

HSJC Midland Advisory Group

March 16th 2018

MINUTES

Present:	Catherine Cloutier (CMHA RFC-Chair), Candice Amey (CMHA TRHP - Recorder), Sonia Ladouceur (Shelter Now), Dawn Gervais (Community Living Huronia), Karen Schulz (Catulpa), Sherry Allan (Wendat), Allison Ferth (GBNFC), Olivia Forrest (SCATEH)	
Regrets:	Jean-Marc Pelot (CMHA), Clayton Warren (CMHA), Tracey Bosch (OPP), Angie Colautti (OW), Patty Gabow (Enahtig)	
Absences:	Peter Lalonde (CNCC), Meaghen Pritchard (Probation), Dennis Lauren (Salvation Army), Jeff Graham (Chigamik), Rob Walton (Waypoint), Kelly Scott (OW),	
Item	Discussion	Resolved/Action
Welcome & Introductions	The Committee would like to welcome new HSJC committee member Allison Ferth of GBNFC, and Olivia Forrest of SCATEH here to discuss Enumeration	
Review & Approval of Agenda	Agenda approved.	
Review & Approval of Previous Minutes	Previous minutes approved.	
Provincial HSJCC Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Members are encouraged to visit the Provision HSJCC website to access minutes and webinars at www.hsjcc.on.ca • Previous minutes have been emailed out to all committee members and are also available to be viewed on the website 	
Regional HSJCC Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The next local HSJC meetings are scheduled for: Barrie (March 26), Collingwood (April 5), Midland (March 16), Orillia (March 8) • Work Plan: \$700 was allocated for a “Lunch & Learn”. Jean-Marc and Mary Martin (co-chairs of Regional HSJCC) are planning on organizing a “Lunch & Learn” instead of a June 2018 meeting. • Orillia HSJC organized a “Lunch & Learn” at the Lighthouse Shelter on March 8th to provide education and training on how to use Naloxone – was a success! • Meal Vouchers for Guesthouse Shelter: Sherry has handed out all 300 vouchers to community agencies (OPP, GBNFC, Chigamik, 	

	<p>Youth Haven, CMHA, Waypoint, Shelter Now, Rosewood, YMCA, Salvation Army, GBGH, Wendat, Catulpa, and CLH for distribution to clients in need</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intending on printing out more “Journey through the Justice System” booklets with 2018 budget • Intending on making more RFC kits to be distributed to clients in the community in need • Regional HSJCC Conference: May 2019 – will be looking for volunteers, a sub-committee has been formed by the regional committee members 	
<p>Round Table Updates</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CMHA: New staff in HSJS program (1x RFC, 1x Dual Diagnosis Court Support/Diversion Counsellor, and 1x Forensic Supportive Housing Case Manager). Himanshu Shah has taken over HSJS portfolio from Jim Harris. • Wendat: Developed a partnership with Simcoe Muskoka Family Connexions; they now have a staff go in ½ day a week to work with them – they are going in to support parents. Will be providing a crisis staff to take over assessments for children & youth at GBGH – training will commence shortly for staff to be able to do these assessments. Partnership with YMCA supportive employment – utilize them with training with club staff and senior residents (as cooks, housekeeping etc.) – program is up to 3 months and Wendat decides to either keep them or not as staff members. Took over Red Cross Social Worker – there are now 3 Social Workers for psycho geriatrics to provide services to the whole LHIN. Partnership with County at Georgian Village – provided 6 subsidized apartments there – they are FULL. • Shelter Now: A Traditional Resource Coordinator will be starting in April (will be working with both past clients, current and outreach). CMHA has rented Suite 101. Other commercial tenants are: Red Cross who provides meals on wheels and Community Reach who provides transportation only. • Community Living Huronia: Dean Johnson is new CEO (came from New Leaf Living and Learning). As of April 1st, the Ministry has provided extra funding to hire a Complex Support Coordinator and a Dual Diagnosis Justice Case Manager. • Catulpa: Chris Brooks (manager has left) – Nicole Hamilton was interim and has now been hired permanently for the manager position. There will be someone hired to replace Nicole as the Crisis Network Response Coordinator. Everyone who received passport funding is now receiving an additional 15% because of Bill 148. Passport funding is additional funding for clients to assist in providing meaningful activities – clients have to have had an assessment done to qualify. • GBNFC: New to the table. GBNFC offers youth, mom and children programming, career program, long-term care program, 	



	<p>outreach program and good food boxes. They have just hired for youth programming for those individuals leaving reserves and coming into the community. Next month they will be hosting a youth summit.</p>	
Local Issues	<p>Nil</p>	
Other Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Olivia Forrest of SCATEH provided a presentation on Enumeration in Simcoe County **Part of the 20,000 homes campaign. Point in time count to take place starting on April 24 – 26. Sonia is the lead for North Simcoe. Sonia is trying to gather community partners – looking to determine hot spots and focus on institutions (like hospitals and CNCC). Volunteers are needed! • Request from members to have a Greek salad as opposed to a Garden salad. 	<p>Please contact Sonia at Shelter Now for more information on Enumeration or if you would like to participate</p>

**Next Meeting:
 Date/Time/Location: TBD
 “Lunch and Learn” Event in June
 More details will follow.**