

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	WHO	ACTION/FOLLOW-UP
WELCOME AND	Officers, members, and guests	Christie	The meeting was called to order at 9:30
<b>INTRODUCTIONS:</b>	introduced themselves		a.m. by Christie Waddington, Chair.
<b>GUEST SPEAKER:</b>	None		
<b>EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE</b>	Chair Report:	Christie	WSOHC Website has been updated
REPORTS AND	Treasurer's Report:		Estimated \$350.00 (Treasurer absent)
<b>ANNOUNCEMENTS:</b>	Secretary's Report:	Lisa	March 13, 2009 Minutes – Approved as
			written
	May 8, 2009 Meeting – Tacoma	Christie	Reserve Seat "Models for Change"
	-		Milgard Family HOPE Center
GENERAL BUSINESS:	Review and vote to adopt	Peg Terp	Draft position paper was approved as
	position paper on Oral Health		presented. Adopted with a 11:0 vote.
	and Universal Health Care		Will be posted on WSOHC website

NEW BUSINESS:	National Conference	Christie	Ida Ovnicek, Linda Gillis, Nancy Alleman, Peg Terp, Carol Bruce will be attending this meeting
	DOH State Oral Health Care Plan		Link is www.doh.wa.gov
	DOH – Dental Hygiene Examining Committee		The DOH Dental Hygiene Committee currently has two vacancies, one dental hygienist and one public member is needed for terms running through September 2011.
	Letters of Support for Grants		WSOHC can support the mission or goal of a grant, but not an individual.
OLD BUSINESS:	WSOHC Funding	Christie	Christie indicated that Teleconference services were funded through 2009. Encouraged members to send donations.
	• Legislation		See most recent bill information at <a href="https://www.leg.wa.gov">www.leg.wa.gov</a>
SUBCOMMITTEE UPDATES	Children's Oral Health		Divesh and Nancy with Nancy as lead. (Focus on schools, ABCD, SmileSurvey_
	Health Home		Not discussed – Carol Bruce, Bev Frye. Carol will take lead and prepare a
	<ul><li>Position Paper</li><li>Adult/Senior Oral Health</li></ul>		statement regarding whole body health.  Done
	Archives/History of Coalition		No meetings or activities/ Ida, Melody and Norma – with Norma Lead Christie, Norma, Peg, Melody – will

			discuss in June.
AGENCY UPDATES:	Participants provide updates.		
<b>Roundtable Updates:</b>			
ADJOURN:	11:30 a.m.	Christie	
DATES TO REMEMBER:	Friday May 8, 2009 – "Models for Change – Midlevel Providers" Milgard Family HOPE Center, 10402 Kline Street SW Lakewood, WA	Nancy Alleman Linda Gillis	This event will offer an opportunity to learn about new models for delivering oral health care from oral health educators and organizations, and medical professionals.