



## Behavioral Health Policy and Funding Committee (BHPFC)

Friday, March 25, 2022

200 West Front Street, Bloomington, Illinois

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### MINUTES

1. The meeting was called to order at 9:02 AM
2. Roll Call
  - Present: Cory Tello, Judy Buchanan, Hannah Eisner, Carla Pohl
  - Absent: Susan Schafer
  - McLean County Health Department Staff Present: Amy Hancock, Behavioral Health Program Manager; Shannon Garlock, Office Support Staff II
3. Public Participation: None
4. Vanessa Granger-Belcher, BHCC (Behavioral Health Coordinating Council) Director, was unable to attend the meeting and Amy Hancock shared updates she obtained during a meeting with Vanessa, in Vanessa's absence:
  - a. There is a focus on outreach in the FUSE Program and the Triage Center.
  - b. BHCC is investigating the utilization of Tri-West Group for consultation services. Tri-West will be presenting at the next BHCC meeting on April 8, 2022.
  - c. There is a focus of ongoing and future collaboration of BHCC and MCHD Behavioral Health Program.
  - d. The County shared interest acquiring data from Board of Health's behavioral health funded programs.
  - e. The board members shared interest of re-inviting Vanessa Granger-Belcher to the next BHPFC meeting.
5. Items for Discussion
  - a. Marketing for Mental Health Month in May
    - i. The members asked how the BHCC newsletter is shared and are interested in viewing the BHCC newsletter.
    - ii. The members discussed MCHD promoting Mental Health Awareness and Mental Health First Aid, ideally in May
  - b. Discuss Future Meeting Dates
    - i. The members discussed if the need of monthly BHPFC meeting is necessary and determined to review the amount of meeting dates needed as the year evolves. A possibility of not needing to meet monthly will be determined as the year progresses and needs arise.

6. Action Items

- a. Approve 2/25/22 Minutes

Motion by: Carla Pohl

Seconded by: Judy Buchanan

- b. Action Item to recommend offering of renewal grants to the following agencies and programs, with dollar amounts to be considered based on budget considerations:

- i. Regional Office of Education: Embedded School Program
- ii. McLean County Center for Human Services: Mobile Crisis Unit
- iii. McLean County Center for Human Services: Adult Psychiatric Services
- iv. PATH: Crisis/211 Call Center
- v. Project Oz: Youth Substance Use Prevention Education
- vi. Project Oz: Youth Suicide Prevention: NAMI Ending the Silence
- vii. The Baby Fold: Healthy Start
  1. The members discussed the need to be mindful in completing renewals.
  2. The members held a discussion regarding the BoH Renewals for current agencies being funded with the possibility of agencies making presentations to the subcommittee board. The specific dollar amounts would be determined after the MCHD budget is finalized.

Motion by: Carla Pohl

Seconded by: Cory Tello

Roll call taken; Motion passed.

Adjournment at 10:29 AM

Motion by Judy Buchanan to adjourn and seconded by Carla Pohl.

Meeting Adjourned.