

Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS)
Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities Administration (BHDDA)
Office of Recovery Oriented Systems of Care (OROSC)
Transformation Steering Committee Meeting (TSC)

MINUTES

DATE/TIME: July 19, 2018; 10:00 am to 2:00 pm
LOCATION: Horatio Earle Learning Center
7575 Crouner Dr.
Dimondale, MI 48821

FACILITATOR: Larry Scott
NOTE TAKER: Recorded

ATTENDEES: **In Person:** Elizabeth Agius, Elizabeth Boyd, Sara Coates, Lisa Coleman, Cindy Eckert, Colleen Jasper, Kimberlee Kenyon, Su Min Oh, Sam Price, Heather Rosales, Larry Scott, Joel Smith, Angie Smith-Butterwick, Ronnie Tyson, Jeff Van Treese, Jon Villasurda, Cathy Worthem
Phone: Brittany Leek, Mari Scalera, Danielle Stolicker, Stephanie VanDerKooi

TOPIC SUMMARIES

I. Welcome and Introductions – *Larry Scott*

Mr. Scott welcomed the Transformation Steering Committee (TSC); Everyone introduced themselves.

II. Agenda and Minute Review - *All*

The May 17, 2018 minutes were reviewed and approved. Mr. Smith asked if there will be an update on the recovery coach trainings shared at today's meeting. Information on the dates and locations was obtained and shared with the members.

III. BHDDA Updates – *Larry Scott*

A. 298 Pilot Program Update: Mr. Scott discussed updates with the 298 projects. PIHPs are responsible for financial and programmatic reports. OROSC is responsible for Block Grant and discretionary grant related reports. Discussions are taking place regarding which reports will be the responsibility of the PIHPs and which reports will be the responsibility of the 298 pilot agencies. Most, if not all, the pilots have a Partnership for Success Grant, funding for the State Targeted Response (STR) Grant, and all have Block Grant funding.

B. Personnel Issues: Mr. Scott informed the committee that Tom Renwick, Director of Community Based Services, is retiring at the end of July. Additionally, Lynda Zeller, Deputy Director of BHDDA, is leaving Michigan State Government in September. She has accepted a position with Michigan Health Endowment.

C. Syringe Service Programs: Mr. Scott announced that SAMHSA has approved Block Grant funding to expand syringe service programs in the State of Michigan. This is significant due to the opioid crisis impacting the increase in infectious diseases. Michigan's Region II & V

areas have seen an acute increase in Hepatitis A, B, and C, as well as with HIV and Tuberculosis.

- D. State Targeted Response (STR):** Michigan has a received noticed of award for 2nd year funding. Most of year-1's STR funds were not spent. OROSC is currently preparing the application for carryforward those funds. Proposals have been received from the PIHPs and other partners regarding activities they wish to fund with the carryforward funding. OROSC has been notified that there will be a no-cost extension year (3rd year) for the STR project. Towards the end of year-2, a no-cost extension application will be submitted to utilize the money. It is anticipated that award notifications for the carryforward funding will go out to PIHPs the week of July 23rd.
- E. State Opioid Response (SOR) Grant:** OROSC is preparing an application for this grant, which is due on August 13th. This is two-year grant with 27.5 million in funding per year. SOR will overlap the STR activities.
- F. Older Adult Technical Assistance:** On Tuesday, July 17th, there was a technical assistance session that was conducted by SAMSHA. Strategies were discussed to develop a state plan for older adult wellness.

IV. OROSC Updates – Larry Scott and OROSC Staff

- A. State Epidemiological Outcomes Workgroup (SEOW) - Su Min Oh**

Dr. Oh indicated she will share the Older Adult (age 55+) Technical Assistance Presentation, via email, with the committee. Dr. Oh indicated the treatment episode data indicated the two primary substances for treatment admissions for older adults are alcohol and heroin, which combined represent 75-80% all treatment admissions for this population. The secondary and tertiary substances are cocaine and marijuana. Dr. Oh, also, discussed the data on Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome (NAS) for infants in Michigan. Ms. Agius gave a presentation on the data collected on the 2016 Michigan Young Adults (aged 18-25) Survey. She indicated that Wayne State University used Facebook to reach young adults to participate survey. Ms. Agius indicated that prevention staff will be holding a workshop at the SUD conference to show individuals how to use Facebook for messaging, to post surveys and collect information.
- B. Gambling Disorder Proposals– Larry Scott**

Mr. Scott communicated that OROSC issued a Request for Information (RFI) from PIHPs to be involved in the Gambling Disorder Prevention initiative. OROSC has General Fund money to provide gambling prevention services throughout the state. OROSC has received proposals from six PIHPs to initiate and implement gambling prevention programming. Each PIHP will be able to hire a gambling prevention coordinator. That position will be responsible for developing gambling prevention programming. The PIHPs will be sending individuals to the gambling certification project.
- C. Older Adult Technical Assistance – Lisa Coleman**

Ms. Coleman provided information about the Older Adult Technical Assistance session that took place on Tuesday, July 17th. Two SAMSHA associates provided technical assistance to the group of approximately 30 participants. All the PIHPs were invited to send a prevention coordinator and a provider. Others in attendance were from The Primary Care Association,

Health and Hospital Association, the Medicaid Medical Director, Aging and Adult Services, MSU Extension, and other organizations. The participants discussed creating a workgroup that would be a part of the Transformation Steering Committee (TSC). The morning portion of the meeting consisted primarily of sharing National and Michigan data. There was an in-depth question and answer session during the afternoon. The group decided to hold meetings quarterly.

