



RECOVERY TASK FORCE

Governor's Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention, Treatment and Recovery

Task Force Chair: Marty Boldin/Cheryle Pacapelli

September 11, 2015

Agenda/Minutes

Attendees: Todd Schillinger, Jeremy Trier, Sandi Coyle, Bob Sag, Ken Daggert, Dan Plichta, Cheryl Coletti, John Sweeney, Doris Enman, Susan Allen-Samuel, Cori Sheedy, Rekha Sreedhara, Lisa Muier, Linda Paquette, Joe Harding

Welcome & Introduction: Cheryl Pacapelli opened the meeting as chair of today's meeting as Marty Boldin was absent.

Updates from Priority Areas: Key focus was to increase frequency of meetings to monthly given the magnitude of work currently before the Task Force. Meetings will be held 2nd Friday of the month 9:00-11:00am. Participants have the option to call into the meeting on the following exchange: 1-866-210-1669 with a passcode 9060313

Priority Area	Lead(s)	TF Tasks/Other	Status/ Accomplishments	Updates
Task Force constituency and representation	Cheryle Pacapelli	Discussion about administrative items and membership to the Task Force as well as general participation to the Task Force	Next meeting the official membership shall be established and all others who aren't able to commit to meeting schedule and work load are invited and encouraged to attend on a participatory basis	
Medicaid Subcommittee will report out	Linda Paquette	Reviewed the Key Recovery Concepts and Terms, reviewed the Key Principles and Next Steps	All in attendance agreed on the Recommendations made by the subcommittee as well as agreed on the Next Steps (see attached documents)	The subcommittee will be updated to include those individuals who want to participate in the monthly agenda which will be distributed by the Recovery Task Force each month.
Current Funding Environment	Joe Harding	Updated the status of many levels of funding that are available and the bureau and DHHS are looking at all possible sources of funding for recovery support initiatives	Joe explained that the NHCF is looking to release an RFP in the near future for system work tied to the ongoing work of the Recovery Task Force and the BRSS TACS	

BRSS TACS Update	Cori Sheedy and Joe Harding, Lisa Mure	Updated information about an RFP that is currently being developed through a readiness assessment. It will be for a certain sum of money to either RCO or RCC in various communities depending upon status of readiness, Lisa explained the process of connection and communication with the various organizations via telephone and meetings	The committee is in the process of completing the readiness assessment.	Next BRSS TAC meeting 9/14 9-11am JSI Bow
Recovery Month Rally at White Park (9/26/15) - Visit from Tom Coderre at Rally	Cheryle Pacapelli	Updates on status of events, activities to be taking place and a visit from Tom Coderre		Next Rally Meeting 9/15 1:00-3:00pm at the Manchester Recovery Community Center 122 Market Street Manchester

Other Updates:

New Business: Treatment Task Force is looking for collaboration with Recovery Task Force and is asking that a member of the Recovery Task Force sits on the Treatment Task Force. Cheryle P. is looking into who has the scheduling capacity to assume this responsibility which the collective group agreed was important to continue to integrate Treatment and Recovery in the same conversations.

Next Meeting: Next Meeting will be Friday, October 16th 9:00am – 11:00am. This is the 3rd Friday of the month and differs from the date schedule as referenced above due to a scheduling conflict in existence before the decision to change the meetings to once per month. Going forward, 2nd Friday of each month.