

Mental Health Response Advisory Committee Meeting Summary

Tuesday, May 15, 2018

ADAMHS Board of Cuyahoga County

Present: Co-Chair: Captain James Purcell, Cleveland Division of Police, Ed Eckart, City of Cleveland and Scott Osiecki, ADAMHS Board

Committee Members: Carole Ballard, ADAMHS Board; Gabriella Celeste, CWRU Schubert Center for Child Studies; Dr. Rick Cirillo, Board of Developmental Disabilities; Michael Doud, ADAMHS Board; Michael Evanovich, Department of Justice; Dr. John Garrity, ADAMHS Board; Yolanda Gordon, Cleveland Municipal Court; Larry Heller, Cleveland State University; Shannon Jerse, SVCH; Christina Kalnicki, Care Source; Karen Kearny, MHAC; Derek Moore, Cleveland Municipal Court; Janet Montoya, Metro Health Center; Susan Neth, Frontline Services; Rick Oliver, Frontline Services; Scott Osiecki, ADAMHS Board; Issa Rania, Data Analysis & Coordinator, Cleveland Division of Police; Ellen Riehm, NAMI Greater Cleveland; Samantha Reid, Community Advocate; Kathleen Stoll, Advocate and Carolyn Szweda, Beechbrook.

Review and Acceptance of the March 8, 2018 Meeting Summary

Ed Eckart opened the meeting at 9:05 am. The MHRAC members reviewed the meeting summary and approved the meeting summary.

MHRAC 2018 Work Plan Update-Osiecki

Brief remarks regarding the progress of the MHRAC 2018 Work Plan. Work Plan was approved as written.

Guest Speaker:

Sub-committee Reports:

- **Training:** C. Ballard

Dr. Cirillo has stepped down as the Chair of the Training Committee. Scott will follow up to identify a new Chair for the committee. Carole will facilitate the discussions in the interim. Committee is still working on the Four Hour In Service Training. Will be submitting the power points, outlines and instructor's manual for the Committee to review.

- **Community Engagement:** K. Kearns

Community Engagement Committee solicited MHRAC participation on the Speaker's Bureau. Seven MHRAC members signed up for the training on "When to Call 911" scheduled for May 31st. The presentation was developed by the ADAMHS Board with collaboration from the Community Engagement members. Committee members also developed a brief questionnaire regarding CDP Officer Satisfaction with the Community Resource Cards. The questionnaire will be disseminated during the CDP upcoming in service training.

- **Diversion:** M. Doud

Christina Kalnicki is the new co chair for the Diversion Committee. The committee met in May. A sub committee was formed to discuss early diversion for the crisis stabilization unit. Committee discussed system capacity issues related to diversion. Lengthy discussion in the meeting regarding what the mental health providers are able to do and not do. Greater need to figure out the "back door" for these clients who are going to the crisis stabilization unit. The issue of housing was raised with discussion regarding what the system capacity issues might be. ADAMHS Board purchased property behind the crisis stabilization unit for possibly the re entry population. Board could also look at this facility in relation to discharge planning for persons coming out of the crisis stabilization unit. The new property is a sixteen bed facility. Protocols would need to be developed for this property along with other details that would need to be discussed.

Quality Improvement: J. Garrity

QI committee is working towards reviewing the data from January through March 2018. The next meeting is scheduled for May 31st. Officers have begun to complete the new CIT Stat sheet which will have different data sets like race, target population, etc. The Board will be able to compare this year's first quarter data with last year. Officer continue to be in training on this new in car reporting process. Takes time to build-slowly. The goal is to have all officers trained by the fall-tentatively.

Crisis Needs Assessment Focus Group: J. Garrity

Dr. Garrity provided the overview for the focus group and introduced Dr. David Hussey and Michelle Riske-Morris from Case Western Reserve University. The purpose of the focus group is to gather feedback and information from a broad variety of stakeholders regarding the present crisis emergency system of care. These focus groups have been conducted all over Cuyahoga County. The presenters lead the discussion through a series of questions regarding the ADAMHS Board funded crisis behavioral health system in Cuyahoga County. Dr. Garrity will provide MHRAC members with the results from the system wide needs assessment at a later date.

No Time for New Items for discussion.

Meeting adjourned at 10:26 a.m.