

**Start With
Your Heart[®]**
*Justus-Warren Heart Disease
& Stroke Prevention Task Force*



**Stroke Advisory
Council
Meeting**

May 10, 2022

Agenda

- I. Welcome and Approval of Minutes
- II. Stroke Advisory Council Report
- III. Coverdell Stroke Program Update
- IV. Management of Central Retinal Artery Occlusion (CRO)

Step Out with Stroke Survivors

Saturday, May 14 from 11-3

An event to **promote independence** for **stroke and brain injury survivors** and provide **resources**

E. Carroll Joyner Park
701 Harris Road
Wake Forest, NC 27587
JoynerPark.com

Information: believesrf.org



A Collaboration among TAP, Believe Stroke Recovery Foundation, Steps for Recovery, & Novant Health New Hanover Regional Medical Center

Coverdell Stroke Program Update

- I. New Coverdell Stroke Program Evaluator Amanda Orfitelli
- II. Stroke Registry in development
- III. Year 1 projects in process: Cape Fear Valley Health System training EMS on emergency stroke response; Mission Health testing two types of blood pressure measurement. Contract period: April 1 to June 30, 2022.
- IV. Four projects funded for Year 2. Contract period: Aug. 1, 2022 to June 29, 2023

Coverdell Stroke Program Update

Year 2 Projects

All projects will be implementing a protocol for monitoring healthcare disparities for individuals at risk for stroke.

Mission Hospital-Cone Health

- Expand blood pressure measurement study
- Partner with Yancey County Community Paramedics for follow-up care

Northern Regional Hospital

- Quality Improvement Process with Surry County EMS to improve transitions of care

Novant Health

- Quality Improvement through ASLS training for EMS with Greater Charlotte and Coastal Markets

Vidant Health

- Develop and implement *Stroke Awareness and Management (SAM) Initiative* to provide stroke education

