



**Co-occurring Disorders Workgroup
 July 25, 2008
 Doubletree Hotel
 Sacramento, California**

Minutes

Attendees: Chair, David Pating

Committee Members: Darlene Prettyman, Cheryl Trenwith, Mary Hale, Sandra Marley, Maureen Bauman, Dede Ranahan, Joan Hirose, Pia Escudero, Rusty Selix, Henry VanOudheusden,

OAC Staff: Matt Lieberman

Other Participant(s) Present: Richard Conklin

Discussion Topics	Highlights	Next Steps	Person(s) responsible	Timeline
Chair Pating reviewed recent COD related developments	Pating discussed Minkoff and Cline work in CA. Pating informally discussed possible COD Day with ADP. VanOudheusden said September is National Recovery Month, often with an event at the Capitol. Pating discussed a timeline for report.[Timeline changed due to budget impasse. New timeline sends revised COD Draft Report to Workgroup in first week of September.]			

<p><u>Revision of COD Document</u></p>	<p>Primary purpose of meeting was to revise draft COD Report. Discussion occurred with many volunteers for report revisions.</p> <p>Discussion included:</p> <p>Comments by Delphine Brody about desire to include information on alternative and holistic healthcare. Decision to include this information in the Resource Document of the report.</p> <p>Brody also commented that lack of COD support results in recidivism.</p> <p>Bauman commented that there is a lack of data on COD people and she did not believe there is a way to count number of people with COD.</p> <p>Conklin commented that the Council on Mentally Ill Offenders is working on standardizing assessment in jails.</p> <p>Conklin said cost savings had been realized by mental health courts and referred to the RAND study.</p> <p>Mary Hale said there have not been services for families and that billing is a problem for families.</p> <p>Dan Souza said some cities have moved towards an integrated COD approach and some have private</p>			
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	<p>providers.</p> <p>Selix said DMH CSS requirements have discouraged counties and this needs to be addressed when updating CSS guidelines.</p>	<p>New assignments were as follows:</p>		
		<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Rusty and David to work on placeholder on mental health and substance abuse screening at primary care level.2. Rusty and Henry to add a paragraph regarding requirements of DMH in CSS requirements that have discouraged counties and needs to be addressed with		

		<p>updating CSS guidelines. Adding a paragraph under global concerns.</p> <p>3. David working on: a-definition of mental health and substance abuse disorders. b-workgroup now aware of other issues. c-current priority can serve as a model for other behavioral health issues.</p> <p>4. Henry and Rusty to work on mental health financing issue. p. 75</p> <p>5. Matt working with Delphine on Goal six.</p> <p>6. Matt to arrange a phone conference for Beth, David, Pia, and Delphine on Vets. Please let me know good date and time.</p> <p>7. Dede and Darlene to do more work on Families</p>		
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		<p>section.</p> <p>8. Beth and Delphine to work on Trauma section.</p> <p>9. David to work on Crisis section.</p> <p>10. David and Beth to work on Homeless section.</p> <p>11. Cheryl and Maureen to work on incentivizing section.</p> <p>12. Maureen adding a footnote to executive summary, paragraph 2, p. 4, after "COD".</p> <p>13. Richard to work on revision of key findings and global concerns, #5, on p. 5.</p> <p>14. Delphine and Sheree completed addition to #9, p. 6.</p> <p>15. Cheryl to check accuracy of #15, now #2, on p. 6.</p>		
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16. Dede, Cheryl, and Henry to offer revision to #'s 12 and 13, now 10 and 11, on p. 6.

17. Dede to do a new #22 on p. 7.

18. Pia to work on new #23 on Vets and Families on p. 7.

19. Rusty submitted revisions to recs 1.1, 2.1, 2.3, 4.2, 4.3, and 5.1

20. Mary Hale has a revision for rec. 3.1

21. Dede will draft a revision to rec. 4.2

22. Delphine to revise rec. 4.3

23. Rusty completed revision of rec. 5.1

24. Beth, Dede, and Cheryl want to revise rec. 7.2

25. Pia to add to rec. 8.5

26. David, Dan, and Cheryl
to work on rec. 9.1

27. Dan to check on existing
database for rec 9.

Meeting Adjourned	5:30 P.M.			

