



## Justus-Warren Heart Disease and Stroke Prevention Task Force

### MEETING AGENDA

**January 15, 2014**

NC General Assembly Legislative Building, Room 1027

**9:30 AM - 12:30 PM**

<b>9:30 - 9:50</b>	Welcome/Introductions	Representative Becky Carney, Co-Chair Senator Louis Pate, Co-Chair
<b>9:50 - 10:15</b>	Annual Update - N.C. Cardiovascular Disease Burden	Samuel Tchwenko, MD, MPH Epidemiology and Surveillance Unit Manager, Community and Clinical Connections for Prevention and Health
<b>10:15 - 10:45</b>	Understanding Hypertension and Its Impact on Chronic Disease and Health Care Costs	Paul Bolin, Jr., MD, Professor and Chairman, Department of Internal Medicine, East Carolina University
<b>10:45 - 11:10</b>	Stroke and Heart Attack Public Awareness Campaign	Melinda Postal, Director of Communications, Carolinas Center for Medical Excellence
<b>11:10 - 11:30</b>	N.C. Chronic Disease and Injury Section Update	Ruth Petersen, MD, MPH Chief, Chronic Disease and Injury Section, N.C. Division of Public Health
<b>11:30 - 11:45</b>	American Heart Association/American Stroke Association Update	Betsy Vetter, Sr. Director of Government Relations, Mid-Atlantic Affiliate
<b>11:45 - 12:05</b>	Stroke Advisory Council Report	Karen McCall, Chairperson Stroke Advisory Council
<b>12:05 - 12:20</b>	Executive Director's Report	Anita Holmes, JD, MPH
<b>12:20 - 12:30</b>	Closing Remarks	Representative Becky Carney, Co-Chair Senator Louis Pate, Co-Chair