

Behavioral Health Redesign Steering Committee (BHRSC)

April 16, 2015

Call to Order. Chair Flanagan called the meeting of the Behavioral Health Redesign Steering Committee to order at 12:00 P.M. in Rooms N1-N2, Fifth Floor, Rock County Courthouse-East.

Committee Members Present: Supervisor Billy Bob Grahn, Kate Flanagan, Tricia Murray, Pastor Mike Jackson, Neil Deupree, Judge R. Alan Bates (alt. for Judge James Daley), Linda Scott-Hoag, Dr. Ken Robbins, Colleen Wisch (alt. for Linda Garrett), Sheila DeForest, Lance Horozewski, Laura Neece, Deputy Chief John Olsen, Cmdr. Erik Chellevoid, Tim Perry, Samantha Palan, and Faith Mattison.

Committee Members Absent: Brian Gies, Jean Randles, Dan DeSloover, Yolanda Cargile, and Tami Lalor.

Staff Members Present: Rebecca Rudolph, Rock County HSD AODA Supervisor; Melissa Meboe, Rock County HSD Crisis Intervention Program Manager; Amy Albert, Rock County HSD social worker; and Greg Winkler, Rock County HSD Supervisor II.

Others Present: Louis Peer, County Board Supervisor; Lori Stottler, Rock County Clerk; Steve Howland; Ethel Below.

Approval of the Agenda. Supervisor Grahn moved approval of the agenda as presented, second by Judge Bates. ADOPTED.

Approval of the Minutes of March 19, 2015. Pastor Jackson moved approval of the minutes as presented, second by Judge Bates. ADOPTED.

Workgroup Updates

Data Workgroup: Ms. Flanagan said there are no new updates.

AODA Workgroup: Ms. Rudolph stated there was a group that attended the national prescription drug conference last week. She said they would do a presentation on what they learned at the next meeting.

CCRG: Ms. Meboe said the group hasn't met since the last BHRSC meeting.

Cultural Competency: Mr. Deupree said there was nothing new to report.

Kids Continuum of Care: Mr. Horozewski said the group met, but he was not in attendance so he could not provide an update.

Adult Continuum of Care: Chair Flanagan said there continues to be internal efforts.

Consumer/Family: Chair Flanagan said the last meeting with the Grassroots Empowerment Project would be in May and then consumer/family group would continue meeting on its own. They are still working on a booth at Freedom Fest and a Mental Wellness Fair in September. She added that this group was also asked to serve as the CCS group.

Discussion of High Utilizer Project. Chair Flanagan said everyone should have received the updated document via email. She reminded the group that there is some identifiable information on that document. She asked for comments on the document. Ms. Scott-Hoag said it raised more questions than answers. It was asked where some information was located, such as criminogenic risks and needs, trauma history, etc., which can help

drive interventions. Chair Flanagan said she sees some common themes and it confirms things we would expect, like co-occurring disorders, misdemeanor crimes, inconsistent outpatient services, etc. Mr. Perry said it would help providers if they knew their clients were "high utilizers" because they could collaborate/coordinate better. Supervisor Grahn said you can't tell how severe some people's problems are.

Update regarding AODA Funding through the Rock County Human Services Department. Chair Flanagan said 90% of the annual AODA budget has been accounted for and it is only April. She said HSD staff has a meeting with the county administrator about this and are problem solving the funding issue. She said they would continue to authorize funding for treatment. She said there is a six-week waiting list for the suboxone program at JPC. She identified that there is both a funding problem and a resource/capacity problem. Mr. Deupree said the group should brainstorm about how to get more resources. Mr. Perry said this population is difficult to work with and that's why many providers do not have a suboxone program. Chair Flanagan said it was very meaningful for BHRSC and CJCC to pass motions to support additional funding resources.

Report on Prescription Drug Conference. This will be done at the next BHRSC.

Update on CIT Training in Rock County. Chair Flanagan said 32 officers were being trained this week. She said this has been a positive experience and there were CSP ride-alongs yesterday that went really well.

Review of Strategic Plan Outcome Dates and Discussion regarding Next Steps This will be discussed at the next meeting. Chair Flanagan suggested there should be a smaller group to work on this.

Update on Justice and Mental Health Collaboration Grant Activities Ms. Meboe provided additional data on the program.

Success Stories/Positive Outcomes Related to Strategic Plan Goals Ms. Albert gave a success story from the JMHCPC program.

Citizen Participation and Announcements Ms. Stottler gave information about three projects dealing with mental health from the following organizations: League of Women Voters, Community Health Needs Assessment, and the Woman's Fund.

Mr. Deupree reminded the group about the Heroin Summit in Janesville next week.

Time and Date for Future Meetings Thursday, May 21, 2015, at Noon, in N1-N2, 5th Floor Courthouse East.

Adjournment. The meeting adjourned at 1:15 p.m. by acclamation.

Respectfully submitted,
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