



Partnership for Child Health

ADHD Community Professionals Committee (ADHDCPC) Meeting MINUTES

Date: June 17, 2016

Time: 11:00 am – 12:00 pm

Meeting Location: Aetna Building
*841 Prudential Drive
Jacksonville, FL 32207
UF Education Office
Conference Room,
Suite 1130 11th Floor
Conference Room*

Attendees:

Kristin Alberts, Ph.D., Jacksonville University, Director of Counseling Services

Barbara Brutschy, Director of Intake Services, Hope Haven (phone)

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

David Childers, Jr., M.D., University of Florida College of Medicine, Chief of Division of General Academic Pediatrics.

Marty Clark, Children's home Society, Training Specialist/Parent Educator, Early Head Start/Family Life Education Program

Denise Giarrusso, Florida State College at Jacksonville, Associate Director of Student Support Services (phone)

JoAnn Hoza, Ph.D., Baptist Behavioral Health, Psychologist

Rita Nathawad, M.D., Jacksonville HATS Director

Gail Roberts, Executive Director of Exceptional Education and Services, Duval County Public Schools

Dana Shprung, M.D., University of Florida, Pediatrics Resident

Carol Shutters, MBA, Partnership for Child Health-Program Administrator, (Recording)

Kristine Webb, Ph.D. University of North Florida, Professor: Department of Exceptional, Deaf, and Interpreter Education

AGENDA TOPICS

Agenda topic *INTRODUCTIONS*

Meeting attendees introduced themselves.

Agenda topic *PURPOSE/GOALS*

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.

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.

Agenda topic *Current Services/Gaps*

Participants described their current services:

Kristin Alberts: At Jacksonville University students who are emerging into adulthood who have ADHD are evaluated and receive help with interpersonal skills, disability support, referrals and advocacy. Efforts have been made to make services known through parent education and orientation. Barriers include medication management and students coming from out of state. There has been some question of utilizing interns for additional services and the possibility of providing a Psychiatrist that wants to focus on the ADHD population.

Rita Nathawad: JaxHats works with transition aged patients providing primary care and wraparound services.

JoAnn Hoza: Baptist behavioral health provides services for adults with ADHD.

Marty Clark: Children's Home Society works with the schools and provides services to early head start. They provide training for parents, caregivers, and educators.

Kristine Webb: University of North Florida provides training to teachers. They have a disability resource center and coordinate academic accommodations.

David Childers: Dr. Childers has a medical home that sees children up to 18. They identify the parents who have ADHD and recommend treatment for them. Dr. Childers has recognized that ADHD is often hereditary and that effective adult diagnosis and treatment can have a positive outcome on quality of life.

Barbara Brutschy: (phone) Hope Haven see children up to 18. Often have young adults come back for assistances with resources because they can be hard to fine. Hope Haven's goal is to help ADHD high school seniors know how to self-advocate.

Gail Roberts: (phone) The School system works with the ADHD students that need intervention. Services can be provided through age 22. Students can receive a standard diploma or receive services for an extended time.

Denise Giarrusso: (phone) Florida State College has 5 campuses and provides training for all faculty. They provide services to self-identified students at admission. Accommodations are made to remove barriers. They are in the process of developing online supports. Often adult students are newly diagnosed in the academic setting.

Teri Chenot: Jacksonville University recently provided a faculty workshop with ADHD training and makes provision of resources through the Student Life program and a Center for Student Success which provides tutors.

Dana Shprung: As a University of Florida Pediatrics Resident Dana is interested in the ADHD population and attended the meetings to see how needs are being addressed.

Participants identified gaps in available services:

- The adult medical community is not equipped to diagnosis and treat ADHD.
- ADHD Coaches are needed to provide positive behavioral support services.
- Medicaid coverage does not cover the necessary intervention.
- Continuing education needs to provide CMEs as incentives to keep up with the rapid changes in ADHD research.

Agenda topic *ADHDCPC Draft Proposal (see handout)*

The initiative proposal draft was reviewed and assignments were made for subcommittee leaders.

Meeting 2: Providers Subcommittee will be led by Teri Chenot and possibly someone from St. Vincent's, family practice or Mental Health Resource Center.

Meeting 3: Behavioral Health/Education-Schools and Colleges/Support Services Subcommittee will be led by JoAnn Hoza, Kristin Alberts (Behavioral Health/Counseling), Gail Roberts (Schools), and Marty Clark (Support Services).

Meeting 4: Policy, Outcomes, and Solutions Subcommittee will be led by Teri Chenot (Exemplars and Innovation) and Jeffery Goldhagen (Policy).

Meeting 5: ADHDCPC Initiative Wrap-Up will be led by Teri Chenot

Agenda topic *Consensus and Next Steps*

Participants agreed that the initiative should take place and with the proposed meetings and topics. During the time of this initiative an ongoing committee contact list and resource directory will be developed, participants will share any funding sources or new knowledge, and report any enhancements of services as an outcome of this group.

Topics tabled for possible future discussion:

- Training for pediatricians
- Provision of CMEs
- Diversion
- Treatment
- Social/Environmental
- Coaches

Action items

1. **Carol Shutters**- Calendar future meetings.
2. **Denise Giarruso** – Research ADHD coaches and AHEAD upcoming national training.
3. **Marty Clark** – ask CHADD if they would like to participate in initiative.
4. **Teri Chenot/Carol Shutters** - Develop (Teri) and maintain a resource guide of existing services and specifics about each service provider (Carol).

Action items

5. **Gail Roberts** – develop a session on this topic for the 2017 Summer Institute.

Quarterly Meeting Dates: September 16, 2016; 11 – 12, Children’s Medical Services Conference Room
January 13, 2017; 10 – 12, Children’s Medical Services Conference Room
April 21, 2017; 10 – 12, Children’s Medical Services Conference Room
June 16, 2017; 10 – 12, Children’s Medical Services Conference Room