

**Central Wisconsin Health Partnership (CWHP) Meeting  
Marquette County Department of Human Services  
Wednesday, March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2015**

**Present:** Tracy Soda, Green Lake County Public Health; Lisa Dodson, Medical College of Wisconsin – Central Wisconsin; Barb Theis, Juneau County Public Health; Scott Ethun, Juneau County Health and Human Services; Kathleen Meckstroth, Marquette County Public Health; Terri Brooks, Waupaca County Public Health; Shannon Kelly, Waupaca County Health and Human Services; Jan Novak, Waushara County Human Services; Wade Rasmussen, Marquette County Human Services; Rick Immler, White Pine Consulting Service; Lori Martin, White Pine Consulting; LeRoy Dissing, Green Lake Health and Human Services; Sarah Grosshuesch, Adams County Public Health; and Philip Robinson, Green Lake Health and Human Services

**1. Collective Impact Models – Phil Robinson and Sarah Grosshuesch**

- Phil and Sarah shared an overview of the Collective Impact (CI) Model. The model mirrors and may help formalize the collaborative efforts of the CWHP.
  - CI is the commitment of a group of representatives from different sectors to a common agenda for solving a complex social problem. There are five conditions / necessary components of success including:
    - Common Agenda – shared vision for change that includes a common understanding of the problem and a joint approach to solving the problem.
    - Shared Measurement – all participants agree on the ways success will be measured and reported
    - Mutually Reinforcing Activities – participants coordinate a set of differentiated activities through a mutually reinforcing plan of action
    - Continuous Communication – participants engage in frequent and structured open communication to build trust, assure mutual objectives, and create common motivation.
    - Backbone Support – an independent, funded staff are dedicated to the initiative and provide support by guiding the initiative’s vision, strategy, and activities.
  - Additional information on CI can be found at:  
<http://www.fsg.org/OurApproach/CollectiveImpact.aspx>
- The Magnolia Place Community Initiative in Los Angeles, California is an example of utilizing the CI Model. The initiative began in 2008 and has four goals: educational success, good health, economic stability, and safe and nurturing parenting. More information related to this specific initiative can be found at: <http://www.magnoliaplacela.org/>.
- Sarah and other health officers have been receiving training related to the Community Commons dashboard and have been planning for datasets that would be useful for CWHP and the regional Comprehensive Community Services (CCS) initiative.

**2. State Healthcare Innovation Plan (SHIP) Grant - Phil Robinson and Sarah Grosshuesch**

- In December 2014, Wisconsin received a Federal award of approximately \$2.5 million to develop a State Healthcare Innovation Plan (SHIP). The Wisconsin SHIP will:
  - Identify health care services with the greatest variation in quality and cost effectiveness;
  - Identify major cost drivers;
  - Identify clinical conditions with the most severe disparities in health outcomes;
  - Establish and analyze a focused set of quality and cost measures; and

- Improve dissemination and implementation of best practice.
- Multi-stakeholder workgroups are currently being established to focus on eight specific areas of SHIP development: population health, behavioral health, care redesign, health information technology, transformation measurement, payment models, fiscal analysis, and evaluation and monitoring. The Collective Impact Model will be used.
- There may be an opportunity for future pilot funding.
- Detailed information related to Wisconsin’s SHIP can be found at: <https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/sim/index.htm>.

### **3. Medical College of Wisconsin – Dr. Lisa Dodson**

- Dr. Dodson is the Campus Dean for the Central Wisconsin branch of the Medical College of Wisconsin (MCW). They are in the process of developing a 3-year (134 week) curriculum model for medical students.
- Narrow focus – looking for students interested in primary and community care, pediatrics, primary care physicians, and psychiatrists. Plan to admit approximately 25 students per year. Students must be from Wisconsin or have a strong connection to the state. A community-based committee of approximately 30 people review student applications and make recommendations back to the Medical College regarding which students to admit.
- The first classes will be held in July 2016. The campus will be housed at Aspirus in Wausau; with additional community facilities being used for education and training.
- There is a strong emphasis on students being connected with the community. The Scholarly pathway of the campus is “Physician in the Community”. This could be an opportunity for the CWHP – a student could be available to do needs assessments, collective impact related projects, data analysis, survey research, or work directly with clients. The MCW will be looking for community agencies to adopt a student for up to 2 years.
- Dr. Dodson will be working work with Area Health Education Center (AHEC) programs to identify and foster children who are interested in science, in hopes that they will continue their interest into high school and beyond.
- They are currently seeking approval for a 3-person per year residency in northern Wisconsin for family medicine and psychiatry. Looking to recruit a Residency Director. Hoping to begin in 2017.
- Advisory Board – no one from Public Health is currently on their board. If there’s interest, please contact Dr. Dodson: (715) 847-0414, [ldodson@mcw.edu](mailto:ldodson@mcw.edu).

