

Region7  
Regional Services Council Minutes  
Friday, March 11, 2022  
1:00 p.m.  
Microsoft Teams Meeting

Greetings/Introduction Virtual Meeting

- Members: Kelly Broyles, Kelly Kirby, Dana Kenworthy, Josh Crist, Joseph Combs, Deane Holderman
  
- Absent Members: Judge Kimberly Dowling and Proxy Amanda Yonally, Judge Jay Toney and Proxy Beth Krieg, Proxy Miles Hill, Eric Hoffman, Morgan Crutcher, Randy Dunnuck, Savannah Lundgren, Proxy Melissa Stephenson, Nicky Bosken
  
- Others in attendance: Danielle Reed, Nicole Mock, Krista Garrett Andrea Wilson, Denise Lovelace, Stacey Woodin, Carla Castro, Paige Hamilton, Heather Ault, Julie Ensinger, Bob Daugherty, Jill Atteberry Kelly, Tashia Weaver, Kandi Sapp, Jamie Swaidner, Kristen Beer, Randy Davis, Matthew Pieffer, Rachael Ciadella, Austin Hollabaugh, Keelie Howard, Andrea Colley, Kimberly Valentine, Abby Boston, Kirsten Heitkamp, Randy Davis, Shawana Mikesell, Tricia White

Minutes

- There were no minutes to be approved

Announcements:

- Justin Littman has replaced Amanda Hartman as LOD in Jay
- Joseph Combs has replaced Jeremy Soultz as LOD in Grant
- Kristen Beer who was the FCM on this council has accepted a supervisor position, so we will need to add another FCM

## Community Partners-Children's Bureau

- Region 7 Referrals-Dec, Jan, Feb: 236
- Provided pack and plays/sleep sacks, car seats, lice kits, smoke/carbon monoxide detectors and various safety items to DCS for their individual safety stores
- New liaison Moriah Fairer is now fully trained and building her caseload in Delaware County
- Children's Bureau will announce their new name on April 21<sup>st</sup>
- Children's Bureau is hosting 3 student interns from IWU and Ball State this semester
- Children's Bureau is partnering with Family Centered Services to provide the Community Partners for Child Safety services for Adams/Wells Counties. FCS will provide direct service while CB will continue to provide primary prevention in those counties.
- Region 7 is considering having the Provider Fair in June this year, more information to come
- SAFE Sleep trainings: 23 attendees at SAFE sleep sessions
- Extermination: \$2,459
- Number of Referrals:
  - Adams: 10
  - Blackford: 3
  - Delaware: 123
  - Grant: 26
  - Jay: 28
  - Randolph: 27
  - Wells: 19
- Concrete Support to families:
  - Adams: \$2,139.98
  - Blackford: \$1,368.00
  - Delaware: \$17,938.92
  - Grant: \$6,000.27
  - Jay: \$2,822.61
  - Randolph: \$4,706.01
  - Wells: \$751.49

## Provider Update

- For all the current subcontracted there will be no Bidders Conference. It has been decided to roll over the current prevention funders. No new letter of intent are needed.
- Jill Reagan with Valle Vista Residential Treatment Center
  - 26 beds on unit for girls 12-17 of age
  - RTC unit offers specialty programs
    - Diagnostics and Evaluation
    - Substance Use Disorder

- Kimberly Valentine-Health
  - Has two big visit spaces that can be utilized
  - Offer Home base work and therapy
- Julie Ensinger Columbus Behavioral Center
  - Residential Services males and females ages 8 to 17
  - Dialectical Behavior Therapy and Trauma Cognitive Behavioral Therapy
  - Beds should open in April
- Abby Boston Volunteer of America Fresh Start Recovery Center
  - Can take mothers (pregnant mothers) and child (children up to age 5 can come to treatment)
  - Can accept Family Preservation referrals
  - Substance Abuse Disorders with mom is the specialty

#### Coordinator Update

- Family Service Society is covering Blackford and Grant Counties
- Working with IU on the evaluation for Family Preservation to submit to the FEDS
- Do not anticipate any RFP's this year all the contracts were extended
- There will be several service standards updated

#### Regional Finance Manager

- Budget - \$21.3M; YTD Spend - \$13.7M/64.11% of Budget; Target 67.21; Under Budget \$660,000 for the year; Prior Year Spent 13.9M
- Region 7 is doing very well

#### Questions/Concerns from Membership

#### Meeting Dates for 2022

- June 10, 2022
- September 9, 2022
- December 9, 2022

#### Motion:

Deane Holderman motion to adjourn meeting. Nicole Mock seconds the motion. All members are in favor of motion.