MEETING MINUTES – CRISIS RESPONSE PLANNING COMMITTEE

MEETING INFORMATON

Date:December 7, 2016Time:1:15 PMFacilitator:Claudia Lennhoff

Location: 1801 Fox Drive Meeting Type: CRPC

Present: Mike Benner, Lori Hansen, Allen Jones, Sheila Ferguson, Jim McGuire, Mark Driscoll, Brian Tison, Gail Raney, Chris Garcia, Bruce Barnard, Celeste Blodgett

Absent: Saijun Zhang, Karee Voges, Julia Rietz, Nancy Carter, Monica Cherry, Jamie Stevens, Jeff Christensen

Community Observers: Dottie Vura-Weis, Robert Woods

Call to Order

Lennhoff called the meeting to order.

Approval of Minutes

Lennhoff noted that there was one correction re: the spelling of a name to be made. A motion was made to approve the minutes of the November 2, 2016 meeting, and the motion was seconded; the meeting minutes were unanimously approved.

Public Participation

The meeting was opened to allow comments from observers.

Discussion of Exercise 5 Responses

Responses to questions in Exercise 5, from the P&I Guide, were provided. CRPC members were asked to review and provide any additional information they have and see is necessary. Tison noted that the number of calls received by CIT Officers is severely under reported. Jones noted a separate analysis re: average length of stay (ALS) is needed for anyone jailed beyond 36 hours. Raney asked if more information is wanted for SIM Intercepts 2 and 5. More information is preferred, but not at the expense of time and resources until there is a better understanding of what is really needed. Intercepts 2 and 5 still need to be scheduled.

Any updated information should be emailed to Blodgett.

Discussion of Intercepts Summary/Chart

The CRPC was provided a draft version of a SIM Intercepts Chart, a grid, detailing features of a comprehensive system of care for people with MI/COD who come in contact with the CJ system, existing programs in Champaign County related to those features, and current gaps and limitations. Intercepts 2 and 5 still need to be mapped. The

CRPC was asked to review the grid and provide feedback, which should be emailed to Blodgett.

Driscoll asked about Correct Care Solutions (CCS) providing no community or transition plan, and suggested this also be reflected in Intercept 3, and noted that CCS services extend beyond psychiatric.

Progress Summary - Updated

An updated version of the Progress Summary of JMHCP activities was included in the packet, which reflects the mappings that have been completed, as well as the e-screening developed by the APA that the jail is gearing up to implement.

Driscoll requested that all documents in the packet provided be sent to the CRPC electronically.

Old Business

Target date for e-screening at the jail

Jones noted that Voges and Blodgett have been in communication about the e-screening instrument. Implementation is anticipated to begin January 1, 2017. Barnard suggested JMHCP staff develop a 1-page Users Guide for Correctional Staff. It should be noted that the e-screening for the jail, developed by the APA, is still in the testing phase. And, when the jail begins administering it, the instrument will still be in the testing phase. However, administering it now will allow us to provide feedback to the APA about the tool, for possible improvement before it is released for use nationally. In addition, doing so will allow us to begin collecting much needed data on the prevalence of those with MI/COD in the jail, as well as begin determining the ALS and rate of connection to community services for those who screen positive for a MI/COD.

Raney asked what the next step is after identification of the population has begun, and suggested a sub-committee meeting be arranged.

New Business

Potential changes to Medicaid

Lennhoff discussed anticipated changes to the Nation's health policy, at the federal level, in the wake of the recent national elections, and the need for shared advocacy re: healthcare coverage and reform, as a result. Barnard pointed out that our understanding/analysis of the system as it is currently, thus our planning process, is subject to change without notice. Ferguson highlighted multiple agencies pulling back supports until decisions are made, and the implications of which are understood. Adding to the concern is that Illinois remains without a budget. Whereas the State may have previously stepped in to assist with funding support, such is not the case now. McGuire offered assistance with connecting with Rodney Davis.

The meeting concluded at 2:18 p.m.