VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH ADAP ADVISORY COMMITTEE (AAC) MEETING – 3/22/2023				
NAME	ORGANIZATION	IN-PERSON	ZOOM	ABSENT
Kathleen A. McManus, MD, MSCR	UVA Health System, ID Fellow Program		\boxtimes	
Robert Higginson, PA	VCU Medical Center Infectious Disease Clinic			
Daniel Nixon, DO, PhD	VCU HIV/AIDS Center			\boxtimes
Sarah West, MD	Infectious Disease Associates of Central Virginia			
Karen Council, OSS	Hampton Health Department			\boxtimes
Edward Oldfield, MD	Eastern Virginia Medical School			\boxtimes
Greg Townsend, MD	UVA, Div of Infectious Diseases & Internal Health			\boxtimes
Linda Eastham, MSN, RN, FNP	UVA School of Nursing			
Rebecca Dillingham, MD, MPH	Center for Global Health at UVA			
David Wheeler, MD	INOVA Juniper Program			
Dolorosa (Dolly) Sikipa, ACRN	Inova Juniper Program, Prince William Offices			\boxtimes
Juan Pierce	The Minority Health Consortium			
Mark Baker	Total Healthcare		\boxtimes	
Michael Bane, PharmD	CVS Pharmacies			\boxtimes
Stephanie Wheawill, PharmD	Virginia Department of Health/Pharmacy Services			
Elaine G. Martin	VDH/Division of Disease Prevention		\boxtimes	
Kimberly Scott, M.S.P.H.	VDH/HIV Care Services			
Kimberly Eley, MPH, MBA	VDH/Medication Access, HIV Care Services		\boxtimes	
Safere Diawara, MPH	VDH/HIV Care Services		\boxtimes	
Jasmine Ford, LPN, BA	VDH/HIV Care Services			
Jenny Calhoun, RN	VDH/Division of Disease Prevention			
Guest: Tinika McIntosh	VDH/HIV Care Services			
Guest: Lisa Jeanette Pettaway, Pharm.D.	Virginia Department of Health/Pharmacy Services			
Guest: Lucia Aguilar	VDH/HIV Care Services		\boxtimes	
Guest: Dianna Williams, MSM	VDH/HIV Care Services		\boxtimes	

Meeting start time: 3:38 pm

The Committee welcomed a new member, Dr. Michael T. Bane, a pharmacist from the eastern health planning region. Dr. Bane could not attend this meeting, but he is now officially a new member of the Committee.

Safere Diawara, VDH Manager of the Clinical and Data Administration team, presented an update from the Ryan White HIV/AIDS Program Part B (RWHAP B) formulary workgroup. The presentation included the purpose of the formulary, how clinicians can access formulary medications, and the draft revisions for its policies and procedures. Contact information was provided.

The VDH's Rapid Start pilot program concluded its third year. With its success, the RWHAP B program is integrating these services into its standard Ryan White Part B service delivery system. This means that funding for services that help patients access HIV medications within 14 days of diagnosis or after returning to care is provided in one contract for agencies that provide these and other RWHAP B services.

Tinika McIntosh, Lead HIV Care Services Analyst, reviewed the Virginia Medication Assistance Program (VA MAP) drug utilization data.

• Committee members shared challenges with Cabenuva access and relayed that accessing this medication from VA MAP is more accessible than working with insurance carriers.

The Committee voted to **add** Januvia (sitagliptin), Jardiance (empagliflozin), and Victoza (liraglutide) to the VA MAP formulary for the treatment of type II diabetes.

Jenny Calhoun, Nurse Consultant, updated the AAC about Monkeypox in the U.S. and the Commonwealth.

Kimberly Eley, Manager of the Medication Access Program, provided an overview of a proposed medication access model change for uninsured/underinsured clients served by VA MAP. The model will enable these clients to access their formulary medications from a retail pharmacy or receive them by mail order, aligning with how insured clients access their medications from VA MAP. Primary data collection to date shows that the majority of providers and clients believe this is a positive programmatic change to assist clients with medication access. July 2024 is the proposed full implementation date for this model.

Due to time constraints from the full agenda, the VDH team will send the draft ADAP Advisory Committee Scope for review and adoption. The VDH staff suggested that Committee members could do this by email between regular meetings.

Jasmine Ford, the HIV Care Services Clinical Coordinator, will conduct outreach and survey Committee members for availability for the September 2023 AAC meeting.

Recommended topics for the next meeting: 1) Unified Eligibility and Provide Enterprise, 2) Cabenuva drug utilization, and 3) funding for ancillary diabetic supplies

The committee chair adjourned the meeting at 5:00 p.m.