



**Human Services and Justice Coordinating Committee
Thursday, May 5th, 2022, at 12:15 pm – 2:00 pm.**

Via Microsoft Teams

Minutes

Present:

Sabrina Peacock (Co-Chair)	ABLE2 Fetal Alcohol Resource Program
Joanne Ledoux-Moshonas	(Co-Chair) CMHA-Champlain East
Johanne Renaud	CMHA-Champlain East
Amanda Rocheleau	Compassion Fatigue Speaker– Guest
Michelle Gosselin	Canadian Mental Health Association-Champlain East
Tracey Pilon	Cornwall Community Police Service
Benoit St. Jean	Hawkesbury General Hospital
Bethany Zagar	Laurencrest
Kelsey Benoit	Laurencrest
Chantal Finn-Losier	Legal Aid Ontario
Kenneth Gray	Ontario Provincial Police, Hawkesbury
Melissa Bouchard	Ontario Provincial Police, Hawkesbury
Sara Frechette-Paquette	Residence of Prescott and Russell
Jim Blanchette	Ontario Provincial Police, SDG
Martine Sabourin	Probation and Parole Services
Sheila Tallon	Victim Witness Assistance Program
Alanna Wall	Youth Now Intervention Services
Linda Bissonette	Inspire
Mike Chrétien	

Regrets:

Sandra Langevin	Secretary
Chantal Prieur	Victim Services of S.D.G.&A.
Angel Quesnel	Addiction and Mental Health Services
Brittney Skidders	Akwesasne Community Justice Program
Troy Francis	Akwesasne Community Justice Program
Heriberto E. Cajigas	Akwesasne Healing Centre – Guest
Nadia Langevin	CMHA-Champlain East
Kate Baker	The Royal

Absent:

Lynn Bradley	Legal Aid Ontario
Jérémy O’Grady	Prescott-Russell Victim Services
Adrien Joly	Situation Table of Prescott Russell
Carilyn Hebert	Social Development Council of Cornwall and Area
Marie-Eve Poulin	Valoris
Marissa Moher	Youturn
Geneviève Arturi	Hawkesbury General Hospital

1. Word of Welcome

The meeting was called to order at 12:15 p.m.

2. Land Acknowledgement

Opening acknowledgment of unseated territories.

3. Approval of the Agenda

(members approved)

4. Approval of the Minutes

March 3rd, meeting minutes were approved and circulated. Moved by Johanne Renaud and carried by Sheila Tallon.

5. Business arising from Minutes

Reviewed nothing to add

6. Invited Guest: Sustainable Self Care with Amanda Rocheleau, Registered Social Worker and Compassion Fatigue Specialist (45 minutes presentation + Q & A) – Presentation slides will be shared with members.

7. HSJCC Budget

- 2022-2023 YTD Budget

Reviewed Budget (see attachment circulated)

- Reviewed allocation for client care kit, and if members are looking for funds to support clients, contact Johanne L. M. at CMHA.
- Reviewed allocation for vision exercise, training and development for members
- Reviewed allocation for meals and secretary support
- Yearly budget allocated by Regional HSJCC is 7000\$

8. Champlain Regional HSJCC meeting update (Johanne Renaud)

- See Champlain Regional HSJCC 2022/2023 Work Plan (attachment).
The regional is creating an orientation package.
A subcommittee created available funds for HSJCC clients being released from custody (e.g., rent, grocery, transportation). Contact Johanne Renaud for more information.

9. SDG-PR 2022-2023 Workplan and update from Chairs of the sub-committees:

a) Direct Services

- Mental Health & Developmental Disabilities Court model for Cornwall (Sheila Tallon)

Progress happened with the Mental Health Court in SD&G; a meeting took place three weeks ago. Justice Leahy took over, and there is a plan to move forward with a Mental Health and Developmental Disability Court in SD&G. Sheila requested the

subcommittee work group with HSJCC co chairs to write a letter of support for Justice Leahy.

Members part of this subcommittee:

- Sheila T.
- Michelle G.
- Martine S. (Probation & Parole Services)

Sheila will look at setting up a subcommittee meeting sometime in June.

- Create plans of care, service plans/release plans, provide counselling and referrals (All)

No updates

- Liaise with Vibrant Communities of SDG (Carilyne Hébert)

Plan has been approved for vibrant communities.

- Client Care Kits / Supportive needs (Joanne Ledoux-Moshonas)
Discussed allocation of budget previously.

b) **Hoarding Response Coalition**

- Hoarding Response Coalition of PR (Johanne Renaud) and Hoarding Response Coalition of SDG (Michelle Gosselin)

SD&G CHMA dealing with clients virtually continue to respond to the coalition in the community. The local team was approached for a research project. Researchers are trying to create an assessment tool for hoarding disorder. The Response Lead has had a lot of requests for presentations and continues to build capacity in communities. They have presented to caretakers in social housing and maintenance staff on how to respond to hoarding issues to ensure overall safety.

- Leads are presenting in Denver, USA July 2022

- The PR response team met a couple of weeks ago. They meet twice a year to review agreements, network and share experiences. The Pamphlets have been appreciated and distributed in the community. Request to print out more pamphlets. High demand for fire prevention

c) **Situation Table Advisory Committees**

- SDG&A Situation Table (Linda)
No Updates currently
- PR Situation Table Initiative
Adrian retired and replaced by Mike Chretien

10. **Training and professional development (Co-Chairs)**

- Presentation today was appreciated by member. It was requested that members could include staff and coworkers. It was recommended that we record presentations to share with colleagues.

Topics of interest:

- ✓ LGBTQ2+ Sabrina and Martine will gather information. Martine S. will share information on the *Positive Space* Program that has been rolled out in her workplace.
- ✓ Cultural Sensitivity and land acknowledgment training
- ✓ Having an advocate with lived experience present to members Johanne R. has a contact

11. **Service and system performance, monitoring and evaluation (Co-Chairs)**

- Received good feedback with meeting staying on time and meetings are relevant and informative.
- Many members have noted their interest in resuming in-person meetings
- Advocacy for more French resources for clients in court was noted.

12. **New Business/ Member Agency Information Sharing (All)**

- Johanne Renaud: CMHA –CE has made changes to its Information and Referral process and communication will be sent to members with an update via email.
- Bethany Z: updated that Laurent Crest Kelsey Benoit has been moved to SD&G, and they have hired a new worker for PR. A new program called Strive Program in SD&G are in partnership with Equipe Psycho-Social. They are working together to support high-risk youth in the community. Respite beds are available to families in SD&G to participate in the program.
- Sheila T.: Ministry funded a two-year position for the court base (community court worker) for the pandemic.
- Martine S.: is back to her position for probation. 80% capacity in office a lot of staff changes. She will provide members with an update if changes. Email support staff to check who the probation officer is for clients. (See attached from Martine)
- Joanne L.-M.: Effective May 16th, CMHA-CE employee working model will transition to 80% outside of employee home to meet clients in community or at the office with option of working 1 day per week at home office.

Next meeting, September 1st we are hoping for an in-person

Member suggestions for locations:

- Alexandria or Casselman with a Hybrid model option is most favorable

14. **Next Meeting** – Scheduled for Thursday, September 1st, 2022, at 12:15 p.m.

15. **Link to HSJCC Website**

<http://hsjcc.on.ca/stormont-dundas-glengarry-prescott-russell-akwesasne-local-hsjcc/>

16. **Adjournment:** Meeting adjourned at 1:55 pm