

(FINAL/APPROVED)

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF PHARMACY  
MINUTES OF INNOVATIVE PILOT PROGRAM COMMITTEE**

Monday April 18, 2022  
Commonwealth Conference Center  
Second Floor  
Board Room 2

Department of Health Professions  
Perimeter Center  
9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 300  
Henrico, Virginia 23233

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**CALL TO ORDER:** A meeting of a Special Conference Committee (Innovative Pilot) of the Board of Pharmacy was called to order at 10:03 AM.

**PRESIDING:** Cheryl Nelson, Committee Chairman

**MEMBER PRESENT:** Dale St. Clair, Committee Member

**STAFF PRESENT:** Caroline D. Juran, Executive Director  
Mykl Egan, Discipline Case Manager  
David Robinson, DHP Adjudication Specialist  
Sorayah Haden, Executive Assistant

**PARTNERS PHARMACY OF VIRGINIA, LLC**  
Improving Safe Access to Medications in Virginia's Crisis Services System

Christopher Bowling, Pharmacist in Charge, Frank Wang, VP of Operations, and Jody Fenelon, Executive VP of Compliance of Partners Pharmacy appeared in person on behalf of Partners Pharmacy of Virginia, LLC. Additionally, Kevin Ann Huckshorn, PhD, RN, MSN, CADC, Executive Vice President, NE Region, Recovery Innovations International and Tammala Watkins, LCSW, Virginia State Director, Recovery Innovations International, appeared in person to discuss the proposed innovative pilot program "Establishing a Reliable and New Pharmacy Services Model: Improving Safe Access to Medications in Virginia's Crisis Services System" as stated in the April 14, 2022 Notice.

**DISCUSSION:** Representatives of Partners Pharmacy presented information about the use of AP Passport in a recently approved pilot program and its proposed use in a new crisis stabilization unit in Chantilly, Virginia. Representatives from the Recovery Innovations International presented information about the nature of crisis stabilization units and the value of having an AP Passport system in them. The Chantilly location currently is only providing services to short-term stay patients averaging a stay of 3-5 days. They do not currently accept patients intended to stay less than 24

hours.

DECISION:

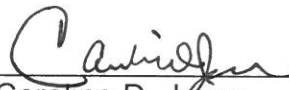
Upon a motion by Dr. St. Clair, and duly seconded by Dr. Nelson, the Committee voted unanimously to approve the innovative pilot program for three years with certain terms and conditions.

ADJOURN:

With all business concluded, the meeting adjourned at 1:14 PM.



Cheryl Nelson  
Committee Chairman



Caroline D. Juran  
Executive Director

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Date

6/6/2022

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