

JRAC: Mental Health and Addiction Subcommittee

MINUTES OF THE MEETING - THU, Apr 4, 2024 at 12:00pm – Floyd Sup Ct 1

- I. Welcome at 12 PM.
- II. Attendance. Hodges for Stafford. See attached Attendance.
- III. Approval of Minutes: Minutes from March, 2024 approved unanimously after motion by Bush and seconded by Lorch.
- IV. NEW BUSINESS:
 - a. Meeting location. Lorch has offered his new conference room on the third floor for our subcommittee meetings. All agreed that would be a good location. Next meeting to be held there.
 - b. WEBSITE. The JRAC website is updated. Judge Stiller will be emailing to collect additional link information for service providers and to also use for a brochure that we would like to create to hand out at the courthouse.
 - c. Meeting of May 2, 2024 is cancelled by unanimous vote due to Judge Stiller out that day. Motion by Flanigan. Second by Schellenberger.
 - d. JRAC Technical Assistance. Judge Stiller provided update from technical support she received as follows: Judge Stiller met with Denise Symdon, Senior Manager of The Center for Effective Public Policy (CEPP). She requested Technical Assistance from State JRAC for the below. The Center is contracted with the State of Indiana to provide and coordinate technical assistance to our JRAC. I asked Denise for assistance and direction on two primary areas for our JRAC:
 - 1) Data Collection; and
 - 2) TrainingDenise recommends that our JRAC does the following in this order:
 - 1) Obtain training for our JRAC on EBDM and how it started in Indiana. It will also explain about system mapping and the importance. It would take about an hour and a half. I will present to JRAC in April. She will be sending some reading materials with me to share with JRAC about this. She is meeting with her team next week and they will include planning for our training in their group.
 - 2) After training, then we could move into system mapping and SIM mapping.
 - 3) As for data collection, she will connect me with JRAC Workspace. There is some training, steps and additional materials there to guide us. She is setting me up with an account to use. I could even create a space for Floyd County JRAC for us to share docs, etc. She already emailed the link to me and I will check it out when I have time. She indicated that performance measures come later, after we do the training and mapping. But, we could learn about collecting our baseline data.
- V. WORK GROUP UPDATES:
 - a. Update from Magistrate Flanigan on Juvenile Workgroup (opioid funding). Her work group has been meeting with local school officials and researching other counties who have similar pilot projects for early intervention with students who are truant. The schools are excited to work with us. A cooperative agreement will be required with the school board. They will request Gardenour to join the work group. They

are awaiting school data to determine which schools to target the services. They hope to have the position hired and in place by 2024/2025 start of school or second semester at the latest. Also, Magistrate advised the members that the only juvenile detention center that we now have available to send violent juveniles is Clark County and that is subject to availability. We can no longer use Johnson County or Soutwestern.

b. Update from Connie Moon. Her work group is finalizing the application form. We wait approval from the Commissioners before we can distribute the application form.

VI. SYSTEM OF CARE PRESENTATION. They provided the subcommittee with a report on all the work that they are doing in Floyd County (see report). They also requested to expand the prior permissions to use opioid funding for counseling for MIGHT to permit it more generally for mental health treatment needs for incarcerated individuals reentering society due to identified significant need. Motion by Lorch to recommend to full JRAC. Seconded by Moon. Unanimously approved. Will be added to the April 15 JRAC agenda.

VII. Adjournment at 1:00pm