



Children and Adolescents Subcommittee
10:00 AM to 12:00 PM
Zoom:

Agenda

10:00 – 10:30 am	Introductions
10:30 – 10:45 am	Explanation of the role of CASC – mission, function as part of BHPC
10:45 – 11:00 am	Membership – who is a member for voting purposes?
11:00 – 11:30 am	Explanation of Chair position/Election of Chair
11:30 – 11:45 am	Meeting schedule
11:45 – 12:00 am	Community Announcements
12:00 pm	Adjourn



Adult Mental Health/Substance Abuse/Medicaid Subcommittee
June 7, 2022
10:30 AM to 11:30 AM

10:30 – 11:00	Introductions Approval of Agenda/Last Meeting Minutes Attendance Code of Conduct	All
11:00 – 11:15	Discussion on officer elections in August	Members
11:15 – 11:30	Community Announcements	All
11:30	Adjourn	



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Present:

Jacqueline Nielsen, BHPC Member
Lisa Howley, BHPC Member
Susie Kimble, BHPC Chair
Katana Wolf, BHPC Member
Carol Luna Anderson, BHPC Vice-Chair
Jamie Campbell, BHPC Member
Lisa Trujillo, BHPC Member
Stacy Keener, BHPC Member
Jeremy Lihte, BHPC Member
Betty Whiton, BHPC Member
Dr. Wendy Price, BHPC Member
Dr. Diana Trujillo, BHPC Member
Leslie Kelly, BHPC Member
Arya Showers, BHPC Member
Lindsay Kay, Paws and Stripes
Nicole Vigil, Inside Out Recovery
Sharon Notah-Begay, Western Sky Community Care
Pilo Bueno, Presbyterian Health Plan
Amalia Ramirez, Western Sky Community Care
Deluvina Martinez, BHSD
Natalie Rivera, BHSD Liaison to BHPC
Cathi Valdes, BHPC Administrative Support

Introductions of Those Present

Approval of Agenda:

Susie Kimble moved approval of the June 6, 2022 ASAM agenda. Nicole Vigil seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Approval of Minutes:

Minutes from the April 12, 2022 were not brought up for approval.

Code of Conduct:

Natalie Rivera read the BHPC Code of Conduct.

Discussion of BHPC Subcommittee Membership:

BHPC members must belong to one of the three BHPC subcommittees: Adult, Substance Abuse and Medicaid (ASAM) subcommittee, Child and Adolescent Subcommittee (CASC), and Native American Subcommittee (NASC). ASAM used to be three separate subcommittees but the issues for the three overlapped, so they were combined.

Natalie Rivera will send out the list of subcommittees to all of the BHPC members so they can select the one they want to attend. Election of officers for the subcommittees will be held during the August meeting. For CASC and NASC there will be a subcommittee Chair, who will be a non-State agency employee, and a Co-Chair, who will be a State agency employee. Together, they will develop agendas and facilitate the meetings. For ASAM, there will be three subcommittee Chairs who will be non-State agency employees who represent issues related to substance use disorder, adult mental health, and Medicaid, and there will be one Co-Chair, who will be a State agency employee. All Chairs and Co-Chairs attend the bi-monthly BHPC Executive Committee meeting from 10 AM until noon the first Tuesday of every odd numbered month.

The next NASC meeting will be held June 21, 2022.

Medicaid Advisory Committee:

Carol Luna Anderson is the BHPC representative to the Medicaid Advisory Committee (MAC) and brings the information from those meetings to the ASAM. For mental health or substance use disorder issues, ASAM members bring topics to the meetings that they attend.

Community Announcements:

Natalie Rivera – Thirty community recovery events will take place during September. Recovery Communities of New Mexico is awarding \$1,000 to \$5,000 funding for 12 community celebrations via a Request for Proposal process. Natalie sits on the planning committee and will pass along information about the events.

Betty Witton – NAMI Walks Albuquerque fund raiser will be held at Balloon Fiesta Park at 10 AM on June 11, 2022.

Pilo Bueno – June is Pride month and Presbyterian Health Plan is sponsoring Pride parades in Albuquerque on June 11th and Santa Fe on June 25th.

Lisa Howley – Big win for housing in New Mexico. The City of Albuquerque for passing non-discrimination regulations that prohibit landlords from discriminating against renters based on the source of income, such as housing vouchers.

Jeremy Lihte – Peer support workers are needed to provide services for evacuees of the wildfires.

Cathi Valdes – On May 31st, the Office of Peer Recovery and Engagement (OPRE) and the New Mexico Credentialing Board for Behavioral Health Professionals administered the Certified Peer Support Worker (CPSW) exam for 11 inmates at the Penitentiary of New Mexico in Santa Fe. All 11 inmates passed the exam and are now CPSWs. This is the third New Mexico correctional center where CPSW trainings have taken place. Central New Mexico Correctional Facility in Los Lunas and Springer Correctional Center are the other two.

Meeting adjourned. Next meeting August 9th.