

**York Region & South Simcoe Human Services Justice Coordinating Committee  
Minutes**

December 1, 2014

Location: Newmarket Court House, Lawyers Lounge 3<sup>rd</sup> floor

Time: 5:00 to 6:30 pm

**Participants**

Amber, Ashley, Ching Yuen Kitchen (legal aid manager), Crystal (minute taker), Doreen, Kelly, Lynn, Michelle, Nana

**Check – in**

Check in completed.

**Review of previous minutes**

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved as circulated.

**Review of Agenda**

The Agenda was approved

**New business:**

Lunch and Learn series will take place at the court house in the new year.

Schedules are:

January 21 – NCR, Crown & Duty Counsel

February 24 - addiction services, CAMH, crown attorney

March 26 – Human Trafficking

Topics discussed - committee decided to add human trafficking as a topic.

Registration process for lunch and learns discussed.

Sub committee will be meeting up to discuss process and location

Kelly - looking into modular unit for lunch and learn sessions

Conferences for next year – start looking into ideas or further lunch and learn sessions

Next sub-committee meeting - December 11 at 830am at victim witness office

**Agency Updates**

new agency updates: Legal aid financial qualification increasing in slow increments

**Membership**

Membership to committee discussed. Set up a sub committee to bring in more members.

Members: Amber, Michelle, Lynn

## **New Business/Updates**

Can this committee do anything about getting a psychiatrist to be in CTC court? Members would like to further discuss looking into psychiatrist for CTC court. Amber to check with Jonathan about having hospital member as part of the committee.

## **Next Meeting:**

Monday January 12 at 1:00 PM at CMHA 15150 Yonge Street, basement board room.