

Peer Support Collaborative Minutes
July 28, 2010

Present: Tim, Chris, Sean, Fran, Lateshia, Paul

Agenda Item	Discussion Points	Outcome / Action	Complete
Facilitator	Lateshia		√
Check In	•		√
Next Week's Facilitator	• Fran		√
Review Minutes	•		√
New Member Orientation	• No new members this morning		√
Job Announcements	• Sean passed out job announcement for two positions at Recovery Institute, one part time and one full time with benefits		√
People United to Secure Housing (PUSH)	• No one present		√

Keystone	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No new events in the next couple weeks • Last event was at Upjohn Park a couple weeks ago • Still open six days a week 		√
Recovery Court	• No one present		√
InterAct – Action Employment	• New job postings every Tuesday		√
InterAct - Wellness Recovery Action Plan (WRAP)	• No one present		√
InterAct – Wellness Team	• No one present		√
InterAct – Substance Abuse Management Module (SAMM)	• No one present		√
Recovery International	• Meets Monday and Wednesday – they are working on an internship job description to incorporate graduates from the Principles of Peer Support Course		√
Douglass Community Association	• No one present		√
Power Branch	• No one present		√
University Substance Abuse Clinic (USAC)	• No one present		

Pine Rest-CenterPointe	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No one present 		√
DBSA –Depression Bipolar Support Alliance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No one present 		√
The Sanctuary (The Living Room)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chris reported 		√
KCMHSAS Homeless Shelter (Oakland House)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No one to report 		√
Elm Street House	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 		√
Pathways	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DRA meets on Tuesdays at 5pm Schizophrenics Anonymous meets at Tuesdays at 5pm Pathways will attend the Camp Fort Hill Retreat, Pathways is paying the \$10.00 fee for its members who want to attend 		√
Recovery Institute	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 		√
ArtWorks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 		√
Computer Lab	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 		√
Self-determination	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 		√
Supported Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lateshia reported on the GED prep and assistance work offered at Pathways to help people get their GED. Pathways also helps people enroll in college and be successful once they are in college. Diane Davis, is the staff person at Pathways who is the main teacher in this area Sean reported on Recovery Institute’s Supported Education services, which include one-on-one peer support for help in enrolling in school, applying for financial aid and introduction to Office of Disability Services. Recovery Institute also 		√
Transformations Meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This meets every Tuesday at 3pm at Recovery Institute. This is a very open meeting that welcomes new people in recovery 		√
Principles of Peer Support	Class starts November 1, but people should begin the application process soon. The applications are on the Recovery Institute website www.recoverymi.org , under classes		√
Peer Companions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Peer Companions offer peer support one-on-one in the community 		√
Access & Outreach	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Offer peer support at the Access Center, for people looking for services 		√
PoWeR Group	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tell their recovery stories to civic groups, college classrooms and high school classroom. Their last two presentations were Western Michigan University in Grand Rapids. 		√

Vet-to-Vet	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meets on Thursday mornings at 10:30am at the Recovery Institute, all veterans looking for support in their recovery are welcome 		√
SMART Recovery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This is a good alternative to AA and NA, that supports people in help in any addiction, including gambling and food among others 		√
NAMI Picnic (August 11)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sean passed out the flyer announcing this picnic. All are invited, but NAMI asks people to make a reservation at Recovery Institute so they know how much food to buy. It is a free event open to everyone 		√
Senior Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No one present 		√
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Misc.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 		√