

FOREST WARREN COUNTY HUMAN SERVICES

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ATOD/MH/DD Advisory Board Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, October 3, 2023

Human Services 12:00 p.m.

Present: Commissioner Eggleston, Amanda Hetrick, Dr. John John (via Zoom), Pam Khare, Judy McDaid (via Zoom), Danell Sowers, Diane Weckerly, Commissioner Wimer

Absent: Alyce Busch, Dr. Nichole Harrison, Lily Morse, Jessica Uber

Staff Present: Adam McNeill, Betsy Miller, Julie Lacki, Annette Miller (Recording Secretary)

Ex-Officio:

Guests: Judy Baker, Kim Alfieri (via Zoom), Lisa Babo, Jean Berry, Jen Gesing (via Zoom), Gary Leet (via Zoom)

I INTRODUCTIONS

- Commissioner Eggleston called the meeting to order and introductions were made.

II MINUTES

- A quorum was present and Commissioner Eggleston asked for a motion to approve the minutes from April 4, 2023, the minutes from May 2, 2023, the minutes from June 6, 2023, and the minutes from August 1, 2023. A motion was made and seconded to accept all of the minutes, all were in favor and the motion carried.

III TREASURER REPORT

- The current balance is \$1,104.10 and there have been no requests.

IV STATISTICS – Available in packet

V UPDATES

a) **ATOD-** Betsy Miller gave the ATOD update.

- An Overdose Awareness event was held the last day in August and there was a good turnout.
- She has been working with Prevention on the new contract.
- Discussion was held on overdose data reporting.
- Red Ribbon week is upcoming. Commissioner Eggleston asked for a motion to allocate up to \$300.00 to support Red Ribbon week. A motion was made and seconded to allocate the \$300.00, all were in favor and the motion carried.

b) **MH-** Julie Lacki gave the MH update.

- The Administrative Case Manager position has been filled and the new worker will start 10/16/23.

- A new Case Aid position has been posted.
- c) **DD/EI-** Adam McNeill gave the DD and EI update.
 - They have been working with Fiscal to finish off the budget for the new fiscal year.
- d) **Managed Care-** Lisa Babo gave the Managed Care update.
 - The fourth quarter meetings will be started and are listed on the CCBH website.
- e) **Human Services Plan-** Adam McNeill gave the Human Services Plan update.
 - The plan has been submitted.
- f) **Other**
 - Adam McNeill shared that they are working on multi-disciplinary teams and several housing projects with the Strategic Plan.
 - Discussion was held on needs and concerns of grandparents raising grandchildren.

VI CONSUMER/FAMILY CONCERNS

- Adam McNeill shared info on a trend we have been seeing. More unhealthy parents modeling unhealthy family life for their children. The children then end up in hospitals and the parents won't take them back, essentially abandoning them.

VII Speaker – Jean Berry, Deerfield Center for Addiction Treatment gave a presentation on changes they have made to address meeting their patients medical and co-occurring needs.

VIII ADJOURNMENT

- Commissioner Eggleston dismissed the meeting.
- Next Meeting is November 7, 2023.

Respectfully submitted,

Annette Miller, Recording Secretary