



Waukesha County
Criminal Justice Collaborating Council
Evidence-Based Decision Making Mental Health Workgroup
Thursday, February 4, 2016

Team Members Present:

HHS Director Antwayne Robertson (Co-Chair)
Captain Dan Baumann
DOC Regional Chief Sally Tess
Attorney Maura McMahon (arrived 2:06 p.m.)

Outpatient Services Admin Gordon Owley
Assistant Corporation Counsel Robert Mueller
Andrew Hayes of Community Memorial Hospital

Team Members Absent:

Sheriff Eric Severson
Inspector James Gumm
Menomonee Falls Police Chief Anna Ruzinski (Co-Chair)

Hon. Kathryn Foster
NAMI Executive Director Mary Madden

Others Present:

CJCC Coordinator Rebecca Luczaj
Clinical Services Manager Joan Sternweis

Administrative Specialist Alison Ries

Co-chair Robertson called the meeting to order at 2:07 p.m.

Approve Minutes from January 18, 2016

MOTION: Mueller moved, second by McMahon, to approve the minutes from January 18, 2016. Motion carried 7-0.

Discuss & Consider Revised Workgroup Goal Statement

The workgroup discussed the current goal statement and agreed to adopt the following as the new goal statement:

The goal of the Waukesha County EBDM Mental Health Workgroup is to assist people with mental illness in leading more productive and autonomous lifestyles and to promote mental health through service, advocacy, support, and education in a meaningful, practical, and fiscally responsible way. The group's primary focus is to explore alternatives to the criminal justice system as a response to a mental health crisis.

MOTION: McMahon moved, second by Owley to approve the new goal statement. Motion carried 7-0.

Review & Discuss Workgroup guidance from NIC Consultant

This item was not discussed.

Review Mental Health System Map Template

Luczaj distributed the *EBDM Mental Health System Map* handout. Robertson reviewed it with the group and stated that, for the purposes of EBDM's focus on the criminal justice system, the path begins with initial law enforcement contact. The workgroup discussed in detail the initial process and agreed to changes. Mueller and Owley will revise the system map as discussed and present it to the workgroup at the next meeting.

Continue to Discuss Workgroup Change Targets & Data Availability

This item was not discussed.

Discuss Next Steps

The next meeting will be February 18, 2016 at 1:30 p.m., Room A355.

Motion: Tess moved, second by Baumann, to adjourn the meeting at 2:36 p.m. Motion carried unanimously.