



Subject	Behavioral Health Advisory Council Meeting (BHAC)	Date	2/11/2022
Facilitator	Dan Morhaim, Chair	Time	8:30 a.m.
Location	Zoom Meeting	Scribe	Brandi Miller

Attendees on call: Elise Andrews, Vicki Bodison, Mark Brewster, Eric Bromwell, Courtney Brown, Linda Bryan, Denise Camp, Heather Dewey, Celena Falline, Sheldon Glass, Phyllis Hall, Stephanie House, Martine Jean-Baptiste, Valkim Johnson, Marci Kogan, Stan Lacienski, Della Leister, Tangela Carthy, Joyce Mahoney, Pat Miedusiewski, Brandi Miller, Michelle Mills, Dan Morhaim, Donna O'Brien, Lee Ohnmacht, Allison Paladino, Amy Park, Tim Santoni, Bryan Shanks, Clarissa Taylor-Jackson, Karen Thompkins, Allen Tien, Michelle Vorpahl, John Worden

No.	Topic	Highlights	Action Plan
1.	Review of minutes from January	Approved.	
2.	Pat Miedusiewski, Commission to Study Mental and Behavioral Health in Maryland	Overview and discussion about Commission to Study Mental and Behavioral Health in Maryland.	pmiedusiewski@aol.com 410-402-8402
3.	Stephanie House, Behavioral Health Vaccine Equity (BHA)	Overview and discussion of vaccine uptake data and equity among those in the public behavioral health system.	Notify Stephanie of barriers and any suggestions of how the Vaccine Equity team can help. Stephanie.house1@maryland.gov
4.	Bureau of Behavioral Health Updates – Lee Ohnmacht and Amy Park	Lee: Received final instructions for plan and budget. Draft will be shared with voting members. No data from Optum. Will focus on suicide prevention and overdose response. The 911 call center clinician program is underway. Vaccine uptake discussions with BHA. Amy: Onsite services at BCDC are increasing. The adult drug court program is up and running. Naloxone trainings are virtual and in person.	

5.	Tim Santoni/Heather Dewey - Suicide Prevention Workgroup	Have not had a meeting since last BHAC. Tim and Heather met with Michelle Vorpahl from the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention (AFSP) and Jessica LaFave from the VA Suicide Prevention Program. Both are willing to facilitate a presentation about their organizations and roles at a future meeting. Working on draft of the Baltimore County Youth Suicide Prevention Initiative (BCYSPI). In collaboration with Local Management Board, have on boarded a consultant to implement a Collective Impact Model (Due East Partners). Suicide Fatality Review Bill – supported by BHAC in communications with the County Executive. AFSP priority agenda is available on their website.	
6.	Updates	<p>Dan: Three legislative recommendations and Baltimore has supported all three (HB48, HB190, HB267). Attended seminar on implicit bias last night with positive responses. Rumor about federal government distributing “crack pipes”, is not happening, actually funding harm reduction activities. Denise: OnOurOwnMD.org for trainings. Peer Symposium on 988 will be on March 1st.</p> <p>Martine: Hub and Spoke program is making headway. Have MOUs in process with five spokes and one hub. Trainings Reducing Stigma and Trauma Informed Approach (will send flyers).</p> <p>Marci: Joining LMB replacing Mary Leslie. Family Navigator program is closed. Clients can be referred to Maryland Coalition of Families.</p> <p>Allison: 911 clinicians are needed (full-time). Mobile crisis expansion implementation is up to eight teams.</p> <p>Allen: Michigan has lots of kids in program, saving time using online parent consents. Meeting with Baltimore County Public Schools. Contract with American Psychiatric Association.</p>	
		<p>Meeting adjourned at 9:40 a.m.</p> <p>Next meeting Friday, March 11, 2022 (virtual) – Dr. Weedn guest speaker</p>	