



## OPERATIONAL OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (OOC) MEETING MINUTES

March 14<sup>th</sup>, 2022

11:00am

### Conference on the Park

Central Park Complex Building, 110 Franklin Street, 1<sup>st</sup>, Floor, Johnstown, PA 15901

#### ATTENDEES:

Commissioner Tom Chernisky, Commissioner BJ Smith, Commissioner Scott Hunt  
Tanya Kvarta, Elyse Kirchner, Tracy Selak, Fred Oliveros, Michelle Rager, Tracy Shultz

- Approval of Minutes: January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022 meeting minutes: Approved motion Commissioner Chernisky/ second, Commissioner BJ Smith. No discussion
- Review of requested financials: (See attachment) January balance sheet made available to all in attendance. Approved motion Commissioner Scott Hunt / second, Commissioner BJ Smith. No discussion.
- MBH contract: We are in the final editing stages and will send to Bill Barbin for review prior to signatures.
- Reinvestment Committee Meeting: Ad hoc: There are bi-weekly construction meetings for the walk-in crisis. Color scheme was approved last week and we are still on current timeline of 7/1/22 completion.
- Behavioral Health of Cambria County (BHoCC) Key Initiatives for 2022: Suicide awareness trainings for QPR are currently underway for April. Interviews for new trainers started on 3/7/22. We are also working on gathering data from families in current FBMHS service to assess GAPS in service for parents of children ages 2-7.
- Magellan Behavioral Health (MBH) Updates:
  1. The Star summit is scheduled for 5/25/22 from 10am to 2 with an afterparty from 3-5. A save the date is forthcoming. This will be held at the Bottleworks Center. Speakers are Jason Riligio for recovery and Michael Runningwolf on MH.
  2. MBH will be working with the Community Support Program (CSP) on 3/17 as a collaboration for the event.
  3. MBH, BHoCC and the Single County Authority (SCA) are meeting on 3/18 to discuss funding for School Based Mental Health. MBH is Also meeting with current School Based Outpatient (SB OP) providers to assess needs.

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4. MBH has had requests to continue the “It’s real” mental health presentation at Portage and Forest Hills SDs.
  5. MBH is working with BHoCC to develop a family support group for Mental Health (MH) needs and is currently researching existing models.
  6. MBH is looking to continue working with the county as they finalize the new contract with BHoCC.
- Misc.: Tom stated that the TV ad board is up again on the 1<sup>st</sup> floor hall, and he will also be forwarding change form to add any county events.
  - 2022 BHoCC Trainings: **UPDATE:** *All trainings will be held via **in-person** (Cambria County Academic Center) and transition to zoom if needed due to COVID regulations. More information can be found on our FB page and/or website [www.bhocc.org](http://www.bhocc.org).*
    - Stimulants and their Impact on Brain and Behavior: Best Practices and Approaches for Effective Treatment and Recovery – March 25<sup>th</sup>, 9am-4pm
    - Motivational Interviewing (x1) – April 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup>, 9am-4pm
    - Military Trauma & PTSD – April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 9am-12pm
    - Co-Occurring Disorders – May 16<sup>th</sup>, 9am-5pm
    - Adolescent Mental Health Issues & Intervention Strategies: June 7<sup>th</sup>, 9am-4pm
    - LGBTQ; Working with Parents & Families: July 15<sup>th</sup>, 9am-4pm
    - Trauma Informed Care – August 10<sup>th</sup>, 9am-4pm
    - Ethical Principles for Mental Health Professionals: September 16<sup>th</sup>, 9am-12pm
    - Motivational Interviewing (x2) – September 27<sup>th</sup> 7 28<sup>th</sup>, 9am-4pm
    - SMART Goals – October 13<sup>th</sup>, 9am-4pm
    - Motivational Interviewing TOT – November 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 9am-4pm
    - What is a “Recovery Community Organization” (RCO) – November 17<sup>th</sup>, 9am-5pm
    - Report to the Community – December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 10am-1pm

**Adjourn: Motion to Adjourn:** Approved motion Commissioner BJ Smith/ second, Commissioner Scott Hunt.

**Next meeting:** May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2022