



Partnership for Child Health

ADHD Community Professionals Committee (ADHDCPC) Meeting MINUTES

Date: June 16, 2017

Time: 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

Meeting Location: Children’s Medical Services Building

910 N. Jefferson Street
Jacksonville, FL 32209
Conference Room,
2nd Floor

Attendees:

Barbara Brutschy, Director of Intake Services, Hope Haven

Heather Castillo, B.A., Partnership for Child Health, (Recording)

Teri Chenot, Ed.D, RN, Jacksonville University, Associate Professor - School of Nursing, Brooks Rehabilitation College of Healthcare Sciences

David Childers, M.D., Associate Professor Department of Pediatrics; Chief, Division of Developmental Pediatrics; Chief, Division of General Academic Pediatrics; Medical Director, Early Steps Program, University of Florida

Michael Justiss, Ph.D., OTR, Program Director & Associate Professor of Occupational Therapy- Brooks Rehabilitation College of Healthcare Sciences, Jacksonville University

AGENDA TOPICS

Agenda topic *Introductions/Announcements*

Meeting attendees introduced themselves. This was the final meeting for the ADHD Community Professionals Committee. A big “thank you” to all who participated.

Agenda topic *Review/Approval of 4/21/17 Minutes*

Dr. Teri Chenot in conjunction with Dr. Goldhagen and the Partnership for Child Health has proposed that an ADHD Community Professionals Committee (ADHDCPC) develop with an expressed purpose. We have now been meeting for a year.

Purpose: To review current services in the community for the emerging adult with ADHD and to identify any possible gaps in services for that population so there is an improvement in learning and health outcomes to promote their successful life transition.

Meeting minutes approved from April 21, 2017, with no corrections.

Agenda topic *Action Items completed/ Upcoming Events*

Dr. Teri Chenot: The Resource Guide, Outcomes Tracking and Directory are updated. These can be found on the Partnership for Child Health website as a resource for the community. Please visit: <http://partnershipforchildhealth.org/adhd/> for additional resources and information.

Dr. Childers: July 21st, presentation “10 Biggest Mistakes I Made in ADHD” at FAFP conference in Ft. Lauderdale.

2017 CHADD 29th Annual International Conference on ADHD will be in Atlanta, GA. November 9-12. Registration will open soon, please visit <http://www.chadd.org/training-events/annual-international-conference-on-adhd.aspx> for additional information and to register.

Agenda topic *Review of previous meetings-minutes available on Partnership website.*

1. Providers Subcommittee Meeting (9/16/16):

- Provision of care addressed – medically complex and medication management
- Referrals/handoff – major issue
- Patient/Family Education – IEP meetings; gap in disability issues; no standardized office/education checklist or designated staff to review.
- Reimbursement – issue
- Competing demands – time constraints
- Provider/staff education – gap in training
- Quality/Patient Safety issues – high risk behavior, self-medicate, Baker Acts
- Other – Social/environmental issues

2. Behavioral Health/Education/Support Services Subcommittee Meeting (1/13/17):

- *Behavioral Health (Community)* – Florida is 50th state for mental health funding; no Ph.D. Clinical Psychology programs in area nor are there concentration in ADHD training sites; recruitment challenge to the community; and ADHD/Addictions – is there professional training to address?
- *Behavioral Health (College)* – access to services on campus are usually more convenient than community; and parents and students underestimate the transition.
- *ADHD and Schools (K-12)* – need to teach self-advocacy; and education needed for staff including instructional support.
- *Support Services* – low attendance for CHADD support group; and there is a need for credentialed ADHD coaches. Need better promotion of CHADD, possibly a table at student orientation on college campuses.

3. Policy, Outcomes, and Solutions Subcommittee Meeting (4/21/17):

- *Exemplars and Innovation* – The Center for ADHD at the Cincinnati Children’s Hospital; Duke ADHD Clinic; and the University of North Carolina – Greensboro ADHD Clinic.
- *Policy* – CHADD Survey on Insurance Coverage and ADHD:
<http://www.chadd.org/Portals/0/PDFs/CHADD-Health-Insurance-Survey-Preliminary-Findings.pdf>

- *Solutions* – Family Practice; Parent Treatment; PMHNP programs at JU and UNF; and legal issues were addressed.
- *Research/Grants/Funding* – Funding is available; time constraints/staffing for research projects.
- *Dissemination of New Knowledge* – Outcomes Tracking Form provides evidence; Information on the Florida ADHD Initiative has been distributed to ADHD innovators globally.

Agenda topic *Strategize next steps*

- Hope Haven is in a time of transition, they are hiring new CEO. In the past, Hope Haven has been the “go to” place for ADHD. We will have to wait and see what direction Hope Haven will take after they hire a new CEO.
- *Locally* – contact stakeholders in the community to advocate for services.
- *Nationally* – Advocate to organizations such as the American Academy of Pediatrics, American Academy of Family Physicians, American College Health Association, and CHADD to promote a successful life transition and improve health outcomes for this population.
- Look at possible grant funding with a connection between HIV and ADHD.

Agenda topic *Consensus and Summarize*

The meetings created an awareness of the need to advocate for an expansion and integration of services for transitional youth with ADHD in the community.

Dr. Chenot will follow up with Vicki Waytowich and Dr. Jeff Goldhagen to provide a summary report of ADHD Committee.

Future ADHD Conferences:

1/12/18-1/14/18 APSARD, Washington, DC - <https://apsard.org/>

4/25/19-4/28/19 7th World Congress on ADHD, Lisbon, Portugal

<http://www.adhd-federation.org/adhd-world-federation/>

6th World Congress on ADHD – 2017 Program: <http://www.cpo-media.net/ADHD/Final2017/HTML/#>

Meeting adjourned at 11:15 am