



COLUSA COUNTY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH ADVISORY BOARD MINUTES

Meeting was held on

July 9th, 2024

At Colusa County Department of Behavioral Health

Room 102

162 E. Carson St., Colusa, CA 95932

and via Zoom

1. Meeting was called to order at 3:02pm.
2. Establish Quorum
 - a. Board Members in attendance: Walter Osbourn, Rob Wilson, Jesse Marquez
 - b. Board Members not in attendance: Alfred Sellers Jr.
 - c. ***Quorum established***
3. Meeting Participants:
 - a. Behavioral Health staff in attendance: Haley Amundson, Heather Bullis-Cruz, Mayra Puga, Ivan Martinez, Tony Hobson
 - b. Others in attendance:
4. Public Comment:
 - a. Mr. Wilson asked if department could reevaluate seating situation in the lobby.
5. Old Business:
 - a. None.
6. New Business:
 - a. None.
7. Action Items:
 - a. June minutes to be approved.
 - i. Mr. Wilson motioned to approve minutes. Mr. Osbourn seconded the motion. All present members in favor.



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8. MHSA Update:

- a. Safe Haven Report: Ms. Puga reported Safe Haven will be holding their summer barbeque on July 24th. Please spread the word, all staff and members are welcome. We will now be open Saturdays from 10:00am to 3:00pm.
- b. Bright Vista Report: Bright Vista has been slow. Summer time tends to slow down. We sent out mailers to all active members inviting them to attend.

9. Director's Report:

- a. Dr. Hobson stated we are approved by the State for mobile crisis. It was approved July 1st. We have had two mobile crisis responses in the week and a half.
- b. Dr. Hobson stated we can look at skipping one of the summer months for our meeting since many are out on vacation.
- c. Many of our contracts were approved in June. This is the start of the new fiscal year for us.
- d. Care court will be next on agenda, waiting for new local judge to be appointed.
- e. Beginning of January we will be applying for an extension for housing and Prop 1.

10. Program Integrity:

- a. Mrs. Bullis-Cruz reported per members request intakes for last quarter of year. Steadily going down, probably due to summertime and the heat. Urgent request are going up. We don't know what the reason for the wait days listed on this report. Mrs. Bullis-Cruz stated she will look in to it.
- b. Mr. Martinez stated in June we did not do intakes. Services and intakes dropped in June, wait days went up.

11. Quality Assurance:

- a. Mrs. Rojas is not present. Mr. Martinez reported the data for Mrs. Rojas. We did have a dip in services. Probably due to therapist being out for training in June. We did have a small dip in medication management.



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There was an increase in crisis. Mrs. Rojas let Mr. Martinez know QA team will soon have access to dashboards and get the data that has been missing. We will be starting to provide peer support services at Safe Haven and Bright Vista.

- b. Do we want to see peer support and mobile crisis data?
 - i. Members said yes absolutely they would like to see this data.
- c. Dr. Hobson stated we built into budget peer support specialist supervisor.

12. PRA Report:

- a. Mrs. Houston is not present. Mrs. Bullis-Cruz stated we have two active grievances from May. One person wants it open even though it is pretty well resolved, just in case. The other case is still open. Seems to be heading in resolution direction.

13. Chairperson's Report:

- a. No report.

14. Board of Supervisor Report:

- a. Supervisor Corona is not present.

15. Adjournment – This meeting was adjourned at 3:23pm.

Next meeting scheduled for: August 13th, 2024

Minutes completed by: Haley Amundson