

The Practice Improvement Steering Committee

Meeting Minutes for September 7, 2023

Group Members Present

Agnes Ward, Ambrosia Jackson (Presenter), Amelia Fonger, Amy Cowper, Brenda Stoneburner, Brittany Pietsch, Cathy Hart, Charlyss Ray, Christine Mieloch, Deb Willard, Ebony Levy, Ecole Brooks, Elizabeth Totten, Jasmin White, Jean Pfaendtner, Jill Blackson, Joe Longcor, Jody Lewis, Josh Snyder, Laura Conrad, Kim Avesian, Lena Houston, Luann Gray (Presenter), Lyndia Deromedi, Mary Baukus, Mary Ludtke, Michelle Boudreaux (Host), Stacey Manley, Stephanie Lange (Presenter), Timothy Kelly

I. Welcome and Introductions

Michelle Boudreaux called the meeting to order, and introductions were made.

II. Review of Minutes

There were no changes, or updates to the minutes from June 1, 2023, meeting.

III. Division of Adult Home and Community-Based Service Updates – Brenda Stoneburner

No updates were given.

IV. Community Mental Health Association of Michigan

No updates were given.

V. Special Topic Presentations:

Parenting Through Change (PTC) – Luann Gray

Luann Gray shared information about the PTC and Parenting Management Training - Oregon (PMTO) model program with the committee.

- For more information click on the links below.
 - [Michigan PMTO](#) shared by Mary Ludtke.
 - [MI Parenting Resource: MI Parenting Resource](#) shared by Amy Cowper.
- Please reach out to either Luann Gray via email at lgray@kazoocmh.org or Michelle Boudreaux at BoudreauxM@Michigan.gov with additional comments or feedback.

Family Psychoeducation (FPE) – Stephanie Lange

Stephanie shared a PowerPoint about FPE with the committee.

- A copy of the PowerPoint will be sent out to the committee.

Trauma Informed Care (TIC) – Stephanie Lange

Stephanie shared a PowerPoint about TIC with the committee.

- They just had a Basic Trauma training that had a good turnout.
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ImprovingMIpractices.org (IMP) – Ambrosia Jackson

Ambrosia shared how IMP started and IMP initiatives that are planned for FY24.

- IMP started in 2011, with the vision of providing Michigan's publicly funded behavioral health professionals with a platform to be able to obtain continuing education units (CEUs) for free.
 - Michigan was able to secure grant money from SAMHA to promote this idea.
- The department just sent out a newsletter to all 57 thousand individuals that use the IMP site.
- Ambrosia talked about the upcoming changes to the IMP site. Looking at more focus areas, resources, and providing individuals with leading experts in behavioral health.
 - Grow knowledge base around SUD, EBPs, central training for licensure (i.e., human trafficking, implicit bias, social determinants of health, harm reduction, gambling, problematic internet use)
 - Dashboard renewal with a light feel and not so dark.
- Another IMP survey will be done for FY24.
- She wants to encourage PIHPs and CMHSPs to use this platform.
 - No cost for the IMP modules vs. other sites that charge.
 - If you have suggestions for content or questions please email Ambrosia at JacksonA59@Michigan.gov.

VI. Evidence-Based Practices and PISC Subcommittee Updates

Bureau of Children's Coordinated Health Policy and Supports – Division of Program and Grant Development and Quality Monitoring – Kim Batche-McKenzie

- A. Evidence-Based and Evidence-Informed Practices (EBP) for children, youth, and families.
No updates were given.

Bureau of Community Based Services - Division of Adult Home and Community Based Services

- A. Community-Based Practices and Innovation (CPI) Section Evidence-Based and Evidence Informed Practices for Adults – Brenda Stoneburner
No updates were given.
- B. Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Treatment Section – Angie Smith-Butterwick
No updates were given.

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VII. [Trauma Sub-Committee – Michelle Boudreaux](#)

No updates were given.

VIII. [Questions or Other Information](#)

If you have any concerns or future agenda items, please contact Michelle Boudreaux via email @ BoudreauxM@Michigan.gov.

VIII. [Adjourn](#)

Michelle adjourned the meeting.

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, March 7, 2024, 1:00 – 3:00 p.m.