

SUBCOMMITTEE COMMISSION ON BEHAVIORAL HEALTH
MINUTES

January 5, 2017

VIDEO CONFERENCE MEETING LOCATION:

Conference Call: 888-278-0296 – 1585696 (Access Code)

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT:

Valarie Kinnikin, Chair
Pam Johnson
Tabitha Johnson
Thomas Hunt
Lisa Ruiz-Lee

STAFF AND GUESTS:

Dr. Leon Ravin, DPBH
Kirsten Coulombe, DPBH

Chair Kinnikin called the meeting to order at 1:00pm. Roll call is reflected above. It was determined that a quorum was present. Introductions were made.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

No public comments were received.

Discussion and drafting of Behavioral Health Commission's Annual Letter to the Governor

Ms. Coulombe provided an update of items received since the last meeting. The items received are AOT (Assisted Outpatient Treatment) information from Dr. Ravin and interim committee on consolidation of the board from Ms. Ruiz-Lee. At this time, Children's Advocacy Alliance newsletter, service gaps reports, grant progress, overview on workforce development, and pro bono information hasn't been received. Contact with Dr. Neighbors hasn't been made.

Action: Ms. Coulombe will track down missing items and contact Dr. Neighbors.

Ms. Coulombe informed that she has contacted DCFS regarding recommendations from consortiums. Ms. Coulombe has requested a draft. Chair Kinnikin informed Clark County consortium is meeting the following day. Ms. Coulombe will contact DCFS and get a call in number to participate in the meeting.

Item #1 – Children's Behavioral Services

Action: Waiting on results to get service gaps report from Kevin.

Item #2 – Adult Behavioral Health Services

Still need forensic side, if they'd like anything addressed. Dr. Ravin has sent AOT info.

Action: Ms. Coulombe will contact Dr. Neighbors and send out a copy of Dr. Ravin's information.

Item #3 – Workforce Development

Action: Ms. Coulombe will follow up with Dr. Ravin.

Item #4 – Intellectual Developmental Services

No information yet from Dr. Ableser.

Action: Ms. Coulombe will work with Ms. Wendell and counterpart to obtain information.

Item #5 – Substance Abuse Treatment/Prevention Services

Action: Ms. Coulombe will follow up with Kyle Devine.

Ms. Coulombe will forward items as they are received.

It was agreed that the next subcommittee meeting will be on Thursday January 19, 2017 at 1:00 p.m.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

No public comments were received.

The subcommittee meeting adjourned at 1:19 p.m.