



COUNTY OF YOLO

Health and Human Services Agency

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Proposition 47 Steps to Success Local Advisory Committee Meeting Notes

Tuesday, September 25, 2018 (3:30pm-4:30pm)

500 Jefferson Blvd, Building A, West Sacramento CA 95605 - Community Room #162

Meeting Agenda

Agenda Item

Speaker

1. Welcome/Introductions/Announcements All

2. Program Status Update All
 - a. HHSAA
 - i. Motivational Interviewing and Stages of Change training will be held this week Wednesday 9/26 and Thursday 9/27. This is an evidence based practice written into the proposal.
 - ii. The BSCC has offered a no-cost 12-month extension – all LAC members in attendance agreed to move forward with extension
 - b. DA
 - i. BSCC approved to take low level felony cases; this allows us to fill a gap between MHC to S2S services
 - ii. We have had 2 RJ conferences since the last meeting – participants
 - iii. Forensic Mental Health (MH) conference in LA – DA will presenting MH court Program and the Steps to Success (S2S) program and how the county is using diversion and restorative justice to help MH cases
 - iv. A new MH statute has passed for those not competent to stand trial; There will be a test case in the Incompetent to Stand Trial (IST) process; we will start a collaborative process for the IST process
 - c. Probation
 - i. Currently responding to a lot of referrals from DAs office; working on ways to solve the communications issues the team is experiencing with referrals and clients; we will have weekly intake/orientation sessions – we will start 2hrs in each city – anybody in court will be given the schedule at arraignment and they will be able to come and contact one of us; Locations are Freeman Park in Woodland on Tuesday (with plans on moving it to Fourth and Hope); Wednesdays we will be available in Davis in the Hunt Boyer building; Thursdays we will be in West Sac at Community room in collaborating with Mark Sawyer; we are trying to develop the flow from referral to assessment to clinician

- d. CommuniCare
 - i. 2 Outreach & Assessment clinicians, 1 case manager, and 2 peer support worker have been hired. An additional case manager is on the way; an employment specialist and in-house clinician is still in the process of being hired
 - ii. 81 referrals ; 21 receiving intensive case manager
 - iii. 28 – sent back to DA due lack of communication
 - iv. 11 – in the assessment phase in the 30 day window
 - v. 22 in the intake phase – Sean has made contact and an appointment sent up with Clinician
 - vi. We are not fully staff but the admin assistant will be out with Sean during intake/orientation sessions to schedule their appointment with clinicians
 - vii. Our biggest barrier is communication and getting in touch with the referrals
 - viii. DA: being out in the public has helped in the homeless program
 - ix. PD: can you take appointments by phone?
 - x. Appointments can be made over the phone. The staff in place are committed and are open to serving our population and understand the difficulty of homelessness and substance use
 - xi. In the beginning we felt that we were putting fires out and now we are more streamlined to complete assessments first then offer services
- e. Empower Yolo
 - i. Motels that we have set up require Ids, but not all
 - ii. Master leases - 3 bedroom house that will sleep 4 -6
 - iii. Master lease – 2 bedroom with 1 family – West Sac
 - iv. Many landlords won't rent to this population
- f. Legal Services of Northern California
 - i. 9 legal education classes – 5 at Empower Yolo & 4 at CC
 - ii. We served 82 individuals in the classes
 - iii. 7 individuals clients in housing
 - iv. EY- our women's support group in the jail would like that class (HHSa can coordinate)

3. Revised Process Map

Anisa

- a. Completing the ASAM has been an issue; 800 number is not always available; the team will sometimes complete the assessment and give the nav center the score; right now it would be preferred to have Nave center do the ASAM;
- b. Call within 10 days of release;
- c. S2S team has been putting the ASAM off for the first few weeks so that the client will get engaged before enrolling; if we need a time waiver to get it done correctly and we can explain to the court a timeline

4. Questions/Discussion

All

- a. What do you do when someone is not ready?
Within our program we have seen individuals have slipped up; we don't dis-enroll;

them in the program; we give them a 3 week time frame with 9 attempted contacts;

- b. One training on the substance use side is the David Mee Lee trainings; HHSA will be sure to send it to S2S team

5. Meeting Evaluation (+/Δ & future topics)

Anisa

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<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Program is beginning to serve clients	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Roll out of ASAM

Upcoming Meetings and Events

- Next LAC Meeting
 - December 4, 2018
 - 3:30pm – 4:30pm
 - 2600 Fifth Street, Davis 95618 - Davis Police Department Community Room