

**Behavioral Health Redesign Steering Committee (BHRSC)**  
**July 16, 2015**

**Call to Order.** Chair Flanagan called the meeting of the Behavioral Health Redesign Steering Committee to order at 12:03 P.M. in Rooms N1-N2, Fifth Floor, Rock County Courthouse-East.

**Committee Members Present:** Supervisor Billy Bob Grahn, Kate Flanagan, Neil Deupree, Judge R. Alan Bates, Linda Scott-Hoag, Jessica Kranz (alt. for Brian Gies), Dr. Ken Robbins, Lindsay Stevens, Dan DeSloover, Lance Horozewski, Laura Neece, Cmdr. Erik Chellebold, Tim Perry, Samantha Palan, Pastor Mike Jackson, Tami Lalor, Tricia King, and Deputy Chief John Olsen.

**Committee Members Absent:** Sheila DeForest and Faith Mattison

**Staff Members Present:** Rebecca Rudolph, Rock County HSD AODA Supervisor; Bette Trimble, Rock County HSD Crisis Intervention Supervisor; and Lindsay Peterson-Johnson, Rock County HSD MSW Intern.

**Others Present:** Colleen Wisch, Kathy Kranz, Beverly Osborne, Betty Conklin, NAMI Rock County; and Stefanie Kranz.

**Approval of the Agenda.** Supervisor Grahn moved approval of the agenda as presented, second by Mr. Horozewski. ADOPTED.

**Approval of the Minutes of May 21, 2015** Pastor Jackson moved approval of the minutes as presented, second by Judge Bates. ADOPTED.

**Workgroup Updates**

**Data Workgroup:** Has not met since last meeting, therefore, no updates available.

**AODA Workgroup:** Ms. Rudolph stated the group is working on putting a plan together to present to the BHRSC regarding gaps in services and places where assistance and guidance is needed.

**CCRG:** No significant updates, but there is a continuing discussion around coordination of transports for emergency detentions and 51.45s. In addition there is ongoing discussion around medical clearance.

**Cultural Competency:** Mr. Deupree said the group is scheduled to meeting on Monday and will have more to follow.

**Kids Continuum of Care:** Consumer Picnic organization in progress. Various programs within Rock County HSD have come together to put this picnic on at Peace Park. Also moving forward with Trauma Informed Care practices throughout the community, for example, in schools, with law enforcement, etc., and how those systems can move forward.

**Adult Continuum of Care:** HSD has continued to work diligently on the redesigned intake process for access to kid and adult programs. A presentation will be brought to the group in either August or September. In addition to the new Intake Unit, an update was given on CCS (Comprehensive Community Services). There are currently about 22 clients admitted. A CCS

Supervisor will be hired as the position is posted for hire. There is a continuing effort to contract with additional community providers. More updates to come.

Consumer/Family: Highlighted group.

**Consumer/Family Group – Wellness & Recovery Empowerment Project (WREP):**

Lindsay Peterson Johnson, HSD MSW Intern, presented to the Committee. A reminder that the Mental Health and Wellness Fair is scheduled for Thursday, Sept. 17<sup>th</sup> at the Job Center from Noon – 6 p.m. There will be scheduled events every hour in addition to vendors. Scheduled events are a laughter clinic, art therapy, aromatherapy/essential oils, Good Drugs Gone Bad presentation, yoga, and a planting activity. Vendors range from agencies that provide mental health services to wellness providers such as acupuncture, chiropractic services, etc.

Chair Flanagan noted that the group meets the first Wednesday of the month from 11:30-1:30 at the Rock County Job Center. The WREP group would like to expand participation and welcome consumers, families, and other advocates to attend.

**Update regarding AODA Funding through the Rock County Human Services Department** Chair Flanagan provided update. HSD is projected to be about \$170,000 over budget for this year if services are just provided at status quo. That does not include outreach of high utilizer population. Cost shifting was done in the budget, but there will be a request to the Human Services Board of an additional \$89,000 to allow the continuation of treatment. Included in the proposal will be the creation of a contracted position stabilization treatment case manager. This would be a person's go to person while they are on the waitlist for longer term services.

Kate can bring to the next meeting a hand out that show a breakdown of the percentage spent on each level of care. It was included in the PowerPoint a few months ago, but the data will be up to date on hand out.

Supervisor Grahn would like to see a list of resources, including support groups for individuals to utilize during the waiting period.

**Review of Strategic Plan Outcome Dates & Data Dashboard and Discussion regarding Next Steps** This agenda item will be tabled until the next meeting.

**Update on Justice and Mental Health Collaboration Grant Activities** The Jail Reentry program has served 46 clients since implementation, with approximately 18 clients open at this time. Quarterly data will be available at the next meeting. Positive feedback from a community probation officer was received by Chair Flanagan.

**Success Stories/Positive Outcomes Related to Strategic Plan Goals** Rebecca Rudolph shared the story of a young lady who was their first referral from Officer Foster and has been County involved for treatment for heroin use for a couple of years. They were able to get her meeting with staff daily, into Drug Court, and engage her family. She has been sober since January and has started speaking with Officer Foster in different school environments and what her addiction and recovery has been like.

**Citizen Participation and Announcements** Chair Flanagan introduced the new Rock County HSD Crisis Intervention Supervisor, Bette Trimble. Mr. DeSloover introduced Dr. Michelle Rose-Barajas, the new clinic manager at Mercy Options.

**Future Meeting Date and Time** Thursday, August 20, 2015, at Noon, in N1-N2, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor Courthouse East.

**Adjournment.** The meeting adjourned at 12:58 p.m. by acclamation.

Respectfully submitted,  
Lindsay Stevens  
Division Secretary – Rock County HSD, MH/AODA Division

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