

NWIACC Advisory Board meeting

January 8, 2018 1 pm O'Brien County Courthouse Assembly Room

The meeting was called to order at 1 pm with 5 members present in person and no one on the phone.

There was a brief update by Kim Wilson on the current status for Assertive Community Treatment (ACT) and Mobile Crisis as contracted through Seasons Center

Scott Witte gave an update on the upcoming APSE and Customized Employment training options. Kim Wilson talked about the CSN data collection for employment outcomes. An update on the Peer Support Network contracted with Hope Haven was given

Kim Wilson gave an update about the "Familiar Faces" Pilot Project in Dickinson County, which was one of the recommendations of the SF 504 Community Services Plan.

Kim Wilson gave an update on the regional Stepping Up Initiative and the new Jail Release Care Coordination service contracted through Hope Haven. Work with the Zero Suicide Project in Palo Alto County was shared including plans for an awareness event in the spring. Conversation about trying to have a local A.S.I.S.T trainer was discussed. Kim Wilson gave an update on the C-3 De-escalation training that begins at the end of this month.

We reviewed the HCBS Workforce Resiliency training offered in October by Brenda Clark Hamilton through the region. We also reviewed work of the regional Transitional Living Team on transitional housing and development of additional beds available at the Discovery House in Spirit Lake. We also learned more about the RIDES grant with DOT that the region is partnering with for employment and essential needs transportation.

Kim Wilson encouraged scheduling MH First Aid class across the region by Carolyn Salberg (Hope Haven) and Darrin Adams/Miranda DePuyper (Public Safety and Adult).

There were no concerns expressed about regional operations in enrollment, claims processing, quality improvement or administration.

The next quarterly meeting will be held Monday, April 9, 2018 at 1 pm at the O'Brien County Courthouse.

Respectfully submitted:

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