

Annual Committee Report

Committee Name: *ADA Committee*

Chairperson: *Deana Lehman*

List of members: *Anderson, Mary; Belew, Iva ; Chacanaca, Rosane; Ditmore, Judy; Hardin, John Harkey, Gary Don; Harris, Kristin; Inge, Robin; Johnston, Dean; Lehman, Deana; Peterson, Kathy; Rascon, Ruth; Sharp, Jo Ann*

Dates of meetings: *May 2, 2011*

Accomplishments: *(1) Director reported preliminary statistics regarding ADA students in '10-'11*

(2) The Director reported on Director's presentation at State AHEAD Conference and reported on new emphasis at AHEAD Conference on implementing new programs for intellectually disabled students

(3) Explained and discussed new Accommodations Policy for Required Events. Members decided to vote electronically after revisions were complete. Revisions were made and the policy was approved for student handbook and Vernon College website.

Recommendations: *Several recommendations were made for clarifying the Required Events policy*

Membership suggestions: *use the word "required event" rather than "mandatory"*

Clarify that this accommodation is for individuals who have already submitted documentation

Attachment of agendas and minutes (including attendance)

Submitted by: *Deana Lehman*

Date submitted: *May 17, 2011*