

**Behavioral Health Advisory Council**

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<input type="checkbox"/>	Beth Dannhardt	<input type="checkbox"/>	Nelson Rason	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Andy Greisen
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Carolyn Cox	<input type="checkbox"/>	Eric Nicholson	<input type="checkbox"/>	Todd Jensen
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dixie Grunenfelder	<input type="checkbox"/>	Paul Neilson	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dawn Williams	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Richelle Madigan	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Haley Tibbits	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ruth Leonard	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Jeff Spring	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sandra Mena-Tyree	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Jenni Olmstead	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Shelby M Satko	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	John Tuttle	<input type="checkbox"/>	Shelli Young	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Josh Wallace	<input type="checkbox"/>	Steve Kutz	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	JulieRae Castleton	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stu Parker	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Katie Mirkovich	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Susan Kydd	<input type="checkbox"/>	
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Marcia Mongain-Finkas	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Janet Cornell	<input type="checkbox"/>	
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Michael Langer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Ryan Keith	<input type="checkbox"/>	
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**Main Outcome:** *The Behavioral Health Advisory Council mission is to advise and educate the Division of Behavioral Health and Recovery, for planning and implementation of effective, integrated behavioral health services by promoting individual choice, prevention, and recovery in Washington State*

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No	Agenda Items	Time	Lead	Summary Meeting Notes
1.	<b>CALL TO ORDER</b> - Welcome and Attendance - Approve January Minutes	9:30 am	Josh Wallace and Susan Kydd	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li></li> </ul>
2.	<b>Directors Dialogue &amp; 2022 DBHR Legislative Update</b>	9:45 am	Keri Waterland, Michael Langer & Kim Wright	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Currently DBHR is focused on Legislative Session and the budget</li> <li>15<sup>th</sup> of March – plan to return to the office for HCA in a hybrid model – some staff coming back in, some staff staying remote.</li> <li>Being able to host provider meetings, we will need a couple weeks to determine the protocols to see what that needs to be before.</li> <li>Less calls from providers with COVID related issues</li> <li>Each month DBHR host an all-provider meeting – BHAC members are welcome to attend.</li> <li>On domestic SOTU we are expanding support – we are hoping the federal budget will pass during March</li> <li>President recognized that we need a lot more people to do the work that we are needing.</li> <li>Supporting the increase of workforce in MH and SUD</li> <li>Using the words Peers at the highest level.</li> <li>Keeping an eye on what is happening in DC on peers, what might go into new legislation, what type of support is needed in BH support?</li> <li>WA is now 8 days from the end of legislative session.</li> <li>DBHR is tracking BH bills and the budget.</li> <li>Budget is starting to sound routine, but this session the house and senate are proposing a ¼ billion of investments for next session.</li> <li>Law Enforcement bills – these bills are to help “fix” HB 1310 – DBHR can help determine the minor differences once passed.</li> <li>MOUD in jails – offering medication to people in jails to help with recovery – DBHR is working on contracting with 16 facilities.</li> <li>The Blake bill investments are starting to grow and be rolled out into the state.</li> <li>For legislative update please see the DBHR 2022 Legislative PowerPoint.</li> </ul>
3.	<b>DBHR Section: Recovery Support Services</b>	10:30 am	Liz Venuto	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Liz is now in the acting role of section manager for the recovery supports services (RSS) section.</li> <li>Maureen Bailey Recovery Support Services Supervisor at DBHR</li> <li>Shelly Shor – Program Manager for Operationalizing Peer support manager               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Training program built to support agencies and organizations that want to add Peer services or</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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				<p>already have peer services and need support with operationalizing that program.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ The needs are varies so DBHR is learning about those with using surveys and tailoring the trainings for the needs.</li> <li>○ Started certifying peers in 2005 but the role is still a little unclear to some – goal is to provider evidence-based information to supervisors.</li> <li>○ The new angle is to train from the supervisor’s viewpoint.</li> <li>○ Training will have educational aspect as well as peer services available today – main focus will be on the peer role</li> <li>○ Important for DBHR to bring in the hands on aspect of training.</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Lauren Robbins – Clubhouse <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Expanding on programing throughout the state of Washington – will be doing a presentation.</li> </ul> </li> <li>● Meta Hoge – HOST program manager <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Please see the HOST presentation for details.</li> </ul> </li> <li>● Liz – watching legislation move – seeing housing vouches, expanding FCS services to non-Medicaid clients. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Response and stabilization teams is currently funded in the house budget. Maintain their housing while they receive services</li> <li>○ Landlord liaison – expand to additional regions and to make this a broader program.</li> <li>○ P-25 team – transitional age youth and the developmental stage – what can make services more accessible to this age group.</li> <li>○ How can we plug in and develop the youth and young-voice</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
4.	<b>Peer Review Executive Summary Approval</b>	11:30 am	Peer Review Committee	●
5.	<b>Break</b>	12:00 pm	All	●
6.	<b>Telehealth-only behavioral health agencies</b>	12:30	Julie Tomaro	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● With DOH – helps lead the policy work within agencies and providers.</li> <li>● Tele-health is expanding (even prior to the pandemic)</li> <li>● Would we allow telehealth only agency?</li> <li>● Historically DOH did not allow a licensure of an agency that did not have a physical location.</li> <li>● You have to be credentialed in Washington</li> <li>● Looking at the existing barriers to being a telehealth only agency</li> <li>● Safety and effectiveness of providing services around telehealth</li> <li>● If we allowed telehealth agencies what would that do for the current workforce</li> </ul>

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7.	<b>Council Member Roundtable / Updates</b>	1:00 pm	All	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Josh - created a CPC training with DOD to deliver the training to active military peers nationwide.</li> <li>Working with BHI to create a peer training – they are creating a VR training. Great representation</li> <li>Carolyn Cox – at Spark they completed a class and graduation/certification of youth coming out of incarceration to become Certified peer councilors – currently all have passed and are currently looking for work. Spark is going national – working with other states to set up the SPARK model with them</li> <li></li> </ul>
8.	<b>Action Item Recap March Agenda Items Adjourn</b>	1:30- 1:45 pm	All	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Director’s dialogue (leg update included)</li> <li>Bring a legislature</li> <li>Block Grant</li> <li>Workforce update – steve &amp; todd</li> <li>Dakota Steele</li> </ul>