

APPENDIX F

State Agency Contributions in Support of
Task Force Activities

**FINAL REPORT OF THE
TASK FORCE TO DEVELOP AN OLMSTEAD
PLAN FOR VIRGINIA**

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The following State agencies participated as members of the Task Force and made additional contributions to the work of the Task Force as noted.

Assistive Technology Loan Fund Authority (ATLFA)

- ✓ Participated as member of Employment Team

Board for People with Disabilities (BPD):

- ✓ Awarded a grant of \$60,000 to support the Facility/Residential Programs and Consumer and Family Feedback data collection and analysis efforts
- ✓ Assisted in development of Consumer and Family Feedback Form
- ✓ Participated as member of Steering Committee
- ✓ Participated as member of state agency populations and services effort
- ✓ Participated as member of Educating the Public, Consumers and Families Team

Department for the Aging (VDA):

- ✓ Participated as member of Steering Committee
- ✓ Participated as member of state agency populations and services effort
- ✓ Participated as member of Waivers Team
- ✓ Hosted a state agency populations and services meeting
- ✓ Hosted a Steering Committee meeting
- ✓ Assembled populations and services data for the Alzheimer's and dementia populations
- ✓ Served as moderator for a Task Force meeting and a public comment session

Department for the Blind and Vision Impaired (DBVI)

- ✓ Participated as member of Steering Committee
- ✓ Participated as member of state agency populations and services effort
- ✓ Participated as member of Accountability and Transportation Teams
- ✓ Hosted three state agency populations and services meetings
- ✓ Assembled populations and services data for the blind, vision impaired and deaf-blind populations
- ✓ Provided Braille copies of agendas and agenda items and assistive technology for Task Force members

Department for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing (DDHH)

- ✓ Participated as member of Steering Committee
- ✓ Participated as member of state agency populations and services effort
- ✓ Participated as member of Qualified Providers Team
- ✓ Hosted five Steering Committee meetings
- ✓ Assembled populations and services data for the deaf, hard of hearing and late-deafened populations
- ✓ Provided interpreters for two Task Force meetings; assisted in arranging interpreters for other Task Force meetings, and provided loop service for all Task Force and Steering Committee meetings

Department of Education (DOE)

- ✓ Participated as member of Qualified Providers Team
- ✓ Served as moderator for a Task Force meeting
- ✓ Assembled and distributed special education populations data to state agencies
- ✓ Provided facilitator for a Task Force meeting

Department of Health (VDH)

- ✓ Participated as member of Steering Committee
- ✓ Served as agency co-convener for and member of Educating the Public, Consumers and Families Team
- ✓ Provided nursing homes mailing list for Facility and Residential Programs Survey

Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD)

- ✓ Participated as member of Steering Committee
- ✓ Served as agency co-convener for and member of Housing Team

Department of Medical Assistance Services (DMAS)

- ✓ Participated as member of Steering Committee
- ✓ Participated as member of state agency populations and services effort
- ✓ Served as agency convener for and member of Waivers Team
- ✓ Served as moderator for a Task Force meeting and public comment session
- ✓ Assembled populations and services data for the HIV/AIDS populations

Department of Mental Health, Mental Retardation and Substance Abuse Services (DMHMRSAS)

- ✓ Coordinated and provided administrative support to the Task Force and Steering Committee
- ✓ Provided \$60,000 for support of Task Force activities through a grant from Advocates for Human Potential
- ✓ Participated as member of Steering Committee
- ✓ Participated as member of state agency populations and services effort
- ✓ Served as agency convener for and member of Prevention and Transition Team
- ✓ Served as agency co-convener for and member of Educating the Public, Consumers and Families Team
- ✓ Assembled populations and services data for the mental illness, emotional disturbance, mental retardation and substance abuse populations
- ✓ Provided ongoing maintenance and updates for Olmstead Task Force website
- ✓ Provided residential services mailing lists for Facility and Residential Programs Survey
- ✓ Provided audio-video technology and remote sites for public comment sessions at two meetings

Department of Rehabilitative Services (DRS)

- ✓ Participated as member of Steering Committee
- ✓ Participated as member of state agency populations and services effort
- ✓ Assembled populations and services data for the autism, physical disabilities, developmental disabilities (other than mental retardation), and brain injuries populations
- ✓ Provided assistance with call-backs on Facility/Residential Programs Survey
- ✓ Served as agency convener for and member of Employment and Transportation Teams
- ✓ Designed and developed Olmstead Task Force website
- ✓ Provided assistance in determining accessibility of meeting locations
- ✓ Hosted two Steering Committee meetings

Department of Social Services (DSS)

- ✓ Provided Assisted Living Facility and Children's Residential Services mailing lists for Facility and Residential Programs Survey
- ✓ Participated as member of Employment Team

Office of Comprehensive Services (OCS)

- ✓ Participated as member of Educating the Public, Consumers and Families Team

Virginia Housing Development Authority (VHDA)

- ✓ Participated as member of Steering Committee
- ✓ Served as agency co-convener for and member of Housing Issues Team
- ✓ Upgraded telecommunications lines and services to permit teleconferencing of three meetings at remote sites
- ✓ Hosted three Task Force meetings
- ✓ Hosted one Steering Committee meeting

Virginia Office for Protection and Advocacy (VOPA)

- ✓ Provided \$12,000 in funding to reimburse consumer and family member participation in Task Force processes and to reimburse speakers
- ✓ Participated as member of Steering Committee
- ✓ Served as agency convener for and member of Accountability and Qualified Providers Teams

The Virginia Community Colleges System (VCCS) and John Tyler Community College hosted one Task Force meeting.

The Department of Rail and Public Transportation (DPRT) participated as a member of the Transportation Team.