





Saturday, September 16th, 2017 – 0830-1200h Coast Edmonton Plaza, Turner Valley Room

MINUTES

ADI	DICTION & MENTAL HEALTH F	AHS Permanent Resource Persons			
	A. Haubrich	✓ D. Lambert	✓ L. Fors	R A. Bichel	
	Dr. A. Mardon	☑ D. MacNaughton	R M. Maisonneuve	R B. Andres	
R	B. Murray	☑ E. Macphail	☐ T. Richer	R D. O'Brien	
R	B. Sara	✓ Dr. G. Tagg, Chair	☑ T. Osborne	R Dr. N. Mitchell	
Ø	C. Horne	✓ K. Andresen	□ VACANT - Edmonton/Area	☑ C. Stewart	
REG	REGRETS			GUESTS	
B. Murray		A. Bichel	B. Andres	T. O'Riordan	
B. Sara		D. O'Brien	Dr. N. Mitchell	A. Brown	
M. Maisonneuve				M. Bercov	

#	DESCRIPTON	PRESENTER	ACTION
1	Approval of Agenda	AMH PAC All	
	Agenda accepted by Council consensus		Agenda approved as circulated.
2	Approval of Minutes	AMH PAC All	
	Minutes accepted by Council consensus		Minutes approved as circulated.
3	Quarterly Update Reports		
	3.1 a CSAMH Addiction & Mental Health Update (includes Valuin	g Mental Health)	
	B. And	dres, Dr. N. Mitchell	
	AMH Update September 2017 reviewed.		
	Discussion followed regarding the AHS Advisory Councils' Fall Forum	and the Addiction	
	Mental Health presentation in development, issues of interest for a		
	3.2 Addiction & Mental Health Strategic Clinical Network™ & C	ore Committee	
	Update	M. Bercov	
	AMH SCN™ Update September 2017 reviewed.		
	3.3 AHS Advisory Councils' Council of Chairs	Dr. G. Tagg	
	AHS Advisory Councils' Fall Forum DISCUSSION: areas for address at AMH presentation:		Council members to provide suggestions for
	gap identification; seniors' health mental health; caregiver support; immigrant mental		AMH Fall Forum presentation to B. Andres,
	health supports. Suggestions for AMH session content should be pro	ovided to B. Andres,	Dr. N. Mitchell, and/or Dr. G. Tagg.
	Dr. N. Mitchell, and/or Dr. G. Tagg.		

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	3.4 Enhancing Concurrent Capability Provincial Advisory Council (ECCPAG)	
	B. Murray	
	Report deferred due to regrets received.	
	3.5 Provincial Addiction Counselling Practice Council (PACPC) B. Murray	
	Report deferred due to regrets received.	
	3.6 AMH Policy Working Group on Residential and Addiction Services B. Murray	
	Report deferred due to regrets received.	
	3.7 Patient Safety Quality & Policy Subcommittee (PSQP) E. Macphail	
	Overview of CSAMH AMH-Policy Development circulated.	
	3.8 Provincial Addiction Curricula & Experiential Skills Steering Committee (PACES)	
	E. Macphail	
	No update available at time of meeting.	
	3.9 Alberta Alcohol Strategy M. Maisonneuve	
	Report deferred due to regrets received.	
	3.10 Post-partum Depression Working Group M. Maisonneuve	
	Report deferred due to regrets received.	
4	AMH PAC Work Plan 2017/2018 AMH PAC All	
	Overview of AMH PAC 2017/2018 Work Plan and Health Advisory Councils' identified	Council members to send further
	priorities. DISCUSSION followed around the need to refine and narrow the goals	suggestions to C. Stewart via email.
	identified within the AMH PAC. DISCUSSION around stigma; child/youth mental health;	
	and suggested related activities.	
5	Outstanding Business	
	5.1 Letter of recommendation for AMH supports at new SW Edmonton Hospital:	
	Status Update B. Sara	
	Report deferred due to regrets received.	
	5.2 Conference Attendance Requests and Access to AMH PAC Discretionary Budget	
	for Council Approval ALL	C. Stewart to circulate email to Council
	• Finding Hope in the Opioid Crisis – 20 Oct 2017, Lethbridge Lodge Hotel	seeking support for each request for
	National Forum on Innovations in Infant, Child and Youth Mental Health —	financial support from the AHS Discretionary
	04-06 Oct 2017, University of Calgary	Budget.

