



Commission on Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder

Access to Care Sub-Committee

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Meeting Minutes

April 23, 2024

2:30 pm – 3:30 pm

Virtual Meeting via Microsoft Teams

Welcome/Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 2:30 pm by Subcommittee Chair Clara Reynolds.

The following members or designees were in attendance:

Clara Reynolds, Subcommittee Chair
Jay Reeve, Commission Chair (Governor Appointee)
William Prummell, (Governor Appointee)
Lee Fox, (President of the Senate Appointee)
Pam Hall for Austin Noll, Subject Matter Expert
Alexandra Martinez, Subject Matter expert
Kenneth Gibson, Subject Matter Expert
John Mikula, Subject Matter Expert
Amy McClellan, Subject Matter Expert
Michael Martin, Subject Matter Expert
Jennifer Johnson, Subject Matter Expert
Gayle Giese, Subject Matter Expert
Trinity Schwab, Subject Matter Expert

Review Meeting Minutes

A motion was entered to approve the March 26, 2024, minutes. The motion was carried, in all favor. Minutes were approved with no opposition.

Remarks From Commission Chair

Chair Reeve suggests sending subcommittee recommendations to Aaron Platt by the end of July 2024. Suggests PowerPoint presentation of final draft recommendations to full commission.

SME Bucket/Subgroup Report Outs

Commissioner Reynolds ask each Subgroup subject matter expert to report on the results of their workgroup meeting, and answer three questions: Are there potential areas of overlap with other subcommittees? Do you have questions or feedback that you need from other subcommittees? Are their issues that need to be elevated to the full commission?

- Subgroup 1 – Barriers to Utilization: Subgroup subject matter expert Amy McClellan reviewed survey results from the “Survey on Barriers to Access of Behavioral Health Care”. May have some cross over with the System of Care workgroup.
- Subgroup 2 – Solutions to Barriers: Subgroup subject matter expert Kenneth Gibson reviewed rough draft recommendations developed during subgroup meeting. Subgroups focus is on solutions to obstacles and marketing campaigns to promote resources that are available, including 988.



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- Subgroup 3 – Acute Care Transportation Options: Subgroup subject matter expert John Mikula updated the subcommittee. Several meetings have occurred in which the subgroup examined several areas affecting behavioral health transports. Cross-over with Children and Youth subcommittee.

Public Comment

No public comment

Closing Remarks

Access to Care subcommittee report-out to be presented at May 15, 2024 full commission meeting, information from this meeting will inform the report-out. Encourages subgroups to focus on critical issues and/or issues that can have an impact on the system if they are addressed.

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned approximately 3:27 pm.