



HSJCC Meeting Minutes: May 5th, 2020 from 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. CST ZOOM Meeting

Present:

Arthur Huminuk, Grand Council Treaty #3

Ashley Apland, Clinical Manager for FIREFLY

Brenda Robertson, Mental Health RN, Kenora District Jail

Candace Green, Atikokan Community Counselling & Addiction Services

Cheryl Gervais, Treaty Three Police Services

Delane Kapera, Forensic Case Manager, CMHA Kenora Branch

Denise Forsyth, Director, Lake of the Woods District Hospital

Diane Pelletier, KACL, Director of Adult Services

Henry Wall, Kenora District Services Board

Jeff Duggan, Inspector Dct. Commander, O.P.P, Co-Chair for the KRRDHSJCC

Kelly Hall, Sergeant, OPP, Red Lake

Kylie Holmstrom, Dual Diagnosis Diversion/Court Support Worker, CMHA Kenora Branch

Lisa Leblanc, ACT Team Lead, CMHA Kenora Branch

Louise Marston, ODSP-MCSS

Marcel Penner, Director, Crisis Response Services

Marcia Scarrow, Red Lake Community Counselling & Addiction Services

Mariah Maddock, NWCOR CMHA Thunder Bay

Matt Norlock, Staff Sergeant, Detachment Commander | Ontario Provincial Police | Red Lake Detachment

Michelle Andy, Addictions Specialist

Michelle Guitard, Implementation Specialist, CAMH

Michelle Mauro CMHAFF, Court Diversion/Court Support Worker

Michelle Queen Executive Director, Changes Recovery Homes

Patti Fairfield, Executive Director, Ne-Chee Friendship Center

Rikki, Kellar, CMHAFF, Court Diversion/Court Support Worker

Sara Dias, Executive Director, CMHA Kenora Branch, Co-Chair for the KRRDHSJCC

Sarah Stevenson, Kenora District Services Board

Shiela Shaw, CMHA Fort Frances

Tanis Breed, Kenora District Services Board

Taylor Sundin, Mental Health Diversion Worker, CMHA Kenora Branch

Tessa Kellow, Mental Health and Addictions Rent Supplement Case Manager

Julie MacArthur, Manager of Mental Health & Addictions, Thunder Bay Counselling

Sherry Copenace, Kenora Chiefs Advisory

Regrets:

Anita Cameron, WNHAC

Adam Illman, OPP

Angela Sinclair, Red lake (Audio)

Ann Tkachyk, D/Sg, Dryden Police Services

Barb Brazao, Manager of Court Operations

Bill Leonard, Executive Director, Kenora Rainy River Districts Child & Family Services

Bob Bernie, Community Mobilization Officer, OPP

Caitlin L Community Outreach Worker, Kenora Sexual Assault Centre

Candice Kerkermeir, Mental Health Lead, Keewatin Patricia District School Board

Carol Peterson, Nurse Manager, Kenora District Jail

Daphne Armstrong, Director of Service KCA

Derek Laffin, Service Hub Navigator, CMHA Kenora Branch

Derek McLean, OPP Fort Frances

Erin Beach, Ne-Chee Friendship Centre

Greg Iwasiw, Defence Council

Jackie Franck, Youth Wellness Hub, KCA

Jamie Petrin, Community Engagement Coordinator (homelessness) for Rainy River District Social Services Administrative Board

Jana-Rae Dewson, Kenora Crown's Office

Jenn Carlson, NWHU

Jennifer Derosier, Clinical Manager, Sioux Lookout First Nation Health Authority, Nodin Child & Family Services

Jim Neild, Kenora OPP

Josh Brodhagen, Probation Manager, K/RR Districts, Youth Justice Services, Ministry of Children & Youth Services-North Region (Via phone)

Kevin Holmquist, Superintendent of the Kenora District Jail

Kristin Bulmer, Anti Human Trafficking Public Educator, Kenora Sexual Assault Centre

Laura Dowdell, Manager, Victim Witness Assistance Program, Ministry of Attorney General

Lisa Belluz, Riverside Healthcare Facility

Martene Nelson, Health System Navigator for Riverside Health Care Facilities

Matt Leblanc, Fort Frances, OPP

Matthew Cayner, Rehabilitation Facilitator for Brain Injury Services of Northern Ontario (BISNO)

Melinda Mills, Fort Frances, OPP

Nan Normand, Northwest Legal Clinic

Nancy Hendrickson, Transitional Case Manager, Ontario Review Board, Thunder Bay Regional Health Sciences Center

Richard Hoppe, Program Manager Mental Health & Addictions Program LWDH

Rooke Pitura, KACL Supervisor, Transitions Program

Samantha Brooks, Chief Nursing Executive , Director of Patient Care Services Sioux Lookout Meno Ya Win Health Centre

