Marion County Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

April 11, 2018

Present: Karin Perkins, Patty Pickett-Cooper, Cori Mielke, Deb Patterson, Trisha Baxter, Kathy Schnebly, Doug Short, Amy Baker, Corissa Neufeldt, Sandra Loucka

Absent: Gwyn Marsh, Alan Roberts, Trish Davis

Introductions: Everyone introduced themselves.

Review of Minutes: March minutes were reviewed. Deb motioned to approve the minutes, Kathy moved and Doug seconded. Minutes were approved.

Committee Member Updates: Cori discussed an Employment First online training series and Launch: Transition to Adulthood presentation – both were being held in April.

Program Manager Update: Corissa discussed service coordinator vacancies. Currently there are 5 openings – interviews are scheduled. Another permanent abuse investigator position has been approved and is posted.

There is new legislation that clarified and expanded abuse definitions for mental health and new requirements for due process.

Corissa is focusing on internal workings of the DD program - streamlining paperwork and modernizing so case managers can spend more time with individuals and focus on health and safety. Dual monitors and updated, easier to use streamlined shared folder for everyone. Working on collaborating with providers and strategies for dealing with problems in a more efficient manner.

Preparing for ODDS audit the week of May 14.

Supports and Services Fair debrief: Around 150 attended. A lot of families and individuals with providers were in attendance. The group provided feedback on what went well and ideas to make next year's fair work more smoothly.

I/DD Awareness Month debrief: Corissa discussed the many outreach opportunities for last month and how to better prepare for next year.

Membership outreach/terms/meeting times: Member terms – four member's terms are ending this year. The group discussed recruiting with flyers, etc. Meeting times – all present members were okay with the current meeting time.

Employment Service Performance Measures: Discussion regarding what data is needed and wanted by committee. The group also discussed several issues facing employment in the I/DD community.

OCDD visit for May meeting was confirmed.

Deb motioned to adjourn the meeting, Trish moved and Doug seconded. Meeting was adjourned at 10:30 am.