



## **Scarborough Human Services and Justice Coordinating Committee (S-HSJCC)**

### **Meeting Minutes**

**March 1, 2016**

**1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.**

**Scarborough Probation and Parole Office**

**2131 Lawrence Ave. East, #200**

**Present:** Susan Boucaud (Co-chair), Toronto East Detention Centre; Sharon Williams, Scarborough Hospital; Domenica Dileo, HSJCC; Jennifer Emanolidis, CMHA; Sabrina Cocuzza, Bail Program; Tammy Alston, CMHA; Vincent Lee, Toronto East Detention Centre; Jennifer Emanolidis, CMHA; Erwin Black, Cota; Samim Hasham, Morrish Pharmacy; Arlene Alexander, Cota; Amy Warren, Pinewood Centre of Lakeridge Health; Mary Murphy, Defence Counsel; Rosemary de Simas, CTYS, New Outlook

**Regrets:** Mary Jarrell, Crown Attorney's Office (Co Chair); Debbie Lynch, CTYS, New Outlook; Robin Cuff, CAMH; Patricia Pagnani, Bail Program; Janice Sellon, East Metro Youth Service; Veronica Snooks, Voices from the Street; Dale Nichiporik, Toronto Police Service

#### **Welcome and Introductions:**

- Everyone introduced themselves
- The meeting started after the Lunch and Learn
- Mary Murphy was thanked for moderating the Lunch and Learn

#### **Review and Approval of Minutes of January 5, 2016**

- The minutes were approved.

#### **Action Items Follow-up**

- Susan Boucaud updated the committee that Mary Jarrell has accepted the Co-Chair position, which was approved.
- Susan Boucaud also informed the committee that her two-year term is up. The committee needs to look for her replacement.

#### **Video Adult Fitness Assessment**

- Vincent Lee reported that they got the high speed needed for the Video assessment.
- Looking at the protocol at the Kerona Jail
- Waiting to get Health & Safety approval

- Will be doing fitness testing, psychiatric assessment, cardiology consults and skin & rash consults. This includes physical and mental health assessments.
- Will be using an OTN camera; enabling technological integration with the Scarborough Courthouse, Ontario Shores and the Toronto East Detention Centre
- There is no record of the video because it is a live feed.
- Samim Hasham discussed the Drug Profile View, which is a tracking system that allows health care providers to track individual prescriptions.
- Vincent Lee and Samim Hasham will meet to discuss a medication tracking collaboration; accessible if you have OTN
- Case management: according to Samim Hasham the OTN camera can be used for case management purposes
- A name will be discussed for the collaboration and the sub - committee will be informed.

#### 2016-2017 Meeting Dates

- The meeting dates are:
- May 3, 2016
- September 13, 2016 (Second Tuesday due to Labour Day)
- November 1, 2016
- January 10, 2017 (Second Tuesday due to New Year's Day)
- March 7, 2017
- May 2, 2017
- Domenica Dileo will send out invites shortly.

#### **Lunch and Learns**

- Good feedback
- Ideas were brainstormed: Community treatment order, Rx management, OTN usage, Public Health on TB, sexual health and measles outbreak, undocumented worker and mapping the resources available. It was agreed that Domenica Dileo survey the non-core and core committee members and ask them to choose two topics, or make suggestions.

#### **Agency/Organization Updates**

- Erwin Black reported on the LGBT Home Care workshop at 519 Community Centre, which looked at the gaps for the LGBT community.
- Fifty per cent are below the poverty line
- Forty per cent had never heard of CCAC
- Ninety per cent of the providers did not receive LGBT awareness
- It was suggested that Cota present to the S-HSJCC about the services available to the LGBT community.
- Erwin Black was thanked for the information
- Mary Murphy reported about the LAO. They are now rolling out the new mental health strategy next week. She will provide an update to the committee.

- Amy Warren from Scarborough Addiction Services, Pinewood Centre, Lakeridge Health reported that they have a new initiative that trains the Toronto Police Service about substance use and mental health. Because of its success, it will be ongoing.
- Samim Hasham reported that many drugs are on back order and not available for six months. These include anti-seizure drugs and bi-polar drugs. She will send Domenica Dileo the link to the list of drugs to circulate. She also reported that psychedelic drug abuse has been on the increased during the last six months.
- It was reported the Scarborough hospital is working on merging with Centenary Hospital. Many changes to come.
- Erwin Black reported that Cota has a housing co-ordinator who works with landlords to advocate for the client. This is a new position. The new person is Vic Natola

### **Service Coordination/Resolution Issues**

- No issues identified

### **Toronto and Provincial –HSJCC**

- Domenica reported there is a Service Resolution Forum taking place Friday, March 4.

**Choose a presenter for the next meeting:** Erwin from Cota will follow up whether he can present at the next meeting. It was suggested the committee start thinking about presentations for the upcoming year.

### **Actions:**

- Vincent Lee and Samim Hasham will discuss OTN and will report back to the committee.
- Vincent Lee will update the committee on the Adult Video Fitness Assessment.
- Erwin Black will let us know if he will present at the next meeting.
- Domenica Dileo will circulate the meeting dates and survey the committee about Lunch and Learn topics.

### **Next Meeting**

Tuesday, May 3, 2016 at 2131 Lawrence Ave. East, #200 from 1:30to 2:30 p.m.  
Presenter - TBD