# JRAC: Mental Health and Addiction Subcommittee

# Mintues - Thu, June 6, 2024 at 12:00pm - PD conference room

#### I.Welcome

- II. Attendance and Announcement of Proxies See attached attendance list.
- III. Approval of Minutes Unanimous approval after Bush motion and Moon seconded.

#### IV. NEW BUSINESS

- A. <u>Introduction of CEPP, Center for Effective Public Policy</u>, Denise Symdon and Cynthia Mausser, for JRAC support on Zoom. They observed our meeting today and will continue to provide support and guidance to our JRAC. They plan to observe an upcoming full board meeting as well.
- B. <u>John Schellenberger</u>, <u>Commissioner</u>: Floyd County has had a contract with Blue River Services for transportation from the rural areas to rural areas and to urban areas since late 2022. Discussion regarding current and future use of this program. The Commissioners renewed the contract with Blue River. Discussion and collaboration amongst the group including how we might all benefit and use this service. The services are for rural to urban or urban to rural but not urban to urban. Health Dept. also has bus passes to share with any agency that needs them. Email Charlotte for more info.
- C. We discussed the option of whether we need more full JRAC meetings and the consensus of the group was to keep meetings as scheduled since it has worked well for us thus far.
- D. <u>Charlotte Bass, Health Dept</u>. notifies group of grant received to fund mental health. They will be partnering with a mental health provider to provide mental health treatment beginning January 1, 2025. They also will be funding dental needs with grant funding of \$50,000.

## V. Opioid Settlement Fund Work Group updates

- A. <u>Connie Moon MH and Addiction Resource Support Work Group</u>. Application form and Rubric is completed and has been approved by Commissioners. We set a deadline of 8/6/2024 at 4pm to accept applications. Charlotte at Health Dept. will also accept applications if anyone wants to submit in printed form. We will call a Special Meeting of full JRAC on 9/9/2024 at Noon to vote on the recommendations to be made to the Commissioners from the applications. Connie and her work group will review all the applications and make recommendations to the full board at the special meeting</u>. Public will be notified of the Application in press release in the newspaper and through mass email of subcommittee members to their contacts. Share on social media and the like.
- B. <u>Denise Beckwith, Juvenile Initiatives Work Group.</u> They have a meeting this week and are proceeding forward despite the departure of Dr. Brillwater from the school system. They are hoping this does not cause a delay to their work but will keep us posted.

### VI. Adjournment at 1:00pm

2024 Monthly Subcommittee on Mental Health and Addiction

Public Defender's Conference Room, Third Floor (new location)

June 6
July 11\*
Aug 1
Sep 5
Oct 3
Nov 7
Dec 5

Mtg 6/6/24

### JRAC: Mental Health and Addiction Subcommittee Membership

Nov 28, 2023

Judge Stiller Floyd Superior 1, Chair of FCCC-JRAC

Judge Justin Brown Floyd Circuit Court, Vice Chair of FCCC-JRAC

Judge Maria Granger Floyd Superior Court 3

Magistrate Flanigan Magistrate/Juvenile Judge

Denise Konkle County Council - Folia Property

Connie Moon County Council

John Schellenberger County Commissioner

Matt Lorch Chief Public Defender

Elizabeth Stigdon Chief Deputy Prosectuor

Steve Bush Sheriff AS

Sgt. Kara Hodges Jail Case Manager - Comp Proof

Daraius Randelia Direction, FCCC DA

Laura Elliott Asst. Dir FCCC 💃 C

Kelly Deuser Probation - Chief Device B. P - 78

Anne Stocksdale Intensive - FCCC  $\beta$ S

Jackie Estephan Probation - Veterans

Ann Carruthers

System of Care

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Joe Evinger Probation - Supervisor 🗲

-Kelley Stafford Jail Mental Health

Denise Beckwith Assistant Chief of Probation (Juveniles)

Charlotte Bass (B) FCHD

Lean Penarossi - Open Door Almen Herberg - FCSOC Nonna JShirr and FCSOC

DORDAN FURNISH - SUNRISE RECORRY