

## HSJC Barrie December 12, 2016

## **MINUTES**

Present:	Jean-Marc Pelot (CMHA), Kristen Corbiere (E-Fry), Ted Beattie (CMHA), Debbie Bigelow (CMHA), Suzanne Kirwin (OW), Charmaine Nolan (BNFC), Marc Turgeon (YJS).
Regrets/Absent:	Jamie Lloyd (CMHA), Pauline Johnston (SASCBP), Tara Osment (Busby), Julie Reynolds (Barrie Police), Nickey Walsh (Catulpa)  *Attendance at the HSJC meetings by all active members is highly encouraged, valued and appreciatedthank you.

Item	Discussion	Resolved/Action
Welcome & Introductions	<ul> <li>Today's meeting was held in the Kozlov Mall meeting room on the second floor, however it was agreed that future meetings will be back at the usual location in the YJ Probation office in Barrie.</li> <li>Angelique Noorlander from JHS is no longer a member of this committee</li> </ul>	Jean-Marc will contact JHS staff Teresa Titus- Khaze to recruit as new member
Review & Approval of Agenda	Completed and Approved	
Review & Approval of Previous Minutes	Completed and Approved	
Provincial HSJCC Update	Jean-Marc provided information from the <u>Provincial</u> <u>Committee</u> meeting: annual work plans were presented, discussed MOU protocols, shared powerpoint presentations such as 'Mental Health Works' which is a national social enterprise of the CMHA that provides capacity building workshops, presentations, and webinars that are person centred, evidence based	



	<ul> <li>awareness, teaches how to respond to challenging situations, and helps create a healthier, safer workplace. The website is: mentalhealthworks.ca</li> <li>Another presentation by the Ministry of Health and Long- Term Care, focusing on "Ontario's Opiate Strategy", given the significant opiate problem particularly related to Fentanyl abuse. One provincial initiative created to combat abuse and misuse is called: 'A Patch for a Patch' has been developed from new legislation which involves those using a Fentanyl patch can only receive a replacement if they return their expired patches to a pharmacy http://www.ocpinfo.com/regulations</li> <li>There is also an emphasis on harm reduction instead of abstinence-based and patients are encouraged to use less harmful drugs; to expand pain management clinics in the province</li> <li>Discussion regarding transportation of forensic patient challenges, delays in the delivery of services given how the legislation is worded such as "may" or "could" rather than "will" or shall".</li> <li>A "Member Engagement Plan" survey was recently sent to HSJC chairs, discussion on how to improve HSJC member involvement at the local, regional and provincial levels. The goal is to improve collaboration and engagement. Jean-Marc suggested (via survey) sending a Provincial representative to local HSJC committees to help improve relations.</li> </ul>	
Regional HSJCC Update	<ul> <li>Jean-Marc provided information from the Regional Committee meeting. All quarterly local HSJC meetings, including Barrie have been completed.</li> <li>Jill Dunlop from Georgian College will be doing a presentation on Social Entrepreneurship at the December 13<sup>th</sup> Regional HSJC meeting. Unlike typical placements, participating students can approach agencies to work on projects.</li> <li>Jean-Marc shared information provided by Pamela Hillier of 211 Ontario regarding new 211 services.</li> <li>2 OPP CIT trainings (Oct-Waypoint &amp; Nov-Orillia)</li> <li>Mental Health Court (MHC) committee – Federal Crown, Karen Jokinen advocating for drug court srvs Debbie Bigelow from CMHA will be observing at Oshawa Drug Court on Feb.6<sup>th</sup>.</li> </ul>	Deb will provide an update at our next HJSC meeting.



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	<ul> <li>MHC is held once a month in Orillia and Barrie; Dr Van Impe can see clients through PCVC to enhance the utilization of Dr. Van Impe in satellite offices</li> <li>Midland situation table started in September</li> <li>LHIN approved funding for an ACT team in South Georgian Bay (Collingwood); team will consist of 4 people, Psychiatrist (Dr. Maher), RN, RPN and a Case Manager, hopefully to begin services in January 2017</li> <li>Subcommittee working toward HSJCC's Regional Conference scheduled for May 11/17; keynote speaker will be Psychiatrist from Waypoint, Dr John Bradford. The theme is: 'Mental Health and Wellness ~Getting to the Other Side'.</li> <li>Building Hope Project – Orillia hub shelter model; committee meets once a month, zoning has just been approved. Eventual goal is to have a new shelter servicing women, men and families and to also house other MH and Addiction services, all at one location</li> </ul>				
Round Table Updates	Suzanne from OW provided information on the typical role of OW Workers their transitional role. They are very busy and the work can be intensive with caseloads near 100 clients. The service is Simcoe County wide, and clients can receive counselling onsite including addictions counselling. Services are mainly for adults; however youth on OW between 16-18 yrs. also have access. There is no client wait-list.  Charmaine from the BNFC advised that funding has been approved for a Native Worker with the Georgian Bay NFC primarily the Midland area. Worker's name is Allison F who has just started. Charmaine shared the growing concern regarding Human Trafficking in Simcoe County particularly in Barrie and the access to hotels near the 400 highway. The money in this illegal industry apparently far exceeds drug trafficking. Workers try to intercept and help women get into safe and supportive environments. There has also been an effort to inform the public including presentations at high schools to educate students. A primary means of recruitment has been the website called:  backpage.com Police regularly monitors this site to try and divert vulnerable individuals.  Marc from YJS-Probation advised that there are no significant updates to report. Youth clients are mainly high risk / high need. Marc will continue to pursue contacting 'a person in the community with lived	Marc will continue to pursue contacting 'a person in the community with lived experience' to consider being a member of the HSJC.			

	<ul> <li>experience' to consider being a member of the HSJC.</li> <li>Kristen from E-Fry shared that with the help of Trillium Funding, a new OW Youth Trustee is currently in place for the Collingwood and Midland areas in addition to the Barrie Trustee. Her name is Tara Grigg and she is available 2 days / week. She will also provide services to the Bracebridge, Muskoka, and Huntsville areas. E-Fry Counsellor, Tracy Wood is available to provide counselling services for Anger Management, Anti-Theft, Relationship Counselling and Substance Abuse.</li> <li>Ted from CMHA's 'Release from Custody Program' provided staff updates and that the Program continues to receive referrals.</li> <li>Debbie from CMHA's Adult Court Support Program reported no recent updates.</li> <li>Jean-Marc from CMHA advised that Ashley Strong is no longer with CMHA's Barrie Youth Court Support Program. Katherine Hunt has been hired and will be starting in late March. In the meantime; Barrie Adult Court Support Worker, Evelyn Cooper will provide backfill services and Deb B will look after Sec 34's.</li> <li>Jean-Marc advised that a CMHA staff member will soon be facilitating support groups in Collingwood for Concurrent Disorder &amp; Relapse Prevention.</li> <li>Orillia Community Action Committee (OCAN) received a highly appreciated \$20,000 grant from the City of Orillia for community programming.</li> </ul>	
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Other Business	<ul> <li>For next year's HSJC local goals; Jean-Marc suggested we begin discussions on what we could do.</li> <li>Lunch was delicious Merci Beaucoup!</li> <li>Wishing Everyone a Safe, Happy and Healthy Holiday Season and the Very Best for 2017</li> </ul>	

Next Meeting:
Monday, March 20, 2017
12:30pm – 2:30pm
YJS Boardroom
400 Bayfield Street, Barrie
705-725-7011
(Lunch will be provided)