



**BEHAVIORAL HEALTH REDESIGN STEERING COMMITTEE (BHRSC)
Minutes – July 20, 2017**

Call to Order. Chair Hedges called the meeting of the Behavioral Health Redesign Steering Committee to order at 12:05 P.M. in Rooms N1-N2, fifth floor, Rock County Courthouse-East.

Committee Members Present: Neil Deupree, Supervisor Louis Peer, Patty Slatter, Tami Ellis, Tricia King, Linda Scott-Hoag, Vice Chair Greg Winkler, Tim Perry, Judge Alan Bates, Chair Ian Hedges, Lance Horozewski, Laura Neece, Dr. Ken Robbins, Linda Garrett, Verlene Orr, and Michelle Rose-Barajas.

Committee Members Absent: Commander Erik Chellevoid, Sheila DeForest, Deputy Chief John Olsen, Samantha Palan, Emily Pelz and Lindsay Stevens.

Staff Members Present: Elizabeth Pohlman McQuillen, Criminal Justice System Planner/Analyst; Bette Trimble, Human Services Supervisor, Crisis and Kelly Klingensmith, Community Health Education Coordinator, Public Health Department.

Others Present: Lynda Owens; Ethel Below; Andrey Below; Supervisor Kathy Schulz; Barb Werfal, WREP; Diane Hadsell, NAMI and Steve Howland.

Approval of Agenda. Mr. Deupree moved approval of the agenda, second by Ms. Neece. ADOPTED.

Approval of Minutes of May 18, 2017. Supervisor Peer moved approval of the minutes as presented, second by Ms. Neece. ADOPTED.

Workgroup Updates, including Review of Strategic Plan Outcomes.

Data. Ms. Pohlman McQuillen reported a PowerPoint has been created through Janesville Police Department (JPD). Officer training will begin in September with an early fall rollout.

AODA. No update today.

CCRG. No update today.

Cultural Competency. No update today.

Kids Continuum of Care. Mr. Horozewski reported they met and are moving forward on their system of care principles. The parent support group will be starting again for this school year. They are creating a Trauma Informed Care task force. Human Services is working on getting comprehensive training to all staff on Trauma Informed Care. They discussed the changes to the Children's Community Options Program in the state budget.

Adult Continuum of Care. Mr. Winkler reported they had a community collaboration meeting on Zero Suicide. They are exploring lethal means restrictions (gun storage). Chair Hedges asked about

grant options to buy gun locks. Mr. Winkler said there is a lot of details to work out and they are in the beginning stages of discussion on this topic. They have started a similar collaboration with St. Mary's.

Consumer/Family. Ms. Werfal said Ms. Luster, Human Services Director, came to their June meeting and she gave some suggestions on how to strengthen their meetings. They are working on refocusing and looking for experiences and life stories to share, as well as community resources. They have created a brochure which they will begin sharing with CCS clients. They are working on creating a Facebook page. They attended Freedom Fest this year with great attendance/response. The topic for their August meeting will be Emotional Support Animals. There will also be a tour of the CCS facility. They are hoping to plan a Mental Health fair for 2018. They meet the first Wednesday of every month at the Job Center, Rooms D/E from 11:30 A.M. -1:30 P.M.

Approval to Apply for Healthy Wisconsin Partnership Program Grant. Chair Hedges explained the grant opportunity. He would like to see a curriculum consultant hired to work on Cultural Competency training, tape a training, then use the video for future efforts. Chair Hedges sees this happening over a six-month timeframe. Mr. Deupree moved to approve the application for the Healthy Wisconsin Partnership Program Grant, second by Mr. Horozewski. ADOPTED.

Presentation on HEAR (Health Equity Alliance of Rock County) Committee. Chair Hedges introduced Kelly Klingensmith, Community Health Education Coordinator for Rock County. Ms. Klingensmith shared a PowerPoint presentation with the Committee. A community health assessment is required by the Public Health Department every five years. They had 1,468 responses, with the responses reflecting the population well. From the assessment, they held 13 community conversations throughout Rock County, including a community conversation with drug court participants. Over 130 people attended and shared their views and perspectives on health care in Rock County. Some common themes/barriers were found amongst participants. What's next? Priorities have been determined and workgroups have been created based on priorities. The HEAR Committee Community Breakfast will be October 11, 2017, at 8:00 A.M. at the Pontiac Convention Center. They will review their improvement plan at this meeting. Normal meeting times are the second Wednesday of the month at the Southern Wisconsin Regional Airport from 10:30 A.M. to noon. The meetings are open to the public.

Success Stories/Positive Outcomes Related to Strategic Plan Goals. None.

Citizen Participation and Announcements. Judge Bates said the Trauma Project group spearheaded by Juvenile Justice will have a booth at the National Night Out event on August 1st at the Janesville Police Department starting at 5 P.M.

Chair Hedges wanted everyone to know that due to the heroin overdose training, a citizen had the ability to save a life recently.

Chair Hedges announced the Health Net Southern Wisconsin Conference on Mental Health will be held on September 28th from 8 A.M. to 3:30 P.M. Register on the Health Net website.

Ms. Slatter provided handouts for the NAMI Paint the Town Yellow 5K Run/Walk. It will be held on September 30th. Registration can be done at www.NAMIRock5K.ezregister.com.

Mr. Deupree reminded everyone Courageous Conversations will be held on July 24th at 5:30 P.M. at Community Action in the Beloit Eclipse Center. This month's topic is "Diversity is a fact, Inclusion is a choice."

Future Meeting Date: Thursday, August 17, 2017, 12:00 P.M., N1-N2, 5th Floor, Courthouse East.

Adjournment. The meeting was adjourned by acclamation at 1:03 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Tracey VanZandt
HR Secretary

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