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MHADDAC

Mental Health, Addictions, and Developmental Diversity Advisory Committee

10/03/2023 3 p.m.-4:15 p.m. | Virtual via Teams

In Attendance

See attached

Call to Order and Introductions

- Meeting called to order at 3:02 pm by Chair Scottaline.
- Welcome Gabi Ford

Approval of Minutes

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Community Feedback & Announcements

- New County Administrator- Rachel Mceneny
- CIT happening again in November
- Developmental Diversity is having an open house 10/20 4p-6p at their new location. Sean Hinz will be performing.
- Pathfinders met with some senators and OHA

Business

- Discussion about meeting once a quarter in person w/hybrid option. Throwing out possibly starting in January 2024. Concern about students coming back with illness was brought up.
- Very beginning stages about possible opportunity for housing that Damien will share more about next month.
- Director Sands discussed the Housing Conference he is attending and all the good information. More to share next meeting.

Standing Agenda Items

- Measure 110- Commissioner Augerot
 - Committee pulled together to address in the short session
 - AOCMHP has taken an interest in the issues at hand
 - BHRN grants for front door access to treatment. Not enough treatment options for people seeking help.
 - Dharma Mirza commented that local providers have discriminated against transgender population seeking treatment services
 - Testified at the legislator on Friday. There is talk about recriminalizing. Movement for restructuring.

- Discussing options to open treatment centers, but it has to be open to the entire state, concerns about not being able to provide services to local people.
- https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/pressroom/sosmap/drug_poisoning_mortality/drug_poisoning.htm
- <https://www.oregon.gov/OHA/HSD/AMH/Pages/Measure110.aspx>
- Ashley M. shared her experiences working with a project in California to address housing, SUD/MH service.
- Patty K. brought up the need for prevention services at a younger age. Outreach and engagement for younger population before it becomes a full blown addiction.
- Crisis Center
 - Have almost all the needed permits
 - Still looking at opening in summer 2024
- House Bill 5202- Damien Sands
 - [OHA 4247 Key Behavioral Health Investments \(oregon.gov\)](#)
- DD gap in criminal justice
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Wrap Up, Topics for Next Meeting

- Discuss meeting in person again
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Adjourn

Next Meeting : November 7, 2023