



Behavioral Health Board – Region 3

Serving Adams, Canyon, Gem, Owyhee, Payette and Washington Counties

Children’s Mental Health Sub-Committee Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, January 27, 2021

12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

<https://swdh.zoom.us/j/98727597097?pwd=YnRSTUtudm5zL3JZL21rRTBaU2YzZz09>

Board Member Attendees:

Aaron St. George	Alex Zamora	Brian Lee	Charles Christiansen	Christopher Partridge
Dahlia Stender	Greg Dickerson	Heather Taylor	Jeri Gowen	Joy Husmann
Laura Raynor	Lina Smith	Marc Shigeta	Mark Rekow	Melissa Mezo
Michelle Sundquist	Penny Dunham	Penny Jones	Richard Ferrera	Shawneen McGee
Tricia Lofton				

Additional Attendees:

Darren Bushe	Sydney Young	Cydnee Lopez	Alisa Burlakov	Clarissa Grange
Daphne Lightfoot	Jeff Cappe	Emily Straubhar	Leslie Van Beek	

Agenda:

Topic	Discussion	Motion	Action
Call Meeting to Order Roll Call Introduction	Meeting called to order at 12:32. Emily provided an update on new format of meeting agenda and minutes. Moving forward, individual board packets will be created and emailed, rather than one large packet. Each sub-committee will need to approve the meeting minutes from the month prior.		

Review November 2020 Meeting Minutes	Committee members reviewed the November 2020 meeting minutes.	November 2020 minutes approved unanimously.	Emily to upload approved minutes to the SWDH website.
BHB Community Involvement	<p>Joy Husmann presented.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recovery 4 Life interns – Clarissa, Cydnee, and Alisa – have been tasked with updating the strategic plan as one of their macro projects for graduate school. They also will create a survey and deploy it to the full Board. • Committee members brainstormed ideas to increase community engagement. A common theme in the available data is that there is limited availability to providers in the region that are representative of the population served. Darren Bushe suggested looking at the recruitment and retention of students enrolled in local universities. • The Recovery 4 Life interns discussed that the demographics in their MSW program look different than community and agency leadership. There is more racial and gender diversity in the graduate program versus what is observed in the field. Another barrier is that the NNU MSW program has two tracks to choose from, so students are losing out on a potential skillset. One resolution to this barrier would involve inviting a university representative to the Board so that they may contribute to the discussion. • Committee members discussed separating the CMH and Provider sub-committees. The CMH sub-committee would focus more on the strategic plan and goals, while the Provider-Prevention sub-committee would focus more on retention and representation. Committee members would also like to see more promotion of the stakeholders that are involved in the behavioral health being doing for the community. • Darren Bushe presented on the Optum Idaho January Relias Spotlight Series. Darren is interested in serving as the Chair for the Provider-Prevention Sub-committee but he needs to seek permission from his employer before he can commit. 		<p>Emily to email Spotlight Series to the BHB list-serve.</p> <p>Emily to coordinate date and time for provider-prevention sub-committee.</p> <p>Emily to upload the Regional Behavioral Health Board Answers to the SWDH website.</p>
Adjourn	Meeting adjourned at 1:33 p.m.		

Next Children's Mental Health Behavioral Health Board Meeting:
Wednesday, February 24, 2021
12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.