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		E. Macphail to review AHS AMH PAC Engagement (Discretionary) Budget and provide DRAFT update for Council consideration.
	5.3 Seeking AMH PAC member to participate in the AHS <i>Quality Summit: Healthcare</i> Through the Patient & Family Lens – Patient & Public Engagement in Healthcare – How Do We Make It Truly Meaningful? Monday, October 30 th , 0900-1200h E. Macphail volunteered to attend.	E. Macphail will attend with G. Tagg.
6	New Business	
	6.1 Student suspensions from public schools; limited understanding of medications treating mental health D. MacNaughton, ALL Overview of personal experience advocating for parent/student. Seeking support and assistance to draft and submit letter of recommendation from AMH PAC to Alberta Education recommending support for expert opinion inclusion in decision making and consideration of prescriptions and side effects for students with mental health diagnoses. DISCUSSION: Connects to discussion around stigma reduction specifically related to child and youth mental health within AMH PAC Work Plan. Roles of mental health in schools and children at risk. Violence Threat Risk Assessment (VTRA) lies solely with School District; AHS carries no influence over process as School Division is ultimately responsible for the health and safety of all students.	Letter of Recommendation to Alberta Education regarding support for expert opinion inclusion and consideration of prescriptions and side effects for mental health diagnoses when making decisions related to Violence Threat Risk Assessment postponed indefinitely by Council consensus.
	6.2 Addiction & Mental Health Provincial Advisory Council – Meeting Dates June	
	2018 through March 2019 C. Stewart, ALL 2018 Jun 15/16 Calgary, location to be determined 2018 Sep 14/15 Edmonton, location to be determined 2018 Nov 30/Dec 01 Calgary, location to be determined 2019 Mar 15/16 Edmonton, location to be determined	Note dates of upcoming meetings.
7	Future Business/Future Presentations AMH PAC All	
	Recommended Presentations for Future Meetings document circulated CONFIRMED for Dec 2017:	

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		Hospital Foundation – J. Weninger		Dr. A. & Mrs. C. Mardon will provide an	
	Valuing Mental He	ealth – M. Craig, Alberta Health	overview on Schizophrenia to Council 09		
	CONFIRMED for Jun 2018:			Mar 2018.	
	Palix Foundation -	- N. Sherren			
	CONFIRMED for Mar 2018	:			
	Schizophrenia – D	r. A. and Mrs. C. Mardon			
8	Addiction & Mental Healt	h Provincial Advisory Council Round Table			
	8.1 Good News Storie	es & Recognition of Successes	AMH PAC All		
	 AHS Addiction & Mental F 	lealth Provincial Advisory Council Amended Bylaws	received		
		2017; AHS Addiction & Mental Health Advisory Cou	ncil Terms of		
	Reference received AHS B	···			
	• Edmonton Journal July 4 th , 2017				
	http://edmontonjournal.com/opinion/columnists/opinion-acceptance-and-early-treatment-key-to-coping-with-mental-illness Dr. A. Mardon Opinion Article, Acceptance and early treatment key to coping with mental illness 2017_0704 EdmontonJournal-Mardon-opinion-acceptanc Dr. G. Tagg, with Dr. M. Trew, met with Dr. C. Amrhein for discussion around inclusion of relevant lived experience when considering addiction and mental health issues; and the importance of considering them concurrently.				
	8.2 Emerging Issues		AMH PAC All		
Adjournment					
Next Meeting Sandman Hotel Calgary Airpo		Sandman Hotel Calgary Airport (25 Hopewel	l Way NE)		
Frid	ay, December 01st	5:30 p.m. Dinner			
		6:15 p.m. Call to Order			
Satu	urday, December 02 nd	8:00 a.m. Breakfast			
		8:30 a.m. Call to Order			

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MEETING EVALUATION RESPONSES

7 submissions of 10 possible

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	POOR
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7				
7				
5	2			
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WHAT WAS THE MOST VALUABLE THING ACCOMPLISHED AT THIS MEETING?

Learning about the Wisdom Council (3)

Bringing forward concern about medication and youth

Neuropsychiatry presentation by Candice Horne

Guest contribution was good

Great discussion around AMH PAC work plan and priorities (3)

WHAT DID YOU LIKE MOST AT THIS MEETING?

Wisdom Council presentation by Brenda Laboucan (3)

Neuropsychiatry presentation by Candice Horne (5)

WHAT DID YOU LIKE LEAST ABOUT THIS MEETING?

Work Plan discussion didn't seem to go anywhere; review of parameters, Council mandate might have been good

OTHER COMMENTS

Great meeting!