

**WAUKESHA COUNTY
AODA ADVISORY COMMITTEE
TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 2015
MINUTES**

PRESENT: Rose Barton, Lou Hernandez, Joe Muchka, Lee Wipfli, Mike O'Brien, Dennis Williams, Pat Miller, John Kettler, Susie Austin, Mary Goggins, Kevin Schaefer, Joan Sternweis.

Excused Absence: Lauri McHugh-Badura, Jim Aker, Sue Karras, Deb Adamus.

Guest: Renee Bacon, Antoneo Deshazor, Darren Matavka.

INTERESTED PARTIES:

The meeting was called to order at 10:35 a.m. by Chair Barton. Introductions amongst the group were exchanged.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion was made by Dennis Williams, second by Kevin Schaefer to approve the minutes of May 19, 2015 with noted correction on page 3, under Agency/Member Updates heading, second bullet should be to contact Dennis Radloff instead of Dennis Williams.

PRESENTATION: Topic of Heroin and Alcohol Addiction

Barton mentioned that today's presenter, Mary A. Kusz, MSCP, BA, CSAC, has been rescheduled to July 21, 2015 due to family emergency.

PRESENTATION: Community Recovery Center in Milwaukee Opiate Detox Program

Renee Bacon, Director of Nursing, presented on the Opiate Detox Program. The First Step Community Recovery Center is a state licensed Community Based Residential Treatment Facility (CBRF). The Center serves individuals out of its Milwaukee and Waukesha locations with a total of 65 beds: 15 sober up beds, 30 beds for men (15 secure), and 20 beds for women secure. It provides a warm and inviting environment including implementation of electronic medical records, tele psychiatry, tele health care provider, and certified peer specialist services. Two components focused on at the centers are medical and social detoxification. The Sober Up program is short term, 8 hours or less. Secure medical is 24 hour nursing care and includes meals, counselor, and development of a treatment plan for immediate and long term needs. Staff are also trained on motivational intervention. DSM-5 is used as it relates to the manifestation of opiate use disorders. All individuals are medically screened by obtaining medical, psychological, and alcohol and other drug abuse history. Upon admission, a urine opiate drug screen is obtained if not provided from the discharging hospital or agency. The American Society of Addiction Medicine's (ASAM) risk rating protocol is followed for placement criteria. Treatment medications include Suboxone or Vivitrol injections. A question and answer period followed. A recommendation was made to have the Heroin and Other Illicit Drug Task Force Treatment Pillar visit the center's facilities.

HHS BOARD LIAISON REPORT

O'Brien reported various educational presentations were heard at the June 11, 2015 meeting. Topics included Crisis Intervention Team Training (CIT), the role of law enforcement in responding to mental health officials, and the use of Peer Specialists through NAMI. On July 15-17, 2015, the Health and Human Services Division Managers will present their annual budget. The next Heroin and Other Illicit Task Force meeting is scheduled for July 29, 2015.

HHS STAFF LIAISON REPORT

Kettler noted the Clinical Services division continues to hire dual diagnosis therapists due to staff retirements. He introduced Mary Goggins, a new clinical therapist in the Treatment and Support Services Unit (TSSU). The division is in the process of developing a dual diagnosis intensive outpatient program to meet the needs of people with substance use and co-occurring disorders.

The Alcohol and Drug Treatment support groups meet on a weekly basis at 6:30 p.m. The group consists of graduates, volunteers, and individuals who are required to attend one support group each month. The hope is to have enough graduates to run future alumni programs. Further information on placement into a specific group can be obtained by contacting Gina Bauer at 262-548-7666.

Sternweis mentioned that LeAnn Cooper provided an overview of DHS 62 to the IPID Committee in June. A committee is forming to review the Wisconsin Administrative Code to match the DSM 5 codes.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

Tentative agenda items discussed include:

- August 2015 – Combined meeting with Mental Health Advisory Committee
- September 2015 – Dual Diagnosis program – John Kettler
- October 2015 – Winter Sheltering – Mary Madden

AGENCY/MEMBER UPDATES

Joe Muchka briefly touched on the two day Wisconsin Statewide Substance Abuse Prevention Conference held on June 11-12, 2015.

ADJOURNMENT

Kevin Schaefer made a motion, second by Lee Wipfli to adjourn the meeting at 11:47 a.m.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, July 21, 2015 at 10:30 a.m. at the Mental Health Center in the Multipurpose Room.

Respectfully Submitted,
Linda Johnson, Recorder

Approved on 7-21-15