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Mental Health and Substance Abuse Task Force

Committee Task Force	Mental Health and Substance Abuse		
Date of Meeting (MM/DD/YYYY)	November 20, 2019	Time	2:00-4:00 PM
Minutes Prepared by	Sirrilla D. Blackmon	Location	Indiana Government Center Conference Room 12 Zoom
Meeting Objectives	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Review of the agenda 2) Update regarding the new strategic plan 3) Status update of action items from the last meeting 		
Action			Responsibility
Dr. Hulvershorn provided an update to the group regarding the Commission's new strategic plan which will be implanted at the start of the first year. Informed the group it is time to review the status of the subcommittees and finalize goals. Some of the initiatives will continue and others will not under the new plan. One the main focus is juvenile justice that could be integrated into other subcommittees. Once the strategic plan is approved and adopted the group will need to make some decisions about next steps and how to proceed. Also we want to allow the opportunity for members to remain on this Task Force or join another one if you are looking to rotate. If you know of someone that wants to rotate on please submit the names to Sirrilla or myself. This would be good time as we are at a point of transition for the upcoming year. One of the new goals is Addiction Prevention and the leads would need to recruit members for that subcommittee to be a chair.			Leslie Hulvershorn
Evidence Base Programs: Marc Kniola reported the group has not been able to meet due to schedules. They are continuing to look at other states. Need to look at the objectives moving forward and discuss the next logical steps.			Marc Kniola and Gabriel Rodriguez
Integrate Care Group: Dr. Caldwell reported the group recently met and have been able to look at all of the information and materials that have been collected. The group was able to identify some core recommendations. They believe that they will have recommendation ready by December 1, 2019. Once that is finalize Carrie will via email forward the final document to Leslie and Sirrilla for review. The group would be prepared to present to the Commission at the next meeting in December.			Carrie Caldwell
Mobile Crisis: Sirrilla Blackmon reported the group reviewed crisis data by race ethnicity, gender, age. Due to the volume of data presented the group agreed to have a summary highlighting the critical data points. The data also revealed an increase in crisis visits to the ED from 2014 through 2018. The next steps will be: 1) to develop a survey to garner stakeholder support from			Sirrilla Blackmon and Jennifer Tackitt



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<p>families, communities Community Mental Health Centers and hospitals 2) to develop a timeline to support implementation for a pilot.</p>	
<p>Justice Involved Youth: Nancy Wever reported there was request from Commission meeting in August on common disorders that we might see in mental health needs and justice involved youth as well as some information on self-harm behaviors. Nancy and Matt put together a power point presentation that Dr. Hulvershorn presented at the last Commission meeting which was well received. The feedback from Justice Rush was it would be nice if additional information could be provided as citations and data in a form of a document or handout to serve as resource as the last deliverable. Nancy reported they wanted to wait on the roll out of the new strategic plan.</p>	<p>Nancy Wever & Matt Aalsma</p>
<p>Suicide Prevention: Dr. Hulvershorn reported the group had its first meeting this week. There was good cross representation of state and local agencies. The group decided to have two priorities one to conduct a gap analysis within the continuum when youth arrive at the ED with self-harm and two parental engagement. Jason Murrey will be the lead for the gap analysis and Dr. Juliann Giust will let the parental engagement group.</p>	<p>Leslie Hulvershorn & Jason Murrey</p>
<p>Workforce Development: Cathy reported their group they have started work on a power point presentation and once completed will send it to Leslie and SIRRILLA for feedback. Carol Satre raised the concern around workforce that IU school of Social Work and other universities are having great difficulty placing students for practicums. IU is looking at the hour requirements for both the bachelor and masters students. Concerns were raised that if requirements change with the universities is comparable with IPLA. Cathy did share with the group that there was a Medicaid Bulletin BT 201859 released a year ago specific to Community Mental Health Center and interns. Included in this bulletin it allows female health centers to be reimbursed for services provided by the interns effective January 1, 2019, CMHC's that are owned by or affiliated with hospitals are an exception to this allowance. The reason being reimbursement for internal services is included in the hospital's medical education, add on to the inpatient claims. Cathy is doing further research and plans to share this with DMHA leadership. David reported that DCS right now is reviewing their qualifications in their various service standards that may help with some of this. The focus on trying to adjust the requirements is support continuity of care for families.</p>	<p>Cathy Boggs, Carol Satre & David Reed</p>
<p>Commission Updates: Julie Whitman provide updates and reminders to the group if anyone has not seen the strategic plan they need to do it quickly because she plans to present it to the Executive Committee prior to the next Commission Meeting December 18, 2019. After the plan is approved if there is anything that is currently being worked on now that the task force don't see a way to continue under the new objectives, the group will have the first quarter to complete. So after the plan is passed she would like to have a meeting with all task force co-chairs and chairs to review objectives and to</p>	<p>Julie Whitman</p>



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flush out objectives and ensure that groups are not duplicating efforts across task forces.

Julie provided an update on the trauma work that has been happening. And an update on the Global Psychological Maltreatment Summit that was held on October 26- October 29th. The outcome from that meeting is develop a plan for Indiana to address this issue.

The group discussed the next meeting for will be Wednesday, January 29, 2020.

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