

## Peer Support Collaborative Minutes

June 23, 2010

Present: Jamor, Steve, Doug, Sean, Andrea, Tammy, Nancy, Tina, Courtney, Rebecca, Wes

Agenda Item	Discussion Points	Outcome / Action	Complete
<b>Facilitator</b>	Jamor		√
<b>Check In</b>	•		√
<b>Next Week's Facilitator</b>	• Tina		√
<b>Review Minutes</b>	•		√
<b>New Member Orientation</b>	•		√
<b>Job Announcements</b>	• Sean passed out a job announcement for Ministry with Community, a full time Volunteer Coordinator		√
<b>People United to Secure Housing (PUSH)</b>	• No one present		√
<b>Keystone</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Will be hosting a July 4<sup>th</sup> picnic on July 3<sup>rd</sup>, everyone is invited</li> <li>• The parking lot is still being resurfaced</li> </ul>		√
<b>Recovery Court</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Doug reported that overall number of people involved in the court are down. Some people have been asked to leave the program because they could not keep up with the program requirements</li> <li>• Court is changing some of the way court works. WRAP will be a mandatory requirement</li> <li>• People who do not attend court will be sanctioned in the future</li> <li>• They are looking at some things that Drug Court does that are effective</li> </ul>		√
<b>InterAct – Action Employment</b>	• No one present		√
<b>InterAct - Wellness Recovery Action Plan (WRAP)</b>	• No new updates		√
<b>InterAct – Wellness Team</b>	• Courtney is looking at expanding individual services, looking at self-advocacy at medical appointments and visiting people at hospital also how to teach budgeting and how to manage their money without a payee		√
<b>InterAct – Substance Abuse Management Module (SAMM)</b>	• No new updates		√
<b>Recovery International</b>	• No one present		√
<b>Douglass Community Association</b>	• No one present		√

<b>Power Branch</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No one present, but they are planning a Peer Retreat for August. We should have more specific information next week</li> </ul>		√
<b>Pine Rest-CenterPointe</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No one present</li> </ul>		√
<b>DBSA –Depression Bipolar Support Alliance</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No one present</li> </ul>		√
<b>The Sanctuary (The Living Room)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No one present</li> </ul>		√
<b>KCMHSAS Homeless Shelter (Oakland House)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rebecca Presented. Oakland House has eleven beds for both men and women. Residents are informed of other housing available in Kalamazoo</li> <li>Feel free to contact Erica Northup if you want a tour</li> </ul>		√
<b>Elm Street House</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Houses single people in studio apartments. There are ten apartments and on-site property manager. There is no on-site staff support</li> <li>Kalamazoo Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services Housing Department makes regular visits to offer support</li> <li>The apartment is now full, but there may be vacancies in the future</li> </ul>		√
<b>Pathways</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No one present</li> </ul>		√
<b>Recovery Institute</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>See below</li> </ul>		√
<b>ArtWorks</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Holds art classes at Recovery Institute every Wednesday from 1:30-4pm anyone can attend</li> </ul>		√
<b>Computer Lab</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Call Recovery Institute for appointments</li> </ul>		√
<b>Self-determination</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>8 people who have hired their own staff right now</li> <li>No one currently looking to hire staff</li> <li>This allows people to see how much money Community Mental Health spends on their services and consider different ways to get that support, including hiring their own staff</li> <li>The support has to be funded through Medicaid</li> </ul>		√
<b>Supported Education</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sean</li> </ul>		√
<b>Transformations Meeting</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Held every Tuesday at 3pm at Recovery Institute, good general support class for people in recovery</li> </ul>		√
<b>Principles of Peer Support</b>	Sean offered new applications and syllabus for Fall 2010 course		√
<b>Peer Companions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Did really well at the Peer Support Conference yesterday</li> </ul>		√

<b>Access &amp; Outreach</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rebecca mentioned that KCMASHAS Housing Department staff do “Street Outreach” and would like to coordinate with Recovery Institute’s Access and Outreach Team</li> <li>• Andrea suggested that some outreach be done at Martha’s Table a meal that is served at a</li> </ul>		√
<b>PoWeR Group</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Still doing presentations</li> </ul>		√
<b>SMART Recovery</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nice alternative to NA and AA. Offered at Recovery Institute on Mondays at 2pm</li> </ul>		
<b>KPH Summerfest</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No new news</li> </ul>		√
<b>NAMI Picnic (August 11)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Call Recovery Institute to RSVP – 343.6725</li> </ul>		
<b>Misc.</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>•</li> </ul>		√