

Wheeler County LCAC Meeting Minutes

April 27, 2021

Via Google Hangouts

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| Meeting called by | Coco Davis, LCAC Co-Chair |
| Called to order | 6:11 PM |
| Adjourned | 7:30 PM |
| Note taker | Marci McMurphy, EOCCO/GOBHI Field Team |
| Attendees | Coco Davis, Tracey Blood, Maryhelen Peterson, Anne Mitchell, Susan Moore, Sonia, Marci McMurphy |

Welcome and Introduction

Minutes: Maryhelen moved to approve minutes. Anne seconded. Motion Approved.

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| Discussion | Introductions |
| | <p>Sonua, Community Counseling Solutions- attending to let everyone know that she is the COVID outreach worker for the area. CCS is providing extra support for people due to COVID. It is not financial support, but it is support with navigating systems and connecting with services.</p> |
| Discussion | EOCCO Updates- Tracey Blood |
| | <p>Tracey sent out the 2019 Community Health Plan. Next month there will be a data share. The LCAC will need to review and approve the 2021 updated priorities.</p> <p>Community Behavioral Health Plan survey links have been made available. Please complete it and share broadly. The deadline to complete the survey is April 30, 2021.</p> <p>Demographic survey will be coming out within the next week. EOCCO has to collect this information and share it with OHA for our annual report. It has questions such as: Where are you located? What language do you speak? What is your ethnicity? Are you an EOCCO member? This survey will be closed on May 26, 2021.</p> <p>The UniteUs is a Community Information Exchange and is a complementary service that will be provided by EOCCO. It is a statewide initiative. It will serve to connect providers with community-based services. There will be listening sessions held throughout the EOCCO region to let communities know how it works.</p> <p>OHA is holding the annual CAC Member Conference virtually on June 8 & 9 in the mornings. If you are interested in attending, please contact Tracey.</p> <p>A Cultural Competency Training for Professionals will be held virtually on May 12 & 13. GOBHI is hosting the event, however, it is \$100 to attend. If you are unable to afford the cost but would like to attend, please contact Coco or Susan as there is money in the CAC budget to cover the cost of training. You do not have to be a professional in order to attend. Carol and April facilitate the training. This is the second year for this training. People commented on it being excellent. Many people also commented that what they learned was very valuable.</p> |

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| Discussion | Provider Updates |
| | <p>Maryhelen reported that CCS is in the process of interviewing for an Intensive In-Home Behavioral Health Therapist (IIBHT). They will provide Peer Support x 4 hours a week as well as do some clinical work.</p> <p>CCS will be starting a Youth Acute Care Center in Boardman. It will be for youth 11 years of age and younger. They have not broken ground, but have a site located.</p> <p>Sonia, CCS, is planning a Mental Health Awareness Day to be out in the community. She is in the process of obtaining approval for the event. She is hoping that there will be snacks and activities.</p> |
| Discussion | Member Engagement |
| | <p>Several members of the LCAC have been contacted recently. Meghan Cromwell- does not have time and does not have a babysitter. Kristy Miranda- does not have time. Keith & Tori Donnelly- struggle making meetings. Brianna- will stay on. Brandy- not really sure what being on the LCAC means. Is she just a vote needed every now and then? John Asher- wants to be on, but only if held in Spray.</p> <p>How are the names supposed to be updated? On and off together? In the Charter it states that there are supposed to be 3-year terms. We need to look at the dates as approved by the County Court to figure out terms. The roster is reviewed annually. Wheeler County changing their process is not reasonable.</p> <p>Outreach- word of mouth seems to be the most effective. Matt was very successful with member recruitment because he reached out to specific people. LCAC could have an article in the paper. There have been few local events/health fairs due to COVID. Frontier Veg Rx will start in May. Can reach out to some of the participants.</p> <p>LCAC feels it will be better once they start meeting in person again. Wheeler County is currently in the low-risk category. It is important for people to meet in-person. It is possible that there could be hybrid meetings: in-person and virtually.</p> |
| Discussion | Member Updates |
| | <p>Anne announced that Candy Humphrey the CASA Coordinator for Wheeler County is hosting a Family Movie Night on Friday, April 30. They will be showing the children's moving "Inside Out".</p> <p>Coco stated that she has ordered a Dell laptop at \$1,480. It has ample memory. She purchased a 4-year protection and support plan.</p> |
| Announcement | NEXT MEETING May 25, 2021 |