

**CARVER COUNTY ADULT MENTAL HEALTH INITIATIVE MEETING**

**DATE: May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

**Facilitator: Melissa Hanson**

**TIME: 2:30-4 p.m.**

**Recorder: Melissa Hanson**

<b>In Attendance:</b>								
<b>Name</b>			<b>Name</b>			<b>Name</b>		
Melissa Hanson, AMH/CSP Supervisor								
Maria Adebisi, Restorers Health Services ARMHS Director								
Tara Boettcher, FSC Accounting Supervisor								
Emilie Robinson, Carver County CDA								
Jane Wilka-Pauly, Medica								
Sandy Menzel, LAC								
Foua Khang, Blue Cross Blue Shield								
Halie Gudmonson, Community Liaison- Ucare								
Alan Herrmann, SmartLink Transit								

Activity/Discussion	Decision/Action
<p><b>Call to Order: Welcome and Introductions</b></p>	
<p>I. Melissa welcomed AMHI members, and attendees completed introductions.</p>	
<p>II. May 17th 2023 AMHI meeting agenda approved. General consensus.</p>	<p>Agenda Approved</p>
<p>III. Previous AMHI meeting minutes reviewed and approved. General consensus.</p>	<p>Minutes approved</p>
<p>IV. Alan Herrmann with SmartLink Transit presented information about the transportation resources in the Carver County area, and shared a powerpoint which is attached to the meeting minutes. Mobility Management is discovering needs, educating about resources, and training of citizens about transportation resources in any defined geographic area. Mobility Management is not a provider of transportation services. Scott and Carver Counties have not offered any direct transportation services since 2015. Information about Transit Link or “Dial a Ride” GoTo cards, data of number of passengers in 2021 and 2022 was provided. Metro Mobility serves Carver County in Chaska and Chanhassen as stand-by services areas (not mandatory) and does not serve other cities within Carver County. SW Prime On Demand and many details regarding Non Emergency Medical Transportation were provided and described in detail in powerpoint. Alan shared information about Volunteer Drivers and Travel Training for both 1:1 and group settings.</p>	<p>Presentation and discussion</p>
<p>V. Tara Boettcher presented highlights and provided the AMHI and CSP grant spending report for 1st Quarter 2023.</p>	<p>Presentation and discussion</p>
<p>VI. Melissa shared update regarding the AMHI HCBS FMAP grant contract and the work towards purchasing a mini-van to provide transportation for adults experiencing serious and persistent mental illness to CSP groups and other appointments. A Mental Health Needs Assessment is being coordinated with the Mental Health LAC, to be initiated in August and available at the Carver County Fair as well as distributed widely to others. At the August AMHI meeting, a representative from the State will share information about the AMHI Evidence Based Practice Inventory project.</p>	<p>Presentation and discussion</p>
<p>VII. Community Education subgroup update: reviewed and approved draft revisions to the mission/vision of workgroup.</p>	<p>Revisions approved</p>

<p>VIII. Jane with Medica Behavioral Health shared resource information about the 24 hour SUD hotline, which is available to all (not just Medica members). The hotline is staffed by peer specialists. The hotline number is 1-855-780-5955.</p> <p><b>Meeting Adjourned.</b></p> <p><b>Next Meeting Date: Wednesday, August 9th at 2:30pm</b></p> <p><b>The Statewide AMHI meeting will be held on June 21<sup>st</sup> at 2:30 p.m. via Teams</b></p>	<p>Information and discussion</p>
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