

Minutes



Region 6 Behavioral Health Board			
7.20.2021	11:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	Southeastern Idaho Public Health	
Type of Meeting:	Regional Behavioral Health Board-Virtual meeting through the GoTo Meeting platform		
Facilitator	Shantal Laulu	Recorder	Effie Jones
Board Members Attended:	Brandy Bredehoft, Stace Gearhart, Bob Gehrke, Cindy Hansen, Kyle Hanson, Linda Hatzenbuehler, Holly Lacey, Fran Lands, Shantal Laulu, Cory Mangum, JoAnn Martinez Visitors: Martin Hughes, Chris Freeburne, Chessie Meyer, Brenda Valle Excused: Brad Baker, Jason Byrd, Michelle LaRock, Gail McNerney		
<i>Action Item- Chair& Member Announcements</i>			
Shantal Laulu and All Members Present	<p>Member Updates: Fran Lands brought forward to share with the board of huge housing problem in Pocatello and a rise in evictions in the area.</p> <p>Chair Announcements: Shantal Laulu shared with the members reported that the Aid for Friends is doing a ribbon cutting this week and a soft opening of their new facility next week. COVID precautions are being used and is why there is not a public opening yet. Shantal went on to report that thru the state leadership call learned that there are recovery month resources sent out to the Behavioral Health Boards across the state.</p>		
<i>Action Item- Review/ Approval of May Meeting Minutes</i>			
All Members	May and June Meeting minutes were tabled until the regular meeting in August as there was not a quorum present at the time of this agenda Item.		
<i>Action Item /PFS Grant Update</i>			
Chessie Meyer	Chessie oversees the Partnership for Success Grant. She gave a brief rundown for the action plan for this fiscal year. There are eight different strategies for the program that they will be focusing on listed below. Chessie went further into detail for each of the strategies. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Be the Parents Program 2) DITEP Training 3) Positives Actions Program 4) Drug Deactivation Pouch Distribution 5) Life Skills Training Program- working with Sho-Ban school 6) Addition of cameras to schools for prevention of drug use on public properties. 7) Sticker Shock awareness Campaign 8) Take the Reins with Positive Action- Life skills training using horses Discussion of the different the strategies of this grant ensued with the members. And how to get children ages 10-17 years old engaged.		

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<i>Action Item- Review of Gaps & Needs</i>	
All Members	<p>Over view of ranking items of member survey was given. Members gave feed back of problems with survey. Shantal continued the discussion this agenda item by leading discussion on the individual issue areas listed on the survey for members can better understand the importance of the individual areas. The governor’s strategic plan was brought up that addressed some of the topics brought up by members. Through discussion it was suggested to send the governor’s strategic plan to members to review.</p> <p>Due to the short time frame for response for the region’s Gaps & Needs; a workgroup was formed by individual members volunteering to work on this outside of the board meeting: Gap & Needs Workgroup members are: JoAnn Martinez Fran Lands Bob Gehrke Cindy Hansen Shantal Lauulu Stace Gearhart</p>
<i>Action Item- Sub-Committee Updates</i>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Kyle Hanson reported that the Children’s Mental Health sub-committee did not meet in July due to committee member schedule conflicts. There next meeting will be in August. And Gaps & Needs will be on that agenda.• JoAnn reported that Alice Lin’s Survey on Suicide prevention resource needs has gone out to service providers in the area. Also, the RSS committee has discussed Recovery Fest. The date scheduled for the event is on September 10th. More details will be shared after the Recovery Fest Committee meets. The Farmer’s market booth has been successful, but need of literature and educational materials and volunteers to man the booth on August 21st. Questions on the CEU training and allocations of funds for the recovery fest were addressed as well.
Meeting adjourned at 1:01 p.m. Next meeting scheduled for Tuesday, August 17, 2021 at 11:30 a.m.	