

**Mayview Steering Committee  
Meeting Summary  
February 20, 2009**

**Members Present:** Aidan Altenor, Karen Bennett, Kelly Burda, Tim Casey, Mary Jo Dickson, Mary Fleming, Darryl Holts, Carol Horowitz, David Jones, John Klenotic, Matt Koren, Pam Loaskie, Carol Loy, Edna McCutcheon, Chris Michaels, Gerard Mike, Brandi Mauck Phillips, Rick Rach, Carol Rico, Shirlee Hopper-Scherch, Janice Taper, Valerie Vacari, Patricia Valentine, Dean Virgili, Deb Wasilchak, Kim Welsh, Linda Zelch

**Members Absent:** Stephen Christian-Michaels, Laverne Cichon, Melissa Feragotti, Roger Haskett, Mary Jo Patrick-Hatfield, Emily Heberlein, Nancy Jaquette, Dave McAdoo, Karyl Merchant, David Miele, Mary Jeanne Serafin, Wes Sowers, Ken Thompson, Pat Tickle, Laura Steiner

**Others Present:** Katie Greeno, Jill Hultin

**1. State Operated Services Update**

- Monarch Springs LTSR - Presently has 11 residents, one individual has been discharged. The Program Director is on-site full time; programming is up and running. Challenges continue regarding consumers accessing their money; however efforts continue to correct this situation and spending money is being supplemented through the state. CTTs continue to be very involved with individuals. All on site visits with OMHSAS licensing staff have been positive.
- The search for a permanent site for the LTSR continues. The decision on zoning for the Rolling Hills facility in Baldwin Township is expected in early April, 2009. In addition to the Rolling Hills site, other possible options are being explored. Many things are being taken into consideration, including location, zoning, co-location with the Allegheny County Extended Acute Care (EAC) program, appropriateness of the facility, etc. The target date to end the temporary LTSR at Mayview is still end of June 2009.
- Specialized Support Homes – At the Bethel Park location, the 3 individuals doing well. CTT and ECCM are very involved with consumers. One individual has been referred to the Carnegie location. CST is working with the referred individual to assist in the transition to the small home. No move-in date has been set at this time. MBH plans to assign a supervisor to each small home to ensure consistency.
- Quality Management and Clinical Consultation Team (QMCC): Monitoring visits have begun. A total of 27 individuals were scheduled but only 19 were assessed during the period of January 20 through February 6, 2009. Four individuals refused to be seen by QMCC and four were not at home and will be rescheduled. Fifty visits are scheduled through the end of February with Allegheny and Beaver Counties. Teams reported that CSP follow up is occurring and community support is available in most areas. Areas identified for additional support have been addressed by the County liaison and/or through the treatment teams. Referrals to CST have been made and CST members have provided additional support

- CST – CST support activities have begun. Education needs to be provided to the community providers that CST services are available. Mary Jeanne Serafin and the CST team leader provided information at the Allegheny County providers meeting on February 13<sup>th</sup>. During the period of 1/10 to 2/8/2009, 12 encounters were scheduled and nine occurred. Areas of support included the following:
  - Assistance with PCP appointment
  - Spiritual Support
  - D&A support
  - In home support related to self injurious behavior
  - Job coaching
  - Support /education to nursing home staff related to ADL's
  - Assistance with transition of one individual who had very long term hospitalization at MSH

## **2. RCA / Sentinel Event Update**

- Dave Jones reported that since the January Steering Committee meeting there has been one new sentinel event in Allegheny County.
- The Committee discussed the importance of using the same definitions and language when discussing sentinel events and RCA activity moving forward.
- Deb Wasilchak reported that Community Care's RCA training for community providers was well attended and that additional internal training was provided for Allegheny County and Community Care staff. Webinar training is also in development. In addition, Community Care is working on a white paper for sentinel events and RCA which will be presented to the Steering Committee in the future.
- Linda Zelch reported that the State continues to work on the bulletin for a state-wide RCA policy.

## **3. Land Reuse Task Force**

- The Land Reuse Task Force met on February 19, 2009. It is expected that two more meetings will occur to draft the recommendations and finalize the report. It was reported that both task force chairs Senator Pippy and Representative Kotik stated that they would recommend in the task force proposal that the proceeds from the sale of Mayview be placed into an account to support the mental health community. The Committee discussed the potential for this stipulation applying to any subsequent sale of the property if there is a conveyance to South Fayette. The Committee discussed the next steps of reviewing drafts of the report as well as advocating for the legislation that will create MH account from the proceeds of the sale. All agree that it will be difficult legislation to pass.

## **4. Lessons Learned Discussion**

- Jill Hultin facilitated the continuation of the lessons learned activity for the Steering Committee members. The results of the "lessons learned" session will be distributed separately for review and additional discussion.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned. The next meeting is scheduled for Friday, March 20, 2009 at the **Airport Marriott**.