

SAN GABRIEL/POMONA REGIONAL CENTER

DEVELOPMENTALSERVICES, INC.

Minutes of the Meeting of the Client Services /Advisory Committee

March 24, 2021

A regular meeting of the Client Services/Advisory Committee was held on Wednesday, March 24, 2021. The following committee members were present at said meeting:

PRESENT

Pretti Subramaniam
Shannon Hines
Mary Soldato
Herminio Escalante
Julie Lopez

GUESTS:

None

STAFF:

Anthony Hill
Lucina Galarza
Daniela Santana
Erika Gomez
Elisa Herzog
Johnny Pang
Willanette Satchell
Erika Gomez

ABSENT:

Victor Guzman
Daniel Clancy
David Grisey (LOA)
John Randall
Sherry Meng
Ning Yang
Louis Jones
Sheila James
Jenny Needham
Ardena Bartlett

ITEMS DISCUSSED

CALL TO ORDER

Shannon Hines called the meeting to order at 6:06 pm
A quorum was not established.

The minutes of the January 27, 2021 and February 24, 2021s meetigs were tabled.

PUBLIC COMMENT – None

CLIENT ADVOCATE – Elisa Herzog was not present.

SPECIAL PRESENTATION – Signs and Symptoms of Mental Illness

Lucina Galarza, Director of Community Services, shared about the following:

- Statistics
- Depression
 - Public Figures who have/had Depression
 - DSM 5 Symptom for Depression
 - Presentation for someone with IDD
 - Treatment and Strategies
 - What symptoms of depression might look like for a person with IDD
- Bipolar Disorder
 - Public Figures who have/had Bipolar
 - DSM 5 Symptoms of Mania
 - Presentation in someone with IDD
 - Treatment Strategies
- Schizophrenia and other Psychosis
 - Psychosis
 - Public Figures who have/had Psychosis
 - Types of Psychosis
 - DSM 5 Symptoms of Schizophrenia
 - Presentation in someone with IDD
 - Treatment Strategies
- Anxiety Disorders
 - Public Figures who have/had Anxiety Disorders
 - Types of Anxiety Disorders
 - DSM 5 Symptoms of Generalized Anxiety Disorder
 - Presentation in someone with IDD
 - Treatment Strategies
- Personality Disorders
 - Public Figures who have/had Personality Disorders
 - Types of Personality Disorders
 - DSM 5 Symptoms of Borderline Personality Disorder
 - Presentation in someone with IDD
 - Treatment Strategies

FUTURE TRAINING TOPICS –The committee agreed on the following training topics:

- **April 28, 2021 – What is Family Home Agency?**
- **May 26, 2021 – CAL ABLE**
- **June 23, 2021 – Dental Desensitization Program**

BEHAVIORAL INTERVENTION POLICIES

The committee reviewed the policies last year but when Covid 19 hit, the committee did not present it to the Board for approval. This agenda item was tabled. It will be reviewed at the next meeting.

SELF DETERMINATION

The Self Determination Program is set to open up for all as on June 7, 2021. Tonight, after this meeting, the Board of Directors will receive a presentation on the Education Spectrum. On the SG/PRC website there is a learning module available. The State gave this program \$77,000 and \$40,000 was allocated for Education Spectrum. There are meetings on the second Tuesday of the month and in April, it will be decided where the remainder of the money will go.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT -Anthony Hill, Executive Director

Mr. Hill, Executive Director and staff shared the following:

- Intake and Early Start assessments are operating fully.
- Vaccine Place of Distribution-
 - SG/PRC will become a testing site. The soft rollout is scheduