



## WW Regional Human Services and Justice Coordination Committee Meeting Minutes

**Date: Friday December 11, 2015**

**Time: 9:30 – 11:30am**

**Location: WRPS Headquarters, 200 Maple Grove Rd, Cambridge Boardroom**

**Present:** Sharon Deally-Grzybowski, Joan Nandlal, Douglas Sheppard, Janos Botschner, Mary-Jo Shearer, Don Roth, Marylou Schwindt, Tara Hyatt

**Regrets:** A.J. Grant-Nicholson, Angela Vanderheyden, Anthony Piscitelli, Diane Lillico, Heather Kerr, Ian Sykes, Janice Sandeson, Jim Izzard, Kelly O'Connor, Kerry Manthenga, Linda Elliot, Pam McIntosh, Rhonda Frank, Rob Martin, Sherri Heimpel-Peers, Tina Gaspardy, Tobi Harris, Tom Gill

**Recorder:** Sarah Schindler

Item for Discussion		Discussion
1. Welcome, Introductions	Sharon Deally-Grzybowski	Agenda accepted as presented Minutes of September 18, 2015 accepted by consensus.
2. Specialized Crisis Team Presentation at PHSJCC Conference	Doug Sheppard	<p>At the PHSJCC Doug and Carmen Able presented together on the work of the Specialized Crisis Team. It was well received.</p> <p>Statistics for the year-to-date; up to the end of November the WRPS have attended over 3,000 mental health incidents, the MH nurse was able to accompany them to about 900. Apprehension rate with the nurse attending was under 30% with 77% of those individuals being admitted to the ER. One of the goals of the program is to decrease police time spent at ER departments and results indicate that this time has gone from two to three hours to approximately 78 minutes. 343 times this year the MH nurse has taken over the incident and police have been able to leave.</p> <p>Over the past two months MH nurses have attended, for the first time, at two major incident calls. Currently there are five nurses who work with the police and they will receive some additional emergency response training with the</p>



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		<p>police unit. Starting in January there will be refresher training for officers provided by CMHA around crisis intervention skills.</p> <p>There has also been some interest from the local OPP in accessing the services of the MH nurses.</p> <p>Marylou spoke briefly about the Impact team that will be working with the OPP in Wellington County. It is a similar process to WRPS where the MH clinician meets the officers at the incident.</p>
3. Strategic Information Agenda and Work Plan Structure	Janos Botschner	A Strategic Information Working Group met after the September meeting to discuss and develop the strategic information agenda and work plan for the WWHSJCC. A tracking chart was presented and the Working Group will meet in January to further refine the document.
4. Priority Setting SWOT exercise	Sarah and Sharon	The Provincial HSJCC has instituted a new reporting structure and has requested that committees complete a SWOT exercise and respond to some priority setting questions. The WWHSJCC completed the exercise as a group at the meeting.
5. Understanding the Youth Experience presentation at PHSJCC Conference	Don Roth	Don spoke to the PHSJCC presentation around Understanding the Youth Experience. Brock Jones will be contributing to a publication being developed around the process resulting from the response and learning generated by the report.
6. Update from Committee Partners	All	Chief Larkin attended to speak briefly to the importance of integration and service coordination work. He had attended the launch of the provincial <i>It's Never Ok</i> Campaign, around sexual harassment and violence.
7. New Business		<p>No new business.</p> <p><b>Next meeting: Friday March 4, 9:30-11:30am, WRPS Boardroom</b></p>