

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY
MISSOURI MENTAL HEALTH COMMISSION**

Conference Call

January 9, 2014

PRESENT

Kathy Carter
Gary Duncan
Dennis Tesreau
Neva Thurston
Steve Roling

ABSENT

STAFF

Keith Schafer, Department Director
Monica Hoy, Director's Office
Heather Eisterhold, Director's Office
Donna Siebeneck, Division of
Administration
Lynne Fulks, Division of Administration
Debra Walker, Public Affairs
Emily Koenig, Children's Office
James Jackson, Human Resources
Cathy Welch, Director's Office
Rikki Wright, General Counsel
Bernie Simons, Division of
Developmental Disabilities
Steve Reeves, Division of Behavioral
Health
Mark Stringer, Division of Behavioral
Health
April Maxwell, Division of
Developmental Disabilities
Angie Stuckenschneider, Division of
Behavioral Health
Connie Cahalan, Division of Behavioral
Health
Laine Young-Walker, Office of Clinical
Director
Susan Flanigan, Public Affairs

Vickie Davidson, MDDC
Robin Rust, DMH
Les Wagner, MACDDS
Ann Mattingly, Otsuka America
Pharmaceutical
Hannah Swan, Senate Appropriations

GUESTS

Greg Kramer, Life Skills

TOPIC/ISSUE	DISCUSSION
<p>CALL TO ORDER/ INTRODUCTIONS</p> <p>APPROVAL OF MINUTES</p> <p>OPEN DISCUSSION</p>	<p>Dennis Tesreau, Chair called the Missouri Mental Health Commission Meeting to order at 10:35 a.m. on January 9, 2014. The meeting was held by conference call due to the pending weather and funeral arrangements for staff and family member.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introductions were made. • Kathy Carter made a motion to approve the minutes of the December 12, 2013 Mental Health Commission Meeting. Neva Thurston seconded the motion and the minutes were approved with minor revisions. • Keith Schafer introduced Laine Young-Walker as the Youth Clinical Director. The Department is still in the interview process for the Adult Clinical Director position.
<p>BUDGET UPDATE</p>	<p>Keith Schafer and Lynne Fulks provided the budget update. Handout is located at http://dmh.mo.gov/about/diroffice/commission/2014MeetingSchedule.htm.</p>
<p>DIVISIONS AND SECTION UPDATES</p>	<p>Mark Stringer provided an update on the Division of Behavioral Health.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expansion of the DM 3700 project to include people with substance abuse disorders will be implemented on February 1, 2014. <p>Bernie Simons provided an update on Division of Developmental Disabilities.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Partnership for Hope currently has 2,800 individuals enrolled with 100 counties participating. • April Maxwell provided an update of the Bellefontaine demolition project. The administration building has been removed. <p>Susan Flanigan provided a Legislative update.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Handout is located at http://dmh.mo.gov/about/diroffice/commission/2014MeetingSchedule.htm <p>Emily Koenig provided an update on Children's Office.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prior to 2005, many times families were put in the difficult position of giving up custody of their child to the state in order for them to access behavioral health services. In response to this, the Custody Diversion Protocol was developed through the shared efforts of DMH, DSS, the courts and family members, and implemented statewide as part of the Comprehensive Children's Mental Health System in January 2005. Since its inception, extensive training of Children's Division (CD) staff, DMH provider staff and juvenile justice officers has occurred across the state. Through June of 2013, 1,069 youth have been referred through the Custody Division Protocol, with 96 percent successfully diverted from state custody. Of the youth diverted, 34 percent were maintained with services in their home and community, and another 10 percent were only out of home for a brief period (less than one month).
<p>PUBLIC COMMENT</p>	<p>No public comment</p>

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FUTURE MEETINGS	The next Mental Health Commission Meeting will be held on February 13, 2014. This meeting will be held at the Department of Mental Health beginning at 10:00 a.m. .
ADJOURN	<p>Steve Roling made a motion that the meeting adjourn. Kathy Carter seconded the motion. The Mental Health Commission adjourned at 11:35 a.m.</p> <hr/> <p>Neva Thurston, Secretary</p>