

AGENDA

Tioga County Community Services Board

PWDD Subcommittee

October 11th, 2022

Hybrid

9:00- 10:30am

AGENDA TOPICS

Review and approve minutes

John Crosby

DDSO/DDRO Report

Vickie Fergus

Director's Report

Lori Morgan, LCSW-R

Achieve Report

FSS Report

CCO Reports

Racker Report

Gayle Pado

Catholic Charities

Gabriella Ayres

Self-Advocacy Report

Other Business

Next meeting: Tuesday, November 8th, 2022

TIOGA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HYGIENE
PWDD SUBCOMMITTEE MEETING
OF THE TIOGA COUNTY COMMUNITY SERVICES BOARD
PENDING APPROVAL

Subcommittee meeting date: September 13th, 2022
Via Hybrid

Member Evelyn Vavra
Attendance: John Crosby
Megan Kaminsky
Tina Lounsbury

Guest Tricia Tomm
Attendance: Catherine Gleason
Anne Seepersaud
Gabiella Ayers

Mental Hygiene Lori Morgan, Director of Community Services
Staff Attendance: Susan Graves, Secretary to the Director (minutes)

Meeting called to order at: 9:08am

Topic: Review of August 2022 Minutes – approved as written

Category: Reports

Topic Presentation – CSIDD/START Model - Stefon Smith, YAI

Discussion: The presentation will be rescheduled, as the presenter did not attend the meeting.

Status: Informational – Complete

Topic: DDSO/DDRO Report – Not Present

Topic: Director’s Report – Lori Morgan

Discussion: Updates:

- 2023 County Plan
 - Needs Assessment discussed in detail
 - Input given by all present
 - Goals to be completed by Lori
 - Lori will send draft plan to all subcommittees
 - All changes/suggestions to be emailed to Lori
 - Community Services Board to review and approve
 - Plan is to be sent to the State by the end of October
- Budget is on track
- A lot of funding coming for all O-Agencies
- Continue to struggle with workforce
 - Clinic still has a couple of openings

- People are struggling
 - Huge uptick in the younger population

Status: Informational - Complete

Topic: Achieve Report – Not Present

Topic: FSS Report – Not Present

Topic: CCO Reports

Discussion: Prime Care – Tricia Tomm

- At full staff
- New enrollments continue
- Going into schools
- Face to face visits – few remaining virtual

ST Connects – Catherine Gleason

- Continue face to face visits
- Looking forward to getting into schools again

Life Plan – Anne Seepersaud

- Karen Sarti new Regional VP for Southern Tier & Central NY
- Nancy Ranger – Associate Director of Care Management for Tioga County
- New additional staff hired for Tioga County
- Influx of enrollment – especially in Apalachin area
- Assisting members through transition

Status: Informational - Complete

Topic: Rackers – Megan Kaminsky

Discussion: Updates:

- Traditional
 - There is a wait list
 - Hired a few staff
 - Receiving more applicants
 - Taking referrals
 - Looking for daytime workers
- Family Support Services
 - Developing a volunteer group for families to gather information they would like presented
 - Working on calendar for the rest of the year
 - September
 - Cornell Johnson Museum – Sensory & Art 1pm
 - October
 - Paint & Go for Parents

- Talk about struggles
 - Learn about resources
 - November
 - Support Sensory Needs
 - Transition to Jobs
 - Making Services Work For Your Life
 - December
 - Host event – Independent Living
 - Calendar to be emailed to Subcommittee
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- Self- Advocacy
 - Megan attending this month
 - Self-Advocate to attend this meeting next month

Status: Informational - Complete

Topic: Catholic Charities – Gabriella Ayers

Discussion: No updates:

Status Informational - Complete

Adjournment: The meeting adjourned at 9:47am. The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, October 11th, 2022 at 9:00am.