

Systems Management Group  
Meeting Minutes  
October 13, 2008

**Present:** Bonnie Malek – CAPS  
Gary Heard – MC Drug Tx  
Cary Moller – CAPS  
James (Doc) Campbell – Bridgeway  
Linda Matthais – Consumer Rep

Jim Russell – MVBCN  
Dean Andretta–MVIPA  
Doris Reyes - CAPS  
Geoff Heatherington–Polk Co

**Absent/Excused:** Maria Couch – CCS

**Guest:** Tim Murphy

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**I. Announcements:**

- Geoff announced that they have hired Stacey Caraballo as their new dually credentialed supervisor. She is currently working on her PhD
- Jim announced that the CD rates would be going up rather than down in 2009. The increase is estimated at 2.5% and a more substantial increase is expected for 2010.
- Dean has some announcements regarding the Care Oregon business
  - Care Oregon is leaving the Oregon Health Plan business and MPCHP will be picking up a substantial number of those members
  - About 80% are children/youth under the age of 18
  - Less than 5% are Standard OHP Adults and Couples so this is likely to have a small impact on the CD business overall
  - The bulk of this shift is likely to happen in December 2008
  - PCP coverage, especially for the Latino population is going to be a challenge. Salud Medical Center's participation is uncertain and the Virginia Garcia clinic declined to participate with MPCHP
  - Family Care will be able to serve people in 2 of the Salem zip codes, Silverton and Woodburn.

**II. Minutes Review – Cary**

- Minutes were approved with no changes

**III. Orientation to data reports and the function of SMG – Dean & Jim**

- It was decided to hold this agenda item over until the new members of the SMG were able to be here
- **Monthly Report for September - Dean (See handout)**
  - ❖ Membership – 35,954
  - ❖ PM/PM - \$3.22
  - ❖ Amount Due - \$115,920.39
  - ❖ Methadone – \$33,000.00

- ❖ FFS – \$ 87,740.18
- ❖ MOMS-Cascadia – \$0
- ❖ MOMS-Marion County-\$1900.00
- ❖ Pain Clinic-\$35,894.17
- ❖ Dean-Retro payments with the new fee schedule have been completed

#### **IV. Update on MPCHP in Yamhill County**

- Dean announced that most of the negotiations were complete with Yamhill County. It is still undecided about whether they will join the Systems Management Group here or be included in systems management decisions through another process.

#### **VI. Utilization Reviews-scheduling and input regarding the tool**

- Bonnie asked the group about their preferences for tools used in the upcoming Utilization Reviews.
  - Polk County, Bridgeway and Marion County Adolescent would like to have both the standard UR review and the Evidence-Based Practice Review.
  - Bonnie will schedule the standard UR reviews for November and wait until after the first of the year to schedule the EBP reviews.
  - Bonnie will do the standard UR review with New Step and wait until they get some evidence based practices online before proceeding with the EBP review.

#### **VII. Bridgeway/Cascadia Update**

- Doc reported that Bridgeway is filing their articles of incorporation and will be known as Bridgeway Recovery Services. They are currently recruiting people for their Board of Directors.
- Bonnie reported that the county is moving ahead with related planning with no significant changes since our last meeting.

#### **VII. Update on the pain clinic and referral processes**

- Bonnie provided an update on the pain clinic and announced a provider meeting for November 12<sup>th</sup> from 8:30-10:00. She encouraged providers to attend and noted that the clinic is having some problems with access to mental health and CD services.
- The CAPS team will be attending the November 12<sup>th</sup> Pain Clinic meeting as well to work on access issues.

#### **VIII. QI Initiatives:**

- **Children's System Improvement Project**
  - Bonnie and Steve Kuhn provided information to the group about the Children's System Improvement Project (CSIP), which is focused on increasing the identification of mental health and substance abuse problems with youth involved in the Marion County Juvenile Justice system.

- In the first phase, youth coming into the detention facility will be screened with the MAYSI, which is a 64-item self-report scale used in 42 other states for similar purposes. It is hoped that this will increase referrals and access to treatment.
  - In the second phase, all youth coming into probation will be screened.
  - It was noted that the tool has some limitations in terms of accurately identifying trauma in boys.
  - Bonnie suggested that we incorporate more trauma assessment into our intake processes to adjust for the limitations.
  - Gary and Bonnie discussed the increased capacity for adjudicated youth in the Marion County Adolescent Program and expressed confidence in the program's readiness to accommodate increased referrals.
- **Increasing Penetration Rates within Spanish Speaking Communities**
    - Cary and Kathy Savicki met with Noel Wiggins from Multnomah County Public Health about their use of Primadores for providing outreach to Spanish speakers in the metro area.
    - Experiential training for Primadores is available through Pacific University.
    - Primadores could play a vital role in local behavioral health services.
    - We will continue to explore these possibilities as a group and as part of our broader system goals

Adjourned at 3pm

Next meeting is November 10, 2008

Minutes by: Doris Reyes