### **4. Regional Comprehensive Community Services (CCS) Update – Lori Martin**

- Lori shared an update on securing a presenter for Motivational Interviewing (MI) training.
  - Scott Caldwell with the Department of Health Services (DHS) stated that DHS is rolling out MI training for CCS sites which they plan to pilot with 3 groups. It would be a comprehensive 6-month training process including: an initial 3-day training, monthly peer learning groups and trainer technical assistance; data collection/submission; and a 2-day follow-up training. DHS is working on an Action Memo which will go out to counties in the next month – Scott hopes that we consider applying to be one of the pilot groups.
- Learning Collaborative sessions with Cheryl Lofton
  - Cheryl Lofton, CCS Consultant with DHS, would like to hold monthly learning collaborative for the county CCS initiative she oversees at the Neshkoro Area Community Center (NACC). The tentative plan is to hold them on the first Wednesday of every month. Lori, Phil, and the NACC Oversight

Committee will be meeting to discuss logistics and planning, including the possibility of collecting payment from participants.

#### **5. Economic Health Summit - Sarah Grosshuesch**

- The Economic Health Summit has been scheduled for August 11<sup>th</sup> at the Heidel House Resort in Green Lake.
- Sarah will be meeting with Forward Community Investments (FCI) to discuss the training of facilitators using the results-based facilitation model.
- They received confirmation from Emily Sanders, Grants Director with Madison Area Technical College, who will be providing contract management for the summit.
- The University of Wisconsin Oshkosh has agreed to donate \$1,000, and will be sponsoring a social the evening of August 10<sup>th</sup>.
- They have also found a fiscal agent – the Rural Wisconsin Health Cooperative.

#### **6. Neshkoro Area Community Center (NACC) – LeRoy Dissing**

- The Westfield School District, who currently owns the NACC, is pushing the CWHP to make a decision regarding purchasing the building. Fox River Industries (FRI) is currently holds the building lease on behalf of the CWHP. LeRoy spoke the FRI Board of Directors, and they have agreed to have a commercial building inspector look at the building as a next step.
- Prospective tenant/leasers include a massage therapist, as well as an experienced and skilled foster parent who is interested in renting a space to use as office and facilitate parenting classes. Mandy shared that she mentioned the space as an option to Forward Services who is looking for office space for W2 expansion – she is not sure about their interest.

#### **7. Children’s Crisis Stabilization Pilot – Phil Robinson**

- There is recognition that stabilizing children in the community is not about location, but is rather highly contingent on the skill set of the individuals providing the service. There is interest in cultivating foster parents to be available on an on call basis. The Northeast Training Partnership is piloting the crisis training typically offered to child welfare staff with foster parents and asking for their feedback on how to make the training more applicable to foster parents.
- As a result of Wisconsin’s high utilization of institutions as placements for youth in crisis, state administrators were planning a meeting in Madison to including county representatives to discuss alternative options for youth in crisis. Phil shared the CWHP’s efforts, and has arranged a meeting scheduled for this afternoon with representatives of the Department of Health Services, Department of Children and Families, and Regional Administration to discuss the possibility of utilizing the NACC as a site for crisis stabilization for youth and adults.

#### **8. Contract with Rick Immler – Phil Robinson**

- Phil is proposing expanding the current contract with White Pine Consulting Service to include the services of Dr. Rick Immler. Dr. Immler is a board certified psychiatrist, dually certified in child and adult psychiatry. The primary areas of service would be:
  - Quality assurance and improvement: Dr. Immler would report to and support the Quality Improvement Committee of the Regional CCS Coordinating Committee, assisting in conducting needs assessments, and assuring the committee has access to and understanding of population-based data and evidence based practices.

- Regional training: may include (for example) development of training curriculum for medical providers on psychosocial rehabilitation, and curriculum development for CCS staff and providers related to evidence-based practices and quality improvement
- Support efforts related to development of a data warehouse
- In addition, a part from the contract with White Pine Consulting, Rick would be available to contract directly with the six counties to provide clinical consultation related to clients in CCS.
- Phil has been meeting with the Directors of the six partnering Human Service Departments to ensure their support for the contract expansion.

**Next Meeting:** Wednesday, May 27<sup>th</sup>, 8:30 – 10:30 at Marquette Department of Human Services

Notes submitted by: Lori Martin, White Pine Consulting Service