

minutes

Region 6 Behavioral Health Board		
2.20.2018	11:30am	Southeastern Idaho Public Health
Type of meeting	Region 6 Behavioral Health Board	
Facilitator	Barry Jones	
Note taker	Laurie Brenchley	
Attendees	Dave Sorensen, Jim Price, Shantal Lauulu, Kimberly Thomas, Chris Freeburne, Brenda Valle, Rhonda D'Amico, Hailey Tyler, Teven Orme, Melissa Scott, Daniella Long, Ashley Bringhurst, Barry Jones, Lynda Shiflett, Bob Gerhke, Joann Martinez, Brad Baker, Stace Gearhart, Melissa Syria	
Minute Approval		
Discussion	Brad Baker motioned to approve the minutes as written. Stace Gearhart seconded the motion. All in favor; motion passes.	
State Conference Call recap		
Discussion	Brad Baker reported on the conference call that was held with the state. It was a very positive call. They were interested with some of the work that we have done with the Hope and Recovery Center. They were impressed with a lot of the outreach that had been done in conjunction with the crisis center effort i.e. Chamber of Commerce and the farmers markets. The state is looking to compile a best practices guide using practices from all behavioral health boards in the state. This way there can be some sharing about best practices and what other regions are doing.	
ICADD Scholarship Discussion		
Discussion	The information for the ICADD scholarships was sent out to providers. Brad Baker made a motion to add discussion of ICADD Scholarships on the March Agenda. Joann Martinez seconded the motion. All in favor; motion passes.	
Follow up Discussions		
Discussion	<p>Joann Martinez followed up with the Veteran's Association van for transportation. The van will take veterans down to the Salt Lake clinic, and generally do one trip per day. They will sometimes take spouses of family members with a disability doctor's note.</p> <p>She also followed up with Tony from IDC about transitional housing. There are agreements with landlords and MOU's and then the department of corrections pays that rent. They usually do from 30-90 days. This is not traditional transitional housing. The Wood Court works the same way. Tony is happy to come to a meeting in the future to talk about programs. We are still trying to get information of safe and sober housing. They do accept state funding. However, safe and sober housing is not only for people in the correction system. The Wood court will pay for housing and try to help people get into the community. The Rising Sun is more of a true safe and sober housing with criteria and payment options through BPA.</p> <p>BJ from Aid for Friends could come and speak. They have case management and there would be funding through PATH that could help people get into housing. They have several different programs and they work with HUD and SIECCA.</p> <p>Chris Freeburne wanted to follow up with the work he has been doing with the Region 7 board. They are pursuing the adoption of a conflict of interest statement for their board. IF this is something the Region 6 board is interested in, we could use Region 7's as a template. Chris will bring more information to the March meeting.</p>	