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Hamilton Local Human Service and Justice Coordinating Committee

Thursday, May 23, 2019, 12:15 p.m. (Lunch) 12:30 p.m. - 2 p.m. (Meeting)

CMHA Office Building, 131 John St. S, Third Floor Board Room

Present:

Lori Dunne, SJH, Co-Chair	Sherry Lewis, Recording Secretary
Clara Menegaldo, New Recording Secretary	Kathryn Lanza, COAST
Angela Ethelston	Angela Isoki
Bryanne Smart	Emily Smith, Notre Dame House
Gale Melligan, CTO Coordinator	Gene Uchida, Acquired Brain Injury Program
Helen Harris, HealthLinks	Jessica Montana, Aboriginal Court Worker
Karen McLeod, ACTT2	Lina Caruso, Probation & Parole
Sandra Kurdziel, Social Navigation Program	Steve Holmes, Hamilton Police Service
Ben Millard, CTO Coordinator	Catherine McCarron, Concurrent Disorders,
	Presentation
Conner Hildahl, guest	Braden Adsett, guest

Regrets:

Angela DiMarco, HWDC	Barb Benedict, Forensic Psychiatry Program
Craig Fraser, Crown Attorney	Danielle Newton, Contact Hamilton
Donna de Jong, John Howard Society	Fiona Kouyoumdijan, GP, HWDC
Heather Saunders, SJH Community	Jennifer Johnston, HWDC
Schizophrenia Integration Services	
Jennifer Sansalone, SJH Community	Keri Zammit, HWDC
Schizophrenia Integration Services	
Kristen Emery, DSO	Liane Taylor, SJHH Forensic Services
Lisa Gajewicz, John Howard Society of	Martha Harvie, DSO
Hamilton, Burlington and Area	
Michelle Semonovitch, Mental Health	Salomeh Mohajer, HWDC
Outreach Program	
Todd Norman, Crown Attorney	

Absent:

Alison Hibbett, Bethesda Services (Mat Leave)	Carrie Collier
Deb McGrath, COAST Hamilton	Fraya Mortensen, Probation & Parole
Ian Lockett	Jill Collins
Kimberley McCallum, GP	Lisa Whittingham
Michal Siekierski, Schizophrenia Service	Ruth Greenspan, John Howard Society
Sue Phipps, CMHA	

Welcome and Introductions

Lori welcomed everyone and went around the table to have everyone introduce themselves.

Review and Adoption of Minutes from April 25, 2019

The minutes were reviewed and no changes were brought forward. Steve Holmes approved the minutes and Kathryn Lanza seconded the minutes.

• Additions to the Agenda

o None

Announcements

- Card & Gift Card for Jill Pollock
 - Card went around the table to be signed by all
- o Sherry Lewis (recording secretary) will be leaving for a 1 year contract
 - Clara Menegaldo will fill in for her
- o Kathryn Lanza will replace Lori Dunne as Chair
- Agenda & minutes will no longer be printed because there is so little on the agenda
 - Please bring a copy with you if you need a paper copy
- Privacy Issue Lori
 - Potential client managed to get Lori's cell phone number (will not be a client)
 - Has been calling her several times a day since then
 - This person can be charged
 - Please be very careful with information that could lead to privacy issues

Concurrent Disorders Presentation – Catherine McCarron

o Presentation & Catherine's links will be included with the minutes

• CTO Project Update

- Interviewing has been completed
- Report should be done by mid-June

• Program Updates

- Gale Melligan is retiring
 - Ben Millard will be replacing her
- Allison Hibbett is on mat leave

- Looking for a replacement
- o Steve would like to invite Barrett Centre back to the table
 - 5 new Police Beds will be opening up in a few days
 - Everything is ready just waiting for security cameras to be installed
 - Stay can be as little as a few hours up to two weeks
- o CMHA trying to fill Jill Pollock's position
 - Kathryn Lanza will chair alone until there is a replacement for Jill

Case Reviews

- > 8 cases were discussed
- > 0 new cases were opened
- > 1 case was closed
- Date of Next Meeting: Thursday, June 27, 2019