



## Local Mental Health Advisory Council

Date: 03/12/2024

Time: 4:00-5:30PM

Location: Washington County Government Center, LL16

### Meeting Attendance:

Voting Member	Position	Attendance
Bridget Gehrz	Family Member Representative	Present
Clark Schroeder	Family Member Representative	Present
Daniel Parnell	District 1 Representative	Absent
Faith Myers	Consumer Representative	Absent
Jeneal Olsen	NAMI Representative	Absent
Jesse Shima	Consumer Representative	Absent
Katie Pape	Canvas Health Representative	Absent
Kris Roberts	Consumer Representative	Absent
Natalie Carstenbrock	District 4 Representative	Present
Shana HarAldson Morse	District 5 Representative	Present
Tara Dahlager	Education Representative	Present
Non-Voting Member	Position	Attendance
Michelle Clausen	Washington County Commissioner	Present
Kathy Mickelson	Washington County Representative	Absent
John Nalezny	Washington County Representative	Present
April Martell	Washington County	Present
Vacant	Consumer Representative	Not Applicable
Vacant	District 3 Representative	Not Applicable
Vacant	Childrens Mental Health Representative	Not Applicable
Vacant	Former Consumer Representative	Not Applicable
Vacant	Supportive Housing Representative	Not Applicable
Vacant	Consumer Representative	Not Applicable
Vacant	District 2 Representative	Not Applicable
Guests: Connie Tanner, Beth Reitzel, Lisa Wong		

Call to Order: 4:00pm

Approval of Minutes: *January minutes approved.*

Welcome April Martell

Firm up meeting expectations

- *We will continue to have in-person meetings versus hybrid.*
- *3 New members: Vue, Chemical Health Professional, Siebert - outside MH professional, Thewis - Residential Program Rep.*
- *Tara Dahlager moved to Education Representative.*

Collaboration/Input from Adult Mental Health Advisory Council

*Connie Tanner and Dan Parnell to bridge the two groups. Building a continuum of care model. Making best practices. Looking at what we have and what we do not have. Attending both meetings. May is Mental Health Awareness Month. Presentation on MH services, proclamation presentation at the library.*

Sub Committee work

- *May: Mental Health Month, Gaps analysis.*
- *July: Community Health Board to present to LAC.*
- *September: Opioid.*
- *November: Emergency Shelter.*

Open Forum

- *Review Gaps analysis from the past for next meeting.*

- *Discussion around vacant board positions, being strategic on recruiting, current members will be reaching out.*
- *Cannabis will be additional funding coming in around a year.*
- *Lack of support for surviving families of veterans.*
- *Work plan idea: draft a letter to reach out to LAC found issues in the community.*

**Adjourn:** 5:30pm

**Next Meeting:** Tuesday May 14<sup>th</sup>, 2024