

July 15, 2008

9:00 – Breakfast snacks available

9:30 – Welcome & Introductions

- Why are we here? (context, planning process, and hopes for the group)
- Introduction of meeting participants

10:15 – Overview of the Data & Resources related to Aging in Western North Carolina

- Data - What stands out in the data that we should pay attention to?
- Resources - Are there key resources missing from our list to consider in the planning process?
- *BRAINSTORM*

11:15 – The Big Picture

- Legislation recently proposed or passed that could impact your work at the local level

11:30 – Role of Public Health

- Review potential role of public health in meeting needs of aging adults (NACCHO, CDC, etc.) – Planning, Advocacy, & Program/Service Delivery?

12:00 - Lunch & Networking

- Meet at least one new person and plan to share something about them to the group when we come back together: (1) something they like to do (2) How your jobs are similar

1:00 - What's the Plan?

- Review of Department on Aging plan for meeting the needs of older adults
- Review of MOA between the Local Health Department and the Department on Aging

1:30 - Local Realities

- What does all of this mean to us at the local level? *REACTIONS & THOUGHTS?*
- Where are their potential programmatic needs based on our knowledge of the needs of older adults in this County?
- *BRAINSTORM*

2:30 – What Next?

- How can we expand/alter services at the local health department to assist in meeting these goals? *Who will do it? What will it look like? How will we know if people will participate?*
- Models for addressing specific community concerns and/or program gaps
 - *BRAINSTORM*
 - Any evidence-base practices that we could modify for local adoption?
 - Which of these have the most potential for working with our resources and population?
 - Assign tasks for follow-up on project ideas/content

3:30 – Closing & Next Steps