National Governors' Association Virginia Veterans' Licensing and Certification Demonstration Policy Academy Working Group Data Committee Meeting

April 7, 2014 2:30 p.m.

Data Team Purpose:

- 1. Track credential attainment and decreased unemployment (both number of claims and duration) among veterans participating in an accelerated licensing/credentialing pathway.
- 2. Estimate **potential cost savings** from accelerated licensing/credentialing pathways based on reduced unemployment claims & duration, reduced expenditures on training, and reduced expenditures on associated services.

Welcome David E. Brown, D.C.

Project Status Update

Elizabeth Carter, Ph.D.

- Review of Feb. Meetings and Notes
- Update from NGA's Staff Calls

Discussion Items

Justin Crow, MPA.

- 1. Baseline Data
 - a. Projected Use of Accelerated Pathways
 - b. Credential Attainment and Employment prior to implementation.
 - c. Unemployment benefits for relevant MOS
 - d. Cost of current credential attainment
- 2. Post Implementation Data Needs
 - a. Credential Attainment
 - i. Licensed Practical Nurses
 - ii. Physical Therapy Assistants
 - iii. EMT/Paramedics
 - b. Unemployment Benefits & Costs
 - c. Cost of Credential Reduction
- 3. The Long View

Elizabeth Carter, Ph.D.

Next Meeting Schedule & Adjournment

David E. Brown, D.C.