

Clinical Services Work Group
Friday, January 23, 2009
8:30-9:30 am—Conference Call
Summary

Attendees: Jeanne Egger (NE), Quinn Stein (SD), Ralph Vogel (AR), Robin Troxell (MO) and Donna Nale (MO)
 Heartland Staff: Lori Williamson and Shona Whitehead

Meeting Summary:

Agenda Item	Discussion	Action
Welcome and Attendance		
Clinical Needs in Your State	<p>Challenge posed to the group: are the clinical needs in your state being met? If, not can Heartland help? Where are the service gaps?</p> <p>If Heartland can help fund a project to fill the gaps, the project must be clearly defined and specifically address a service gap.</p> <p>Ralph Vogel (AR)—would be interested in learning how the clinical services in other states within the region are structured.</p> <p>Donna Nale (MO)—the most obvious need is additional clinical service providers.</p>	<p>All states are asked to take a close look at current or potential service gaps; then suggest projects that Heartland could fund to meet the needs.</p> <p>Please send list of service gaps and project ideas to Lori at lori-williamson@ouhsc.edu.</p>
Telemedicine Resource Manual Project Update	<p>a. Volunteer reviewers (who didn't contribute to the manual) are needed for final review. Reviewers should review the document to see if they would have the basic knowledge to set up a telehealth clinic after reading the manual. Ralph Vogel and Robin Troxell volunteered to be reviewers.</p> <p>b. Suggestions for dissemination of the telemedicine manual include: posting it on the Heartland website and announcing its availability via list-serves including the NSGC and Clinical Genetics</p>	<p>Suggestions for dissemination of the telemedicine manual should be sent to Lori at lori-williamson@ouhsc.edu.</p>
Announcements	<p>Ralph Vogel is facilitating a call regarding the transition from pediatric to adult care on Tuesday, January 27 at 3:30 pm. Anyone is welcome to participate. The call in number is (888)285-4585 and the Participant Code is 478730. A call summary will be distributed after the call.</p>	
Next Meeting	<p>February 23-24, 2009--Heartland Mid-Year Meeting in Kansas City--CANCELLED</p>	<p>March 13, 2009: 8:30 am (No February meeting)</p>