

# REINVESTMENT 2010 IMPLEMENTATION GRANT CJMHSa PLANNING COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

October 4, 2012 MCSO Headquarters Conference Room

## ATTENDANCE

CJMHSa Planning Council Members/Alternates:

Tommy Taylor	Jane Isherwood	Sandy Pearce
Joe Laino	Sylvia Murphy	Bob Audette
Karen Knight	Tommy Terpening	Manny Madruga
Sandy Islands	Larry Prescott	LaWanna Tynes
Sherry Read		

Staff: MCSO CJMHSa Diversion Program Director Edie Hambright  
MCSO Grants Manager Tamara Snider  
Monroe County Grants Manager Lisa Tennyson  
MCSO Reentry Coordinator Allyson Villafane

Other Attendees:

Vanessa Cohen	Valerie Carr	Tiffany Curry
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Minutes prepared by: Carol Peterson

## CALL TO ORDER

CJMHSa Planning Council meeting called to order at 10:00 a.m. by Tommy Taylor.

## WELCOME and INTRODUCTION

Self-introductions were made around the room.

## MINUTES

The minutes of May 31, 2012 and June 28, 2012 were approved with correction to date (31<sup>st</sup>, not 15<sup>th</sup>) of May meeting on the June minutes. No meeting in July, quorum not met in August, and September meeting cancelled due to projected lack of quorum.

## FINANCIAL REPORT from Tamara Snider

Second year beginning budget total of \$264,754.65 includes \$149,306.51 balance left from first year, \$114,952.88 second year grant award and \$495.26 interest earned from year one. Expenses for June, July and August 2012 completed.

## PROGRAM REPORT from Director Edie Hambright

Review of client numbers beginning with May through September.

**Murphy** - What is the state looking for from our program?

**Hambright** - That we are taking people into the program and how many complete it. About 30 have begun the program since Oct and we need to bring 48 into the program by March 2013. They do not have to complete the program but of course we want them to.

**Prescott** – Is there an evidence based curriculum for the group?

**Hambright** – Yes, Daniela does provide evidence based treatment services for substance abuse / EMDR and she is a licensed therapist.

We are getting good support from the judges – Judges Miller and Fowler are working with us for misdemeanors for probation with Court options. Judges Miller and Jones are beginning to work with us for felony cases. These are all for sentencing to the program. We do not have a special docket yet but would still like to have one.

**Madruga** - Are we involved in several violations of probation?

**Hambright** - yes

**Taylor** – We have begun to pick up speed – Allyson has been working very hard and we are starting to see cooperation and progress within the program.

**Madruga** - Do we have anyone with felonies yet?

**Villafane** – Yes, we have 4 and 2 are court ordered; another one is coming next week.

**Hambright** -18 admissions since April and the 14 previous are part of the total; March 31, 2013 is the end of the second year where we need a total of 48. The third year will require 48 in itself.

**Madruga** – Can you explain how you propose to use all the money (\$264K) when we have only used \$57K in the first five months of the second year?

**Hambright** - We are working hard to spend all the money received to date by the end of the second year. We have increased Daniela's treatment services, scheduled a fourth CIT training class and carved out money for client's needs for transition. We hope to get more clients into the program and utilize more treatment. We want them to have more contact with the therapist and part of the budget is being targeted to begin to do that. DCF and BOCC have approved those items and we have told Daniela it is okay to begin to increase her services which will increase the consultant fees.

#### **AD HOC ASSESSMENT/EVALUATION COMMITTEE REPORT** from Karen Knight

Presentation/discussion of meeting minutes from July 31, 2012 meeting

**Prescott** - Do you get information from the jail program for referrals?

**Hambright** - Yes, Allyson works with the staff from JIP.

**Prescott** – Will there be opportunity in our (GCC) out-patient units for people who may have been released that may be appropriate and may have been missed?

**Hambright** – That may be an opportunity but we have to make sure there is no duplication of services.

**Murphy** - Can we increase the length of the treatment program?

**Hambright** – Initial grant not set up for that; we could possibly work in conjunction with other programs if clients need referrals.

**Prescott** – What about more evidence based group therapy?

**Hambright** - Daniela does therapy that is evidence based therapy. The grant is not meant to be an intensive outpatient program.

**Hambright** - We've begun to put in place the steps the committee deemed might be able to benefit the grant outcome.

**Taylor** – I want to thank the committee for all the work that has gone into gathering this information. We appear to be going in the direction that we need to go but we are still searching to do it better. We are starting to see some positive results – spending down the money and providing the services that are needed for these clients.

**Hambright** – Report on CIT – very successful class of 26 completed last week; classes scheduled for the week of Nov 5 and the week of Jan 14, 2013. This year's budget includes a 4<sup>th</sup> class to be offered.

**Isherwood** - Recommend have judges attend a class of CIT training – maybe an hour presentation specifically for them at a judge's meeting.

**Hambright** - I'll talk with the trainer about having a meeting with them; a good percentage of LEO have attended – our goal is to train 100% of all LEO as noted by MCSO, KWPD Command Staff.

G&O's draft overview distributed – please review it and give any recommendations at the next meeting.

### **ONGOING BUSINESS – Sustainability Committee**

**Laino** - Delighted to hear these numbers – the way to sustain these grants is to be able to place a value on the savings and getting people back into the community – I'm looking for people with number backgrounds to help my committee put together savings information – hope to have something to report next meeting.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

**Hambright** - Tommy Terpening is resigning from the Council as he is leaving the area. Thank you for all your assistance, support and volunteering within the recovery community.

### **ROUNDTABLE**

**Laino** – NAMI is being set up in the Keys again. We are looking for families with mental health issues so we can reach out to them with assistance. Please join us at the Health Fair and promote us to anyone who might need our service. Any questions please contact me or Sherry Read.

**Read** – NAMI Family to Family will be starting Jan 9<sup>th</sup> – free – for family members with mental health problems – meets Wednesday nights for 12 weeks

**Islands** – PHP/IOP program started July 30<sup>th</sup> – called Connections – intensive outpatient treatment and partial hospitalization service

**Taylor** – We need a vice chair. Motion made and seconded for Karen Knight as vice chair. Karen accepted the position.

**NEXT MEETING** is scheduled for Dec 13, 2012 at 10:00 a.m.

Chief Taylor adjourned the meeting at 11:30 a.m.