



COMMUNITY RELATIONS & ADVOCACY COMMITTEE
Wednesday, March 1, 2023
4:00 P.M.

2012 West 25th Street, United Bank Building / 6th Floor - Ohio Room

Committee Mission Statement: *To establish mental health and addiction as a permanent civic priority, enhance the public's perception of people with mental illness and addiction, increase community support and future funding opportunities, and broaden communication, cooperation and partnerships with people living with mental illness and addiction, family members, organizations, other governments and the public.*

AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order** – *Patricia James-Stewart, M.Ed., LSW, Committee Chair*
- 2. Public Comment on Agenda Items** – *Patricia James-Stewart, M.Ed., LSW*
- 3. Approval of Minutes:** January 4, 2023 – *Patricia James-Stewart, M.Ed., LSW*
- 4. Milestones Autism Resources Healthcare Worker Training Program** – *Carole Ballard, Director of Education and Training*
 - *Mia Buchwald Gelles, Operations Director, Milestones Autism Resources*
- 5. Legislative Update** – *Clare Rosser, Chief of Strategic Initiatives / Scott Osiecki, Chief Executive Officer*
- 6. 2023 Advocacy Action Agenda** – (Action Requested) – *Beth Zietlow-DeJesus, Director of External Affairs / Scott Osiecki*
- 7. Problem Gambling and Suicide Prevention Awareness Activities and Campaign** – Not to exceed \$125,000 – (Action Requested) – *Beth Zietlow-DeJesus*
- 8. 2023 Annual Meeting Brunch, Awards Ceremony and Client Art Show** – Not to exceed \$30,000 – (Action Requested) – *Beth Zietlow-DeJesus*
- 9. Media Tracking Report** – *Beth Zietlow-DeJesus*
- 10. Social Media and Website Tracking Reports** – *Beth Zietlow-DeJesus*
- 11. New Business**
- 12. Follow-up**
- 13. Public Comment Period**

14. Upcoming March and April Board Meetings:

- Nominating Committee Meeting: March 8, 2023
- Planning & Oversight Committee Meeting: March 8, 2023
- Finance & Operations Committee Meeting: March 15, 2023
- General Meeting: March 22, 2023
- Faith-based Outreach Committee Meeting: April 5, 2023
- Nominating Committee Meeting: April 12, 2023
- Planning & Oversight Committee Meeting: April 12, 2023
- Finance & Operations Committee Meeting: April 19, 2023
- General Meeting: April 26, 2023

Community Relations & Advocacy Committee

Patricia James-Stewart, M.Ed., LSW, Chair; Ashwani Bhardwaj, Committee Vice Chair
Reginald C. Blue, Ph.D.; Gregory X. Boehm, M.D.; Erskine Cade, MBA;
Sadigoh Galloway, MSW, LIW, LICDC-CS; Rev. Benjamin F. Gohlstin, Sr.;
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