D. SOR – Brittany Leek

Ms. Leek discussed several initiatives that are currently being vetted for the SOR Grant. The focus is on initiatives that have statewide impact. Questions were asked and answered.

E. MYTIE – Heather Rosales

Ms. Rosales indicated that the next four MYTIE providers have been notified to be included in fiscal year 2019. They are Catholic Human Services in Traverse City, Arbor Circle, Macomb Family Services and Poly Behavioral Health. In June, MYTIE staff went to Washington D.C. for the SYT-1 Grantee Meeting. The workplan is being finalized, which includes fidelity insurances for evidence-based practices. They are Motivational Interviewing, Trauma Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT), Seeking Safety, and Adolescent Community Reinforcement Approach. There will be a new financial map by the end of FY 2018 to show what impact has been made, if any. As of July 19, 2018, 91 individuals have received GAIN training, 26 have been certified as administrators, 20 are currently working on becoming a local trainer, and one person has become a local trainer. In FY 2019, there will be training available for another hundred individuals. OROSC is partnering with some school-based health centers. There will be a part-time substance use disorder counselor onsite. Two locations are up and running (Marquette and Ishpeming).

V. Opioid Health Home – Jon Villasurda

Mr. Villasurda gave the history on the development of the Opioid Health Home program. The key aspects of Opioid Health Home are intense care management, care coordination, referral to social and community supports, and linkage of health information technology. Those are the core services paid for via the Health Home Authority. This is meant to supplement other funding sources, which do not typically reimburse for these services, such as Medicaid. This model is attempting to provide a health team comprised of recovery coaches, physicians, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, case managers, social workers and nurse care managers to put supports around a beneficiary who meets the criteria. Mr. Villasurda indicated the initial needs assessment was based on a population data analysis. The results of the analysis ranked Region II the most in need, particularly due to its high per capita prevalence opioid use disorder in the Medicaid population. Region II will be the first to receive funding. Mr. Villasurda then discussed the Health Home Authority funding match reimbursement percentages and reimbursement timeframe. Additionally, he explained how provider reimbursement rates were determined and how the monies will be distributed. Questions were asked and answered.

VI. Federally Qualified Health Centers Project – Sara Coates

Ms. Coates provided background information on the Health Centers Innovations and Substance Use Disorder Treatment project, which is also referred to as the SUD Innovations Grant. The program is funded through OROSC. There were nine successful health center applicants across the state; six are in southeastern Michigan, two are in southwestern Michigan, and one in Traverse City. Ms. Coates explained the requirements for health centers to provide Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT). Most of the health centers do not have Methadone onsite, so they are partnering with opioid treatment providers in their region. All nine health centers have a

successful contract or referral agreement with an opioid treatment provider. There have been two data waiver trainings for suboxone prescribing. There are several training opportunities coming up (e.g. Motivational Interviewing, SBIRT). Questions were asked and answered.

VII. Workforce Development Group – Heather Rosales

Ms. Rosales gave an update on the Workforce Development Group. All the workforce ladders have been completed. The next few workgroup meetings will be focusing on developing a recruitment strategy. There has been some discussion regarding a clinical supervisor academy. It is a 4 to 5-day training. There needs to be enough interested clinicians (approximately 20) to hold the training. The membership had some discussion regarding needing more staff and funding these positions. Health Resources & Service Administration (HRSA) has an opportunity where providers can qualify to become an approved site, and then anyone working within your facility can get up to \$75 thousand in loan repayment. Ms. Agius indicated that social work students check the HRSA's National Health Service Corps website to look for jobs opportunities offering loan repayment.

VIII. Announcements/Innovative Practices

Ms. Scalera shared a story of an incident that occurred with a law enforcement officer. The officer was sitting in his police car with the air conditioning on when he began to examine evidence. He was overcome by the substance, which turned out to be a mix of fentanyl and methamphetamines. Fortunately, he had a Narcan kit in his car and self-administered it, and then called for help.

Mr. Scott shared that an SSA from Maryland announced at the NASADAD conference that everyone in attendance should carry a Narcan kit in their briefcase.

Some other TSC members shared that they carry a naloxone kit.

IX. Upcoming Events – OROSC Staff and TSC Membership

7/25/2018 - Anti-Stigma Day event at Lansing Community College. This is a free event and lunch is included. Individuals can register online at CMHAM's website.

X. ADJOURNMENT

| ACTION | PERSON(S) RESPONSIBLE | DEADLINE |
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| Distribute Older Adult TA Presentation | Su Min Oh | 7/19/18 |
| Distribute NAS factsheet | Su Min Oh | 7/19/18 |

NEXT MEETING

Date/Time: September 20, 2018; 10:00 am to 2:00 pm

Location: Hampton Inn & Suites
2200 Hampton Place
Okemos, MI 48864