

MENTAL HEALTH RECOVERY SERVICES ADVISORY COUNCIL

October 11, 2012

Administrative Center, Room 3220

10:00 a.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Monica Kruse, Jeanne Stevermer, Vickie Crews, Kyara Tollan, Nicole Mooney, Amy Atchison, Gary Kleinertz, Pam Bendel, Sue Anderson, Mary Dahlby, Jean Sterling, Donna Christianson, Jen Timm

MEMBERS ABSENT: Paul Brown, Dawn Jorstad, Jane Latshaw, Alicia Oliver, Chris Neumeister, Keith Keller, Joe Veenstra

OTHERS PRESENT: Matthew Strittmater, Gail Elland, Liza Collins

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Jeanne Stevermer called the meeting to order at 10:05 a.m.

APPROVE MINUTES

Motion by Kruse/Anderson to approve the minutes of 07/12/12. **Motion carried unanimously.**

PUBLIC COMMENT

None

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

Matthew Strittmater introduced Liza Collins, who is a new social worker in the CCS Section. She comes to us from the ADRC Section. Matt also reported Laurie Roberts, who was hired as the new CCS Supervisor has resigned as of last Tuesday.

Integrating Kid and Adult CCS Services More Closely - Matt reported he would be looking to consolidate forms used between the kids and adult CCS sections to be more uniform.

MHRS UNIT PRESENTATION – CLOSER LOOK AT REGIONAL MH-SA DELIVERY SYSTEM PILOT PROJECT

Matt presented a PowerPoint explaining the Mental Health – Substance Abuse Collaborative Pilot that was recently approved. We are one of two pilot programs in the state. The tentative name is Western Region Integrated Care (WRIC). Wisconsin has 72 counties and there is no common thread of services between the counties. One requirement of the RFP was that the pilot must be at least three counties with shared governance, be open to new ideas, and have a public-private mix. The three counties in the pilot are Jackson, Monroe and La Crosse. We will receive a grant of \$200,000 for three years. Updates on the pilot will be presented to the advisory council quarterly.

ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDAS

Jen Timm will give a brief report on the new addition of the substance abuse treatment services being integrated within Mental Health Recovery Services.

ADJOURN

There being no further business, motion by Kruse/Atchison to adjourn at 11:36 a.m.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, November 8, 2012.

Approved, 11/08/12, Gail Elland, Recorder