

**Behavioral Health Advisory Council  
Pierre, South Dakota**

**June 21, 2018**

**Advisory Council Members Present:** Jayne Parsons (Chair) Jacquie Larson  
Lois Knoke (Vice- Chair) Christy Alten-Osmera  
Chuck Frieberg Tiffany Wolfgang  
Dianna Marshall Lorraine Polak  
Ellen Washenberger Joyce Glynn  
Bernie Grimme Jane Grant  
Daniele Dosch Wendy Figland  
Susan Kornder Belinda Nelson  
Jane York Roseann Peterson Olson

**Advisory Council Members Absent:** Susan Sandgren Emily Williams  
Kristi Bunkers Katherine Jaeger  
Ashlee Rathbun LeLewis Gipp

**Division of Behavioral Health Staff Present:** Jennifer Humphrey Melanie Boetel  
Stacy Bruels Jana Sprenger  
Kayla LaBrie Mary LeVee  
Stacy Krall

**Others in Attendance:** Ken Cole Jason Simmons  
Bryan Harberts  
Terry Dosch

**Purpose**

The purpose of the Advisory Council shall be to guide the Division of Behavioral Health with the planning, coordination and development of the state comprehensive behavioral health services plan. The Advisory Council shall advocate on behalf of persons served to ensure their highest attainable degree of independence, productivity, community integration and quality of services. The Advisory Council will also advise the Division of Behavioral Health on statewide treatment, prevention, and rehabilitation needs within the current behavioral health system.

**Minutes:**

**I. Call to Order / Welcome and Introductions**

June 21, 2018 the Behavioral Health Advisory Council meeting was called to order.

**II. Review and Approval of Meeting Minutes**

The Advisory Council reviewed the March 2018 meeting minutes. No proposed changes were recommended.

### III. **Bylaws & Vacant Positions**

#### Vacant Positions

- A family member of a youth with a serious emotional disturbance (SED) and co-occurring substance use. The previous appointment was Kori Kromminga.
- A youth with an SED and/or substance use disorder or a youth who has a sibling with a SED and/or substance use disorder. The previous appointment was Jacksyn Bakeberg.

It was requested that the Advisory Council assist in seeking potential interested persons for the open positions and to email Jennifer Humphrey with names and contact information.

### IV. **Human Services Center (HSC)**

Tiffany Wolfgang introduced Ken Cole the new administrator of HSC. Ken has a Masters of Public Administration and prior to HSC he was the director of operations for the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education (WICHE)-Mental Health Program. With WICHE, Ken led several technical assistance and program evaluation projects for various state psychiatric hospitals and state mental health agencies. Prior to WICHE, Ken worked for the Colorado Office of Behavioral Health and was responsible for the management of Colorado's two state psychiatric hospitals.

Ken provided a brief update from HSC, including workforce development and initiatives involving zero suicide training and other evidence-based practices.

### V. **Subcommittee Updates**

Melanie Boetel, Kayla LaBrie and Jana Sprenger provided an overview of the following subcommittees.

#### Youth Suicide Prevention Project (YSPP)

An in-person meeting was held Wednesday, June 20, 2018 at RedRossa in Pierre.

The Follow-up Program continues to reach out to individuals aged 10 to 24 who have been admitted to a psychiatric hospital due to a suicide attempt. The Follow-Up Program has received recognition from the Grants Project Officer on its success.

Bethe1SD Campaign launched in April of 2018 and was live until mid-June. Promotion will resume in August in collaboration of National Suicide Prevention Month. Bethe1SD materials were shared with committee members. Please visit [www.Bethe1sd.com](http://www.Bethe1sd.com) to learn more about this important campaign.

The Suicide Prevention website dashboard has been finalized and can be found at: <http://sdsuicideprevention.org/data/>.

The Division of Behavioral Health (DBH) is working with the Department of Tribal Relations and Department of Health to promote a state-wide collaborative surrounding National Suicide Prevention Month in September.

The next meeting will take place via webinar on Wednesday, August 15, 2018 from 9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. CDT.

#### Screening, Brief Intervention, and Referral to Treatment (SBIRT)

An in-person meeting was held Wednesday, June 20, 2018 at RedRossa in Pierre.

Cohort I/Phase I. From January 30, 2017 to May 25, 2018, over 6,200 individuals have been screened, at four Avera clinics.

Cohort II/Phase II. A Request for Proposal was issued in the spring of 2018 to solicit additional partners in the central part of the state. The Request for Proposal (RFP) closed March 22<sup>nd</sup> and the Division of Behavioral Health is currently in contract negotiations with a fifth clinic. Meetings have been held with several other key stakeholders to gauge interest in joining Cohort II. The Division may issue another RFP to solicit additional clinics to participate.

Integrated Change Therapy (ICT) Training will be held June 27-28, 2018 in Sioux Falls, hosted by the DBH in partnership with JBS International (the federal Technical Assistance provider for the SBIRT grant). ICT is the evidence-based brief treatment model utilized in the SBIRT grant.

The next meeting will take place via webinar on Wednesday, August 15, 2018 from 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. CDT.

#### State Epidemiological Outcomes Workgroup (SEOW):

An in-person meeting was held Wednesday, June 20, 2018 at RedRossa in Pierre.

The suicide prevention flyer fact sheet has been update with 2017 statistics. An electronic version of the flyer can be found at:  
[http://dss.sd.gov/docs/behavioralhealth/community/suicide\\_prevention\\_poster.pdf](http://dss.sd.gov/docs/behavioralhealth/community/suicide_prevention_poster.pdf).

The SEOW website is in the process of being finalized, including the data dashboard. Sustainability for the SEOW is being proposed in the Fiscal Year 2020 budget request.