Sarah Eddy, Criminal Duty Counsel for Legal Aid Ontario

Sean Spencer, Anishinabee Abinoojii Family Services

Sheri Norlen, Manager, William Creighton

Sherry Baum, Acting Executive Director, Community Living Dryden-Sioux Lookout

Sue Devlin, Kenora Catholic District School Board

Susan Briggs, Social Worker at the Kenora District Jail

Tammie Corbett, Manager Creighton YS Community Support Team

Welcome and Introductions	Everyone was introduced.	
COVID- 19 Need for programs related to justice involved clients: ALL	Arthur – Grand Council Treaty 3 Purchased a van to bring clients with early release and bail back to their communities Purchased generators and necessary PPE Ashley Apland – Youth Justice FIREFLY	
	Kenora, Sioux Lookout, Dryden – Still open, processing referrals as they come in	
	Candace Green – Atikokan Community Counselling	
	 Not much change Court ordered clients are now seen virtually (Phone, Webex, Zoom) 	
	Diane Pelletier – Kenora Association for Community Living	
	Need Phones/IPads/Computers in order to connect with all clients	
	Kelly Hall & Matt Norlock– Red Lake OPP	
	 Lock ups have not decreased Not many individuals are taken into custody 	
	Michelle Guitard – Centre for Addiction & Mental Health	
	Nothing at this time	
	Louise Martson – ODSP Kenora	
	Not much has changed, hours are not 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	
	Marcia Scarrow – Red Lake Community Counselling & Addictions Services	
	Housing supports are is still face to face	

· Virtual supports for counselling

Marcel Penner – Dryden Regional Mental Health & Addiction Services

- Case Managers are still going out in the community
- Situation table is now being held virtually
- 24/7 Crisis Line is now operated by CMHA Thunder Bay
- · All Crisis workers are still working

Sheila Shaw/Michelle Mauro/Rikki Kellar - CMHA Fort Frances

- Business is as per usual
- Clients contact is OTN or Phone
- Care Packages have been sent out to clients

Denise Forsyth – Lake of the Woods District Hospital

- Morning Star Detox Center is still busy
- Schedule One Unit is busier than usual
- Virtual care in hospital is being implemented
- RAAM More mobile outreach has been delayed in being implemented due to COVID-19
- Those who fail COVID-19 Screening are being swabbed
- Hired a mobile outreach for the isolation center

Michelle Queen - Changes Recovery Homes

- Business as per usual, No new clients
- · Interviews and applications being processed

Patti Fairfield – Ne-Chee Friendship Center

- Business as per usual, no public allowed in the office
- Providing supplies to those in need
- No Jail interviews
- One staff member is assigned to discharge planning
- Emergency Shelter get those home who are able to go.
- Down in numbers for getting clients home to communities from bail residency

Sherry Copenace – Kenora Chiefs Advisory Business as per usual MAG – Virtual Needing more PPE • Mental Health Workers, working as per usual • Bail residency support is being done virtually Request has been put in for hardwear and Wifi access for clients who need virtual care Tanis Breed/Sarah Stevenson – Kenora District Services Board Trying to get clients not from here back home Reaching out to communities and family members • 25/30 clients per night at shelter Jeff Duggan - Kenora OPP • Vulnerable population coming from communities and not welcome back, looking into a solution for reaching out and getting clients home. Administration are working from home Sara Dias - CMHA Kenora • Virtual care for court program for those who are in custody (Phone, OTN, PCVC) • Clients that do not have access to these devices are coming in for face to face care Launched a Transitional Justice Unit – more information to be provided at the next meeting Michelle Andy - Safe Bed Program Still business as per usual, process for intake has changed due to COVID-19 and screening of individuals occurs prior to them attending the residence and again when onsite. **Release from Custody issues** Issues identified were the following: **ALL:** Task Group will related to COVID-19 - ALL be developed to Release plans are not suitable and this therefore is putting communities at address issues and

	risk. 2. Individuals who are being released are not being added to leases of individuals in units which is jeopardizing the units of those individuals. 3. Individuals released from the Thunder Bay Jail are being sent to Kenora with no release plan and then are staying at the Emergency Shelter in Kenora.	develop a plan.
Northwest Center of Responsibility: Mariah Maddock	 Release from custody Leadership Planning table: Julia MacArthur Pandemic Planning is occurring for those in the community of Thunder who are being released. Planning specifically is also occurring for those individuals with mental health and addiction issues Meetings are occurring daily at 9:00 a.m. EST Remand population are included in these meetings A adhoc task for committee has been established Front line services come together to develop a plan Bring in elements of the Situation Table – 4 Filter Approach for Information Sharing Isolation Center planning was developed through this group Support individuals in going home to ensure pathway is direct with no issues Safe Bed Program in Thunder Bay Funding was diverted to support this population Engaging in quality improvement work to evaluate the interventions 	
Provincial HSJCC Updates:	 Letters dated March 30th & April 17th, 2020 These were provided to the committee for review. Bi-weekly meetings to identify issues within the sector Meetings are occurring bi-weekly and any issues from the District can be sent to Sara for follow-up. 	
Kenora Community Justice Center	 Updates on the work for the Community Justice Center in Kenora were the following: Planning is still occurring Intention of the center is to reduce remand population and have reintegration of individuals back in the community & increase diversions from the criminal 	

Next meeting date	Next meeting date will occur in August 19 th , 2020 at 10:00 a.m12:00 p.m. CST Meeting will be held over Zoom, link will be provided.	SARA: to send out calendar invite
	Anyone with questions can connect with Arthur Huminuk from Grand Council Treaty 3 at arthur.huminuk@treaty3.ca . Meeting with the Ministry of Attorney General will occur at the end of May 2020.	
	 justice system Currently looking for office space in the community Restorative Circles will be completed in this space Justice Center Advisory Group will be developed and will include Mental Health & Addiction services 	