

P-HSJCC Meeting Highlights

January 18, 2022

PROVINCIAL HSJCC UPDATES

Updates from the Secretariat:

- Please see attached document for updates on P-HSJCC provincial projects and network support functions.
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HSJCC Network Priority Setting & P-HSJCC Workplan Development Exercise:

The Secretariat led members through the 2022-2025 HSJCC Network priority setting and P-HSJCC work planning developmental exercise:

- **Review of the P-HSJCC 2022-2025 work planning process and the role of priority setting:**
 - The Provincial HSJCC's work plan will be informed by the priorities identified by the members of the Regional and Local HSJCCs, Ministry partners, provincial partners, people with lived experience as well as other important stakeholders working with the HSJCC Network.
 - Review of the HSJCC Network priority survey results which included common strengths, weaknesses, opportunities and threats, current initiatives, challenges within regions, top priorities, and ways to improve communication and collaboration between the P-HSJCC and HSJCC network.
- **Based on the results, the following top challenges were identified by HSJCCs, ex-officio partners and stakeholders, and people with lived experience (PWLE):**
 1. Safe & Affordable Housing
 2. Insufficient Resources & Funding
 3. Issues for Specialized Populations (Black, Indigenous & Racialized Populations, Youth)
 4. Community Reintegration Efforts
 5. Impact of COVID-19 on HSJCC Network
 6. Crisis Response
 7. Substance Use Issues
 8. Cross Collaboration and Communication Issues
 9. Membership and Engagement
 10. Complex Needs

For full details and information on the P-HSJCC Priority Setting results please refer to the presentation slide deck included as part of the highlight package or contact Secretariat Project Manager [Candace Vena](#).

ACTION: The Secretariat will work with the Executive Committee to develop the 2022-2023 work plan based on the feedback from today's meeting. A draft of the 2022-2023 P-HSJCC workplan will be presented at the March 2022 meeting.

Update on the Role of Developmental Services Ontario Office (DSOs)

MCCSS (Ministry of Children, Community and Social Services) representative Shaun Gluckman, provided an overview on the role of Developmental Services Ontario Offices (DSOs) in the adult Developmental Services (DS) system.

- The DSO role as the central point of access for adult developmental services across the province was reiterated and several of the DSOs' functions were explored in more detail, including:
 1. Providing information and assisting with service navigation
 2. Confirming eligibility for ministry-funded adult DS services and supports.
 3. Completing applications and needs assessments; and
 4. Providing referrals to services and supports.

More information on the DSO, including contact details, can be found on the [DSO website](#).

2022-2023 Regional and Local Committee Work Planning Presentation:

The Secretariat provided an overview of the **Regional and Local HSJCC Committees Work Planning process for the 2022-2023** fiscal year:

- Regional and Local workplans are to be submitted by email to Secretariat Network Coordinator, [Andrew Fairbairn](#) by end of day **Friday March 18th, 2022**.
- Regional and Local co-chairs are asked to use the most recent reporting template when submitting their workplans to the Secretariat. Please contact Andrew if you require assistance.
- As part of Ministry of Health (MOH) reporting requirements, Regional, Local and Provincial HSJCC workplans are to be submitted to MOH by **March 31st, 2022**.