

**WESTCHESTER COUNTY CHAPTER  
OF  
THE LINKS, INCORPORATED  
FACET MINUTES & EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT**

**COMMITTEE/FACET NAME:** Health and Human Services

**CALL MEETING DATE AND TIME/ATTENDEES:** February 16, 2019. Jennifer Lewis, Dawna Michelle Fields, Shelia Hankin, Quay Watkins, Mary Graves & Jackie Boucher

**Meeting Start/Finish:** 9:30am/10:30am

**ACTIVITY/ISSUES DISCUSSED:**

**Announcement:**

Link Shelia Hankin - newest HHS Facet member.

Link Dawna shared the history of HHS activities from Food Bank to present activities that focus on member's health awareness and health walks.

**Recap – January Chapter Meeting – Get Up and Move Moment!**

Get up and Move was led by Link Louise. Facet distributed heart health information and smart trackers in preparation for Feb Heart health month. Activity was received well

**February Chapter Meeting**

1. Link Quay to reach out to Link Louise to led get up and move moment for Feb Chapter meeting and will bring music.
2. Link Dawna Update Chapter Meeting alert to include “red bottoms” in case members do not have red foot wear-Thanks Link Shelia for reminding us. Go Red photo op to will be sent to national. Link Dawna has 4 foot prop.



### Initiatives/ideas

1. Mental Health: Link Jackie to follow up with Link Belinda on details on information need for young men.
2. Mental Health: Link Dawna reminded HHS facet to respond to My Sister's Place dinner in April.
3. Health Walks: Link Jennifer to follow up with NTS on Alzheimer and Cancer health walks. Link Jennifer to reach out to Greater Hudson Valley (Link Pat Hurlock) for combining efforts. Link Jackie reminded us that Woodland High school students would like to walk with us.
4. Partnership: Girls Inc. would like for Westchester Links to partner with them on their awareness/empowerment walk. More to Come from Link Dawna who serves on the Girls Inc. board.
5. Children's Dental Health: Greenburgh Schools are confirming dates of dental van. Link Quay will contact schools/follow-up to make sure we are receiving consents. Colgate staff in conforming dates and will work directly with Link Quay. Link Mary G. will manage signup sheets of link volunteers.

### Facet Calendar

Feb. 2019	Red Shoe Heart Health Awareness Photo Op – Chapter Meeting
May 2019	Children's Oral Health – Colgate Dental Van – Greenburgh
April 2019	Eastern Area Conference – Atlantic City, NJ

### Next Meeting:

March 16:	9:30am, Google/Telephone Meeting
April 13:	8:30am, Live before Chapter Meeting

### **ITEMS REQUIRING ACTION AT THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING:**

None

### **MOTIONS FOR THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TO CONSIDER:**

NONE

**Submitted by: Dawna Michelle Fields & Jennifer Lewis, PhD**

**Date: February 16, 2019**

## **HHS Reach Report**

Requested for Chapter Program Report/Submitted on February 2, 2019

### Dental Van \ Reach

Site Name	Visit Date	City	Children Screened	People Educated	People Aware	Total Reached
Lois Bronz Center for Children	02/07/2017	White Plains	61	200	2000	
Lois Bronz Children's Center	03/07/2017	White Plains	41	300	2101	
Lois Bronz Children's Center	04/04/2017	White Plains	63	1200	25,654	
Emmanuel Childrens mission	06/16/2017	Mount Vernon	65	197	700	
Interfaith	06/25/2017	Mount Vernon	0	600	9,971	
African American Heritage Day Celebration	06/25/2017	Valhalla	62	800	10000	
United Preschool Center	11/17/2017	White Plains	64	200	1500	
			356	3497	51926	55779
Holmes School	02/27/2018	Mount Vernon	0	0	300	
Highview Elementary School	03/06/2018	Hartsdale	83	1000	14668	
Lee F. Jackson Elementary School	03/15/2018	White Plains	63	800	8913	
Early Childhood Program	04/11/2018	Hartsdale	40	500	1331	
Interfaith Health & Wellness Street Fair	06/02/2018	Mt. Vernon	41	1000	10,222	
Bailey Elementary School	06/04/2018	White Plains	29	500	1001	
African American Heritage Festival	06/24/2018	Valhalla	9	1000	9,111	
			265	4800	45546	50611

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2017-2018 106,390

## Health Awareness Reach

	HHS Awareness Activities		Newsletters	Educated	Media Awareness	Total Reach
2017	Glaucoma Awareness	January	300	45	0	345
	Heart Health	February	300	51	4,000	4351
	Breast Cancer Awareness	October	300	45	6001	6346
					2017 Total	11042
2018	Heart Health Awareness	February	0	42	1773	1815
	Westchester Links in Pinks	October	0	45	2007	2052
	Strong Minds- Fostering Creative MindSet	November	0	26	3001	3027
	Care Bags- Coachman	November	100	34	2111	2245
					2018 Total	9139

					<b>2017-2018 Total</b>	<b>20,181</b>
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