

**West Virginia Behavioral Health Planning Council**  
**19 Oct 2017**

**Attendance:**

**Cathy Reed, Phil Reed, Linda Pauley, Lou Ann Petts, JK McAtee, Ardella Cottrill, Vanessa VanGilder, Rich Ward, Marian Steele, Martha Minter, Deanna Thomas, Holly Crookshanks, Nikki Tennis, Ted Johnson, Nancy Deming, Heather Hoelscher, David Sanders, Debi McCoy**

**Minutes:** JK McAtee made motion to accept minutes from 20 July 2017, Marian Steele seconded it. All in favor

**Membership Update:**

Interest indicator from Deanna Thomas

Marian Steele, made a motion, Holly Crookshanks seconded it all in favor she will fill a Parents of Children.

Gave an update of the seats available:

1 Parents of Children with SED

2-Youth

1-Providers-Substance Abuse

3-Individuals in Recovery

Need to have a Social Media Presence by Oct, 2017, WVBHPC will establish a social media presence by Oct 2017, in our working (Ardella and Vanessa will work on this to add to WV LEADERSHIP ACADEMY)

Rich Ward:

Division of Rehab has Abilities to work ceremony. They recognize six individuals, and he read two of the stories with us. Kelley Stickler, and Ryan Shifflett

Nikki Tennis has some ideas on who can give us presentation about the difference fed. Grants/programs that the bureau.

### **Strategic Plan Update- Ted Johnson**

Consultant with AHP- Spent last year developing a strategic plan, Committees are meeting and following concepts of the plan. West Virginia has been approved for another year 3 functions for a planning council, Look at block grant, make comments, help shape it, 2) Monitor and Evaluate mental health services, 3) Advocate for Behavioral Health Services (Back of agenda)

work on a method to monitor and evaluate

Webinar: How to read block grant,

How to have a better presence- More Coordinated Approach to advocacy, including Improved Communications internal and external

Method to Monitor:

Online? What can be replicated that is happening around the state,

Established questions-

How well is system working

Those recovering serv- making sure they have a voice

Review provider data

Provider education/involvement

What bureau is doing with federal grants that are working: How can we respond.

Strategic Prescription Framework for pres. Drugs Advisory workgroup. That meets quarterly.

Goals from Block Grant-monitor accomplishments-

How to have a better presence:

Council members have been working with Fair Shake Network,  
(Broader scope, willing to share)

Engaging Entire state-

What are other states doing to for self-promotion

Social Media

Website

WV Rural Health Assoc.

Providers association

NAMI Groups

FRN's

Our Children Our Future-

DBSA-WV

WV Leadership Academy Graduates

Bridge Valley grads

**Committee Reports-  
Adult Services- Heather Hoelscher**

- 1) Do we have ongoing feedback for the block grant
- 2) Is there another chance to provide feedback to the feds Webbgas (ID Citizen, password citizenwv)
- 3) Is one of the committees looking at the statement of works, (Monitoring and Evaluations)

Vanessa VanGilder is geared up to help with social media (Facebook and Twitter)  
Ardella, JK, and Vanessa to work on this

Position Papers: Utilized the data

Heather had a meeting with Dr. Joy Buck, for the satisfaction survey

Questions to add in Satisfaction Survey:

Integrated Healthcare

Do you have a primary care provider? Do you have a Psychiatric Advance Directive

Unmet needs- for those with DD individuals,

Substance abuse waiver-

**Children Committee-** Donna Moss has agreed to chair this committee

**Housing Committee-Phil Reed**

James Ruckle has been sending in reports faithfully, (they are in packet)

Housing Conference- Vanessa gave a brief update on the housing conference.

**System's Monitoring- Linda Pauley**

Put together an information sheet for members to work their way thru the block grant. Very Informative

**WV Leadership Academy-JK McAtee**

Had a successful year- 2 leadership academy, monthly conference calls, and first webinar. 19 participants in the webinar. 55 Leaderships academies total, and around 800 graduates. We had 33 graduates, and 6 people trained as trained the trainers.

West Virginia Leadership Academy is how to deliver most effectively given what grant money, requirement quarterly conference call

**Children's bureau pilots programs-Nikki Tennis**

Gave overview of some pilot programs going on around the state

Children's mobile crisis response- with United Summit

Children's Wraparound pilot 6 counties- Harrison, Kanawha, Cabell, Raleigh, Marion, Berkley

Children's clinical outreach liaison connect with resources  
Six regional youth service centers -  
State youth substance treatment for youth grant  
SADD-Nov Camp Dawson  
IDD-ResCare

Information is on the BBHMF-Children's page  
Suicide intervention Specialists-youth  
Expanded School Mental Health-40 sites around state  
Project Aware-Dept of Education

Josh VanBibber-Mobile Crisis/Children's wrap around

### **SAMHSA Block Grant Update-Rebecca Roth-**

Block Grant has been submitted,  
WVBHPC was notified that it was out, then the public

One thing planning council can do is talk to Legislature-

WV Library Commission-Rebecca spoke about the WVBHPC Council- WV Rural Health Association, Wants to report out to us about the activities that the bureau is doing, and that we are being very budget conscience.  
Bureau from Medical Service Staff- They are in Portland- Word of Approval of 1115 waiver, <http://www.dhhr.wv.gov/bms/News/Pages/DHHR's-Medicaid-Program-to-Expand-Substance-Use-Treatment-and-Services.aspx>

Block Grant and Strategic Planning- Elliott sent Rebecca a copy of our strategic plan presentation

Comments about block grant:  
Systems and Monitoring- contact Rebecca Roth

### **Olmstead Overview-Vanessa VanGilder**

Overview of the Olmstead Decision-  
(Asked Vanessa to send PowerPoint to Jenny)

### **Neonatal Abstinence Program-Louann Petts**

Overview of this program (PowerPoint is in October Packet)  
She showed us a video of Helping Pregnant Moms end Opioid Abuse about some graduates of the Neonatal Abstinence Program

Next Steps

Next Meeting January 18, 2018 in Flatwoods