

## SMG Meeting Minutes April 12, 2010

### Present:

Linda Matthias, Consumer Advocate  
Trish Davis, Marion County  
Terry Dethrow, NPC  
Dean Andretta, MVIPA  
Tim Murphy, BRS  
Dwight Bowles, CAPS  
Geoff Heatherington, PCMH  
Jim Russell, MVBCN  
Bonnie Malek, CAPS

Carol Sjolin  
Gary Heard  
Sandra Stewart  
Bonnie Malek, CAPS  
Cary Moller, CAPS  
Steve Kuhn, CAPS  
Jan Christodonlou, BRS  
Tomoko Gersch, Clear Paths

### Meeting called to order at 1:35 am

#### I. Announcements:

- ❖ Cary started with the review of handouts, and proceeded to let everyone know that new step is going to be closing June 1<sup>st</sup>. She added that on April 19<sup>th</sup>, 2010 from 1-4PM there is a community forum at the state fairgrounds
- ❖ Trish from ITRS stated that 144 children have been returned to their family homes. She also added that the program is very family focused and the clients seem to like it a lot.
- ❖ Cary reminded everyone of the ISSR training at the Black Bear Inn and April 14<sup>th</sup>, 2010

#### II. Minutes Review

#### III. Monthly Report for March

- ❖ Outpatient gambling, had 11 dedicated beds and now only 2, no change in short term budget might change with in the next year, increase in people calling for help but no increase in budget so far

#### IV. Service System Developments

- ❖ Alcohol & Drug Evaluation Specialist(ADES) sets up clients services and doesn't want the client to choose their own providers
- ❖ Bonny stated they have 37 referring cases 10 complete and 8 closing because basically the loss track of them but for the clients that come back and have not relapsed they are continuing to get credit for what they have already done and to continue from that point to complete them
- ❖ Only 15-16% of clients made it to another provider and completed their program
- ❖ Cary talked about indigent services, open up priority 1 and 2, fewer priority 1, room wit fund money so now open to priority 2 as well,

- ❖ Priority 1 usually had OHP so the clients seen had funding for opening up to priority 2 will help community a lot, low rate in Hispanics and more males than females calling for help
- ❖ ITRS has about 10-15 new cases a week and OHP is still consistent
- ❖ Polk Had difficulty getting clients in quickly so they reassessed their process used and not it is going quicker
- ❖ Tomoko stated that effective May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2010 they are withdrawing from the probations corrections program because the funding for it is not readily available but with their regular programs they still have 135 patients
- ❖ Dean talked about 50,000 people membership Cap is \$3.69 and last year was \$3.11 but they are only spending about \$3.29, have had a significant increase in patients seen a month in February
- ❖ Tomoko less than \$2000 a month
- ❖ Dean assessment, in the children's program they found that the most used is amphetamines and some alcohol and in the adult program the use is mostly alcohol and some amphetamines
- ❖ Bonny went over hand out about treatment cost per person, if they complete, level of care determined depending on history and their offense determines their treatment
- ❖ Records may look like they are receiving enough and good treatment but money usage might look like they are being under treated, how much treatment they receive or what type and intensity of it has shown to determine what the out come is after treatment.

**Meeting adjourned at 3:00**