



Humboldt County Community Corrections Partnership

Date: November 23, 2016

Time: 12:15 – 1:15p.m.

Location: Jury Assembly Room, ground floor, Humboldt County Courthouse

Required Member Agencies (pursuant to Penal Code Section 1230(b)(2)): Superior Court of California, Humboldt County Departments – Administrative Office, Board of Supervisors, Probation, Sheriff, District Attorney, Public Defender, Health and Human Services (Mental Health, Alcohol and Other Drug, Social Services, Employment Training), Humboldt County Office of Education, local police department, community based organizations, victim services representative.

Minutes

I. Call to order

Bill Damiano called the meeting to order at 12:15pm. In attendance were Wes Harrison, Dean Flint, Sofia Pereira, Kevin Samsel, Shaun Brenneman, Connie Lorenzo, Arlette Large, and Drew Lund.

II. Report out on CCP Executive Committee meeting 11/16/2016

Review agenda items covered, discussions held and actions taken.

Bill reported out on the Executive meeting, including the proposal that was voted on. He asked the group to let him know who might be interested in MRT Facilitator training. Arlette brought up that some people's needs might be missed if everyone is doing the same program. EPICs and how it relates was discussed.

III. Prop 47 Advisory Committee

Competitive grant project

Bill introduced the Prop 47 Advisory Committee agenda item. Bill summarized the RFP and outlined why he thought the General CCP committee would be a good fit. Arlette talked about a need for Native American cultural help. Wes said that trauma-induced behavioral health needs were important; for example, grief, physical/sexual abuse, etc. There are also dental needs and tattoo removal needs that you have to go out of the area for.

Bill asked for a snapshot of a day, to identify the population. Connie said they have computers and workshops that people could make use of. Vocational training was discussed. Sofia brought up community housing needs and moving into housing costs.

It was thought that these agencies should be brought into this meeting: RCAA, Arcata House, and Bridge House. Wes pointed out that Pathway to Payday is an excellent program.

It was decided that the following needs are ranked in this order: 1) employment 2) housing 3) clinical 4) case management (which could include cultural needs).

Dean said that a dentist goes into the jail once/month; maybe something like that could be set up. He also suggested looking at Teen Challenge as a model for how a program might work.

Bill asked folks to provide supporting data and information.

IV. Update on CCP plan implementation

Brief review current status of CCRC staffing and Community Corrections Partnership plan program service elements and other executive-body approved actions.

This was not discussed.

V. Public Comment (as time permits)

Open discussion of the ongoing or emerging impacts on the community of Public Safety Realignment.

There was no further public comment.

VI. Take input for next month's agenda

It was decided that we should meet again in 2 weeks to discuss the Prop 47 grant. Next meeting will be Wednesday, December 7 at 12:15pm. Bill will check for a location and will email an invite.

VII. Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 1:28pm.