The next meeting will take place via webinar on Wednesday, August 15, 2018 from 1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. CDT.

#### Partnership for Success (PFS)

An in-person meeting was held Thursday, June 21, 2018 at RedRossa in Pierre.

Discussion was held with the advisory committee members regarding sustainability of prevention programming after the PFS grant ends September 2019 as well as the data and outcomes to support the need for continued programming.

Theory and Practice of Alcohol or Drug Prevention training will be held in Pierre July 23-27<sup>th</sup> at no cost. There is a \$40 fee if the individual wishes to receive this training as a college credit.

The next meeting will take place via webinar on Thursday, August 16, 2018 from 10:00

a.m. to 11:30 a.m. CDT.

## VI. Division of Behavioral Health Update

### Community Behavioral Health

- Center for Substance Abuse and Treatment Site Visit:  
Tiffany notified the Advisory Council that the DBH was contacted mid-April by Theresa Mitchell-Hampton, State Project Officer (SPO) for the Center for Substance Abuse and Treatment regarding a compliance monitoring technical assistance site visit. The visit may be three to four days and cover administrative, fiscal and clinical requirements of the Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Block Grant. The visit will not be looking specifically at the 20% prevention set-aside or mental health services funded by the Mental Health Block Grant. The DBH proposed the second week of September and are waiting to receive confirmation from Theresa.
- Fiscal Reports  
Stacy Bruels provided an overview of the third quarter report for Fiscal Year 2018 regarding the amount expended for contract and Medicaid services by area.
- Medicaid Enhancement for Substance Use Treatment  
Tiffany announced that beginning July 1, 2018, all individuals with Medicaid coverage will be eligible for the Substance Use Disorder benefit. Prior to July 1, coverage was only available for adolescents and pregnant women on Medicaid. Due to these changes, Administrative Rules of South Dakota Chapter 67:16:48, Treatment for Substance Use Disorders, have been revised with an effective date of June 25<sup>th</sup>. For more information visit:  
<http://sdlegislature.gov/rules/DisplayRule.aspx?Rule=67:16:48>.
- State Targeted Response to the Opioid Crisis Grant (Opioid STR)  
Tiffany Wolfgang provided members with a copy of South Dakota's Statewide Target Response to the Opioid Crisis issued October 2017. The roadmap can be found online at:  
<https://doh.sd.gov/documents/news/OpioidAbuseNeedsAssessmentExecutiveSummary.pdf>.

A Request for Proposal was issued and awarded to the Helpline Center in order to create a media campaign which will involve a website, various marketing materials and public service announcements. In case of an emergency, a South Dakota Opioid Resource Hotline was also established at 1-800-920-4343. For more information: <https://www.avoidopioidsd.com/>.

- State Opioid Response Grant (SOR)  
Tiffany Wolfgang announced that the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration is accepting applications for the SOR grant. The DBH issued a Request for Information to solicit information concerning suggested activities, interventions, or programs that could be included in the Department's in-progress grant application to the SOR. Responses must be received by July 12<sup>th</sup> to [DSSBH@state.sd.us](mailto:DSSBH@state.sd.us).

The application due date is August 13<sup>th</sup>. For more information regarding this grant, please visit: <https://www.samhsa.gov/grants/grant-announcements/ti-18-015>.

- Project AWARE-SEA (Advancing Wellness and Resiliency in Education – State Education Agency Grant)

The DBH recently partnered with the Department of Health to apply for the Project Aware SEA grant. The purpose of the grant is to build or expand the capacity of State Educational Agencies, in partnership with State Mental Health Agencies overseeing school-aged youth and local education agencies.

Notification of award will be made in September of 2018. For more information regarding this grant, please visit: <https://www.samhsa.gov/grants/grant-announcements/sm-18-006>.

- Meth Treatment Update

Stacy Krall, Program Specialist, and Melanie Boetel provided an update regarding the technical assistance received through the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration for methamphetamine addiction treatment as well as the expansion of intensive meth treatment services.

- Accreditation/Stakeholder Survey/Agency Profiles

Mary Levee, Accreditation Program Manager, provided an overview of the Stakeholder Survey Summary completed in Fiscal Year 2018.

- Zero Suicide

Zero Suicide workshops were held on June 12<sup>th</sup> and June 13<sup>th</sup>. One workshop was a refresher for those who attended on May 2017<sup>th</sup> and the other workshop was for those wishing to implement Zero Suicide.

Community of Learning calls will resume in September of 2018 to support continued implementation of Zero Suicide. Another set of workshops will be held in May 2019.

## **VII. Open Discussion/Council Member Updates**

### Mental Health Task Force

Chuck Frieberg provided an update to House Bill 1183 which passed in 2017. The jail mental health screening program is underway in seven counties and to date 5,337 screenings for males and females have been completed. For more information, please contact Chuck at [Charles.Frieberg@uj.s.state.sd.us](mailto:Charles.Frieberg@uj.s.state.sd.us) or 605-773-4873.

### South Dakota Housing Development Authority

Lorraine Polak announced the Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) for the Fiscal Year 2018 Continuum of Care (CoC) Program. For more information, please contact Lorraine at [lorraine@sdhda.org](mailto:lorraine@sdhda.org) or 605-773-3181.

## **VIII. Public Comment / Testimony**

No public comment or testimony received.

**IX. Future Meetings**

The next meeting is scheduled for the following:

- Thursday, August 16, 2018 from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. CST at RedRossa Italian Grille in Pierre.

Future presentation requests and agenda items should be directed to Jennifer Humphrey.

**X. Adjourn**

Meeting was adjourned.