

# (10/02/17) Reg 4 Youth BHB

Monday October 2, 2017

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Subject	Reg 4 Youth BHB
Date and Location	Monday September 11, 2017 Westgate room 131
Attendees	Amy Jeppesen, Mechelle Wilson, Ami Owen, Jody Olson, Mary Ball, Beth Bolen, Angelica Sheffield, Jenni Byrne, Ciera Chamey, Sarah Martin, Lisa Jacobson, Ginny Gobel, Shelly Retter.
Message	

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## Notes

Welcome new members

Amy will be meeting with the executive committee to discuss the grant project this week on Thursday October 5<sup>th</sup> at 9:30am. Discussed ways that the process is not working and ideas for how to make it better for both sides. Barriers were identified such as the 8 week time frame currently being required and how grants typically come up and close within 30 days. Also the paperwork that needs to be filled out is often more encompassing than the grant applications lack of recognition to the committee when a grant is awarded and creating a level of trust. Ideas such as contacting other regional behavioral health boards to understand their process, as well as shortening the application and having Alexis participate with the grant committee to be able to speed up the time line were suggested.

Partnering with suicide prevention and Health and welfare for Good Behavior Game.

Discussion around the RBHB has asked if we are interested in partnering and finding a grant for this project. Kim Kayne was not able to make the meeting and Gall from the Suicide prevention has not returned any emails. Amy will find out more info when she meets with Ex Committee. Group was in favor of partnering if it was more than just finding a grant. Group had questions why SPAN didn't apply for the grant with their 503c .

Blue Cross Grant- Christy will gather data from Sharon at the Speedy foundation so that we can pass it to Alexis at central district health to allow them to coralate the data and get it back to blue cross.

St Luke's Grant- The grant committee met and completed the application as well as received permission to apply for the grant. Grant has been submitted and we are waiting to see if we get it.

Goals- The goals that the committee submitted were approved by the Regional Behavioral Health Board and added to the GAPs and NEEDS plan. Mechelle will send out a copy once it is finalized.

Yes Project: Mary gave an update that the pilot has started and she has completed 3 Cans at this time. They will be starting the Wrap around services in November. The Can's will be finalized by July. Mechelle and Mary will continue to give updates to the committee. Optum stated they are still working with Medicaid for when it switches to them.

Group agreed to move meeting back to Tuesday so next meeting will be Tuesday November 7<sup>th</sup> 2017 from 10am-12pm location to be determined. (most likley

## Other Business-

Steve G has asked to step down as co-chair. Mechelle Willson will be the new Co-Chair for the committee.

St. Lukes is getting ready to open their partial day program on March 5<sup>th</sup> 2018. They are in the process of hiring for positions right now. The program will be 5 days a week for behavioral issues not addiction issues. They have also been

doing some ground-breaking work by having the psychiatrist in the ER and Pediatric ward to get scrips quicker for children suffering with mental health issues.

Phoenix Multi Sport October 23<sup>rd</sup> from 5-7pm is the grand opening of Phoenix Multi-Sports gym on 511 S Americana Boise ID 83701. The Mayor will be there to cut the ribbon and they are inviting all to attend.

Optum welcomes Jody Olson as the new community rep. She is excited to be on the committee and to work with community members.

SUDS IROC grant is open and a second part is having recovery coaches available to Jails, hospitals etc when someone has an opiate problem. Recovery month seemed to go very well.