



DDPIT Meeting Minutes – May 10, 2017

Participants:

Present: Andrea Sarto (North Country CMH); Barb Valliere (UCP); Belinda Hawks (MDHHS); Chris Lerchen (Arc of NW Wayne); Cheri Johnson (MMI, Inc.); Chris Zeigler (MRC Industries); Charlyss Ray (MDHHS); Dohn Hoyle (Arc); Ellen Sugrue-Hyman (MDHHS); Jim Dehem (CLS); Kathy Lentz (KCMHSAS); Mark McWilliams (MPAS); Robert Stein (MALA); Sherri Boyd (Arc); Tracy Duncan (St. Clair County CMH); Amy Peckinpaugh (MDHHS)

Phone: Barbara LeRoy (MI-DDI); Beth Schliska (Hiawatha Behavioral Health); Brent Mikulski (STEP); Elmer Cerano (MPAS); Joe Fraam (Hope Network); Lucy Wilcox (NorthCare Network); Laura Gotham (Sanilac County Community Mental Health); Mary Phillips (Livingston CMH); Mick Sheridan (Copper Country CMH); Sharon Milberger (MI-DDI); Teresa Tokarczyk (Au Sable Valley CMH); Todd Culver (MARO)

Guests: Josh Hagedorn (TBD Solutions); Moira Kean (Southwest Michigan Behavioral Health); Amanda Horgan (Mid-State Health Network); Trish Otremba (Au Sable Valley CMH-Phone)

Absent: Ambrosia Jackson (MCCMH); Don Schuster (Listening Ear); Denise Clark (Pathways CMH); Gary Smith (Allegan CMH); John Williams (Progressive Lifestyles); Kathleen Kovach (Oakland Community Health Network); Lori Baumgart (MCCMH); Nicole Lawson (Oakland Community Health Network); Shannan Clevenger (Lifeways CMH); Vendella Collins (DD Council); Yasmina Bouraoui (DD Council)

Meeting Minutes and Action Items:

- Reviewed minutes from March 8, 2017 meeting. Correction made to the Arc name.

- Federal Managed Care Rule presentation by Moira Kean and Amanda Horgan:
 - A “Medicaid Managed Care Regulations 2016 Final Rule Update” PowerPoint was reviewed and discussed.
 - Each PIHP has a member whom participates in the Federal Managed Care workgroup.
 - Reviewed cultural competence, network adequacy work needing to be completed, issues related to CHAMPS (Community Health Automated Medicaid Processing System) and all providers including atypical provided needing to register on CHAMPS.
 - Clarification needed on network adequacy, definition of atypical provider for CHAMPS, per diem payments, encounter data, and a request to receive the QRS information. Moira will email the QRS (Quality Rating System) information to Amy Peckinpaugh for distribution to DDPIT members.

- Belinda Hawks – Home and Community-Based Services Implementation:
 - Reviewed CMS’ decision to extend the transition period for the HCBS rule to March 2022. Michigan will continue along the path of being in compliant with the rule by March 2019.

- Effective October 1, 2017, new providers need to have immediate compliance with the rule.
 - MDHHS-BHDDA is working with the PIHP leads on project implementation with the support of MI-DDI. Additional outreach and education is planned with a focus on housing regarding what to expect in a transition plan if your provider is out of compliance or reaches a level of heightened scrutiny.
 - Discussed some areas which need additional clarification; individuals in self-directed arrangements; joint guidance document-waiting on fire marshal for signature.
 - Current extensions expire at the end of June.
- Ellen Hyman – Person-Centered Planning Policy:
 - Reviewed the draft Person Centered Planning (PCP) policy. Recommendation to change a section on Independent Facilitation (page 6) to *assisting or representing their voice*.
 - Final PCP policy will be shared with DDPIT members when available.
 - *DDPIT Policy Recommendation Tracking Report* was reviewed with the recommendation from DDPIT to have Person Centered Planning training developed and implemented through MDHHS-BHDDA. This form will be emailed by Amy Peckinpaugh to DDPIT members for additional comments.
- Josh Hagedorn –SIS® Application:
 - Reviewed the SIS® Application made available to the field in March 2017.
 - Discussed uses of the data, progress with the State on completing SIS® assessments, and using data to inform decisions at the system, provider, and individual levels.
 - A SIS® white paper will be shared with the field in the upcoming month.
- Bob Stein – Licensing update:
 - Court hearing on June 7, 2017. Amendments to the lawsuit have delayed the lawsuit.
 - The bureau’s (LARA) position remains when all of the elements of adult foster care are provided, a license is required. The elements are: Personal care, supervision and protection, and room and board.
 - There continues to remain a reluctance to move ahead with new development of supportive living arrangements.
- Reviewed future items to address/discuss at DDPIT:
 - Disparities throughout the state; Self-Determination/departments policy; Independent Facilitation and individual budgets being available to all individuals; and DD council’s work on housing assistance.

Next Meeting:

Wednesday July 12, 2017 – 1:00 - 3:00 pm in Lansing