Central Wisconsin Health Partnership (CWHP) Meeting

Marquette County Department of Human Services

428 Underwood Ave. 2nd Floor

Montello, WI 53949

September 27, 2017

**8:30-11:00**

Minutes

1. Introductions: Mary Ann Schilling, Waushara County UW-Extension; Elizabeth Dehling, DHS Area Administration; Barb Theis, Juneau County Public Health; Jayme Schenk, Marquette County Health Department; Laura Waldvogel, Family Health La Clinica, Leah Eckstein, Adams County Health and Human Services Department , Marquette County Health Department, Dawn Buchholz, Waushara County Human Services, Jason Jerome, Green Lake County Health and Human Services, Mandy Stanley, Marquette County Human Services; Tracy Soda, Green Lake County Public Health
2. Review of notes from July meeting: Approved
3. Regional Comprehensive Community Services (CCS) Updates (Scott/White Pine): Please get CWHP membership updates to Barb. Lots of change in CCS in our region. 3 of our 6 CCS Service Directors have left. In Waushara County, Tanya replaced by Clara. In Green Lake County, Gretchen replaced with Kate. And in Juneau County, Amanda replaced with Joann temporarily (interviews pending). Continued growth in CCS as these transitions continue. Waupaca asking for 9 behavioral health positions, 1 of which to be CCS. Other counties also requesting CCS positions. State wide CCS meeting was combined with CST last week. There is discussion regarding CST and CCS merging/coordinating services. Lori will send her outline from the meeting. CQI and Training Committees wrapping up 2017. CQI continue to develop regional forms and handbooks and will now look bigger as these initiatives are completed (such as the role of mental health and substance abuse providers, consumer involvement, etc.). Working on consumer surveys; White Pine will be lead and put together results. Training Committee will be planning 2018 training schedule.
4. UW-Extension Services (Mary Ann): UW-Ext just completed and presented needs assessment for Waushara County. UW-Ext is able to raise awareness in our communities regarding mental health and AODA. They have educational materials which can help determine next steps and can help coach us if we’d like (i.e. asking right questions to get us where we want to go…like a mini strategic planning session or sessions). UW-Ext is being revamped and going down from 4 service areas to 2 (Agriculture and Natural Sciences and Youth, Families and Community Development). Community awareness is important and counties are encouraged to reach out to UW-Extension for assistance in this area. Anticipate that other counties will be going through needs assessments as well. Jay Dampier is the regional director for UW-Extension for Adams, Juneau, Waushara, Marquette and Green Lake counties. Green Lake County is possibly interested in working with UW-Ext for assistance in determining next steps around their CHIP. UW-Ext also provides some financial education and may do so regionally in the future. If interested in any UW-Ext services, please contact Mary Ann Schilling at [maryann.schilling@ces.uwex.edu](mailto:maryann.schilling@ces.uwex.edu)
5. Children’s Stabilization Efforts (Human Services Directors): DHS working on a statement of scope to develop an 8 bed youth crisis stabilization facility. No word yet regarding DCF’s possible facility. Secretary Anderson did have some follow-up questions regarding the 5 county pilot in-home youth crisis proposal (Marquette, Waushara, Green Lake, Columbia and Sauk counties).
6. CWHP Medicaid Data update (Kelly, Barb): Leah and others assessing and presenting to CWHP…doodle poll coming. Hopefully this information could be used for grant purposes, but need approval to use this info. Protocol and agreement is necessary.
7. CWHP Psychiatry Collaborative (Chuck/Laura): Recruiting psychiatrist/APNP is expensive and time consuming. Laura will send out a doodle poll to directors to schedule a planning meeting.
8. Rural consciousness in WI (Barb): Disseminated and reviewed “Understanding Rural Resentment Toward Cities”. Rural and urban vulnerable have common needs, yet are often pitted against each other. CWHP might be an opportunity to host a cohort gathering regarding these issues and discussing how these two groups could work together. Technical assistance would be important as emotions are high. Several institutes, schools involved in this initiative. Barb will forward Kathy Cramer’s webinar and we will have a presentation regarding this in November.
9. State MAT grants (Laura): RFP has not come out yet. Our region has been identified as an area in need of MAT services. Elizabeth will look into when grant may be released and let us know. Family Health La Clinica is doing some ground work. Their starting their behavioral health and wrap around services through their MAT has begun…3 providers and 2 dually licensed mental health/AODA providers as a way to integrate primary/health care with behavioral health care. Financial and care coordinators are also on staff. State grant could provide a possible expansion of these services. Juneau will have a full time AmeriCorps worker starting in November to work on the opioid issue and will share their work plan with the group. Scott met with Tom Engles from Tellurium. Tom would like to come to one of our meetings to discuss their services & resources.
10. Agency Road table: Juneau county did not get the Drug Free Communities grant. ☹ PDMP web page is in transition to have an interactive dashboard which will replace quarterly statistics report to provide real time perspective. Family Health La Clinica will find out in a month if they are invited to write for the full Healthy WI Partnership Program grant regarding building collaboration (finished this project for Sarah). Looking to expand access to care for the Amish population. Ministry Dental in Stevens Point may be acquired by Family Health La Clinica. 24% of La Clinca’s budget is federal $ so they can serve uninsured consumers. Waiting to see if funding will be renewed or not in April and what will happen to the Affordable Care Act. Waushara updates: new Deputy Director, Paul Vander Sande, starting October 16th, Clara Voigtlander is new CCS Lead Worker, recruiting for CCS Facilitator and approved for another CCS Facilitator in 2018. Also recruiting for an in-home therapist who will likely focus on working with adults with severe and persistent mental illnesses (current Waushara County in-home therapist Jenny Ward primarily works with children & families). Might apply for Brighter Future Initiatives grant and looking to apply for a home visiting grant once RFP comes out. Green Lake County recruiting for Behavioral Health Manager and Kate Meyer is their new CCS Supervisor and Wes Shemanski is new CCS Facilitator. Marquette County Human Services is taking on their TAD grant; Jim Webb will be supervising. They received MAT grant, but less then applied for, so will be wrapping it into the TAD program. Also working on a Vivatrol pilot with their jail. Adams County has a Behavioral Health Nurse opening. They have hired a Community Health Specialist.

Next Meeting Dates:

Wednesday October 25, 2017 Health Officers

Wednesday November 22, 2017 Full CWHP

Future meetings: 4th Wednesday every other month at 8:30am

**CCS Update for 9/27/17 CWHP meeting**

**Shared by Lori Martin, Regional CCS Coordinator**

CWHP Membership List

* An updated membership list has been posted to the CWHP website. Please share any changes or updates with Barb and/or Lori.

General Update on Regional CCS efforts

* Staff transition (Waushara, Green Lake, and Juneau Service Director positions); increase in Service Facilitator positions (Waupaca – asking for new position for 2018; Adams – recently hired new facilitator, Juneau – looking to expand)
* Continuing growth – consumers, staff, contracted providers

Statewide CCS / CST meeting

* Nearly 400 participants
* DCTS – Kenya Bright (Section Chief – Integrated Services Section), CCS; and Teresa Steinmetz (Section Chief - Children Youth and Families Section), CST outlined their vision for a seamless children’s system of care, which includes utilizing CCS and CST together for youth who qualify.
* All 6 of our CWHP counties were represented at the meeting
* The agenda, as well as handout materials from the meeting can be found on the CST resource website our agency manages: [www.wicollaborative.org](http://www.wicollaborative.org)

Training and QI committees

* Wrapping up 2017 efforts and looking forward to planning for 2018.
* Training committee will be looking at feedback from 2017 evaluations related to suggestions for future topics.
* The QI committee – looking to move beyond forms and policies to the bigger picture of QA and QI. For example – roles of Mental Health Professional, Administrator, and Supervisor within CCS.

Upcoming Workshops:

* + Assessment and Treatment of Children Served by Child Welfare Agencies – Dr. Rick Immler (October 4th, 1:00 – 3:30, Montello)
  + Role of the Mental Health and Substance Use Professionals, and Conducting a Mental Status Exam (MSE) – Jes Beauchamp (November 1st, 10:00 – 3:00, Wautoma)
  + Working with Youth in the Juvenile Justice System – Jonathan Cloud (December 6th, 1:00 – 3:30, Adams/Friendship)