

Children and Families Subcommittee
October 09, 2019

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<p><u>Presentation Panel of Psychiatric Hospitals:</u></p> <p>✓ CVPH</p> <p>Wrap-up with Hospital representatives</p>	<p>Rheta Recore & Cathy McFarland from Champlain Valley Physician's Hospital (CVPH), Plattsburg, NY.</p> <p>Information shared: CVPH has a 12 bed Unit serving adolescents 6-18yrs with a length of stay of 6 days.</p> <p>Identified trends: Increase in children with developmental disabilities, children being bullied and increase in self-harm/harm to others behaviors They are experiencing transportation issues, and seeing more self-harm/ harm to others behaviors</p> <p>Identified gaps and barriers: Gaps in systems and service delivery (systems OPWDD, OMH and OCFS) and transportation.</p> <p>Overall discuss for solutions: Exploring Telemedicine, look for resources to support transportation needs, SOC will explore service gaps between systems.</p>	
<p><u>Presentation Panel of Community Providers:</u></p> <p>✓ Mobile Crisis</p> <p>✓ HBCI</p>	<p>The second half of the meeting were presenters from the community and who potential may interface with youth pre or post an inpatient hospitalization.</p> <p>Adrienne Slayko & Sydney Ayotte from Northern Rivers Family Services (Parsons Child and Family Center), Queensbury, NY. Mobile Crisis Services were presented. Mobile Crisis runs Monday through Friday 8am-10pm Saturday & Sunday 11am-7pm Holidays 10am-6pm. They provide on-site evaluations and telephone support in 6 Counties with 2 Locations.</p> <p>Kathy Wright from Northern Rivers Family Services (Parsons Child and Family Center), Malta, NY. Home Based Crisis Intervention (HBCI). HBCI serves 3 Counties with 9 slots for Adolescents 5-18yrs with a length of stay of 5 weeks. They work closely with Mobile Crisis and Family Services.</p>	N/A

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<p><u>Presentation Panel of Community Providers:</u> ✓ SPOA</p> <p>✓ NYS Systems of Care</p>	<p>Linda Wright from the Office of Community Services- Children's Single Point of Access (C-SPOA), Glens Falls, NY. C-SPOA has added /changed. A greater focus has been to engage community stakeholders in wrapping supports and services around the Child and the Family. C-SPOA may serve as the initial linkage to services, resource for youth struggling with existing services and needing more supports, connector to hospital for ER, inpatient admission and discharge as well as resources/connector for higher level of service needed processing RTF (OMH Residential Treatment Facilities) referrals and CRs (OMH Community Residences). The C-SPOA is able to be a broker to families, schools, agencies and community providers to assist in the planning and development of plans for youth that cross multiple systems. C-SPOA will support children aging from 0- 21 and at every level of need. C- SPOA will serve as the facilitator for System of Care initiative and to provide training, technical assistance and link across systems, identified gaps/evidenced based services/and solutions. SPOA will continue to receive referrals, work with C-YES for youth who do not have active Medicaid and with HH and care management providers.</p> <p>Groups collaborating together to fill gaps in services. There is a Training-the-Trainer Meeting in November. Linda Wright and Kim Kaiser will be attending for Warren and Washington Counties.</p>	
<p>Next Meeting</p>	<p><i>The next meeting of the Children and Families Subcommittee is scheduled for Wednesday, January 15, 2019, 10-12noon at 230 Maple St. Glens Falls.</i></p>	<p>Adjourned at 12 Noon</p>

Minutes respectfully submitted by Crystal Lawrence, Secretary to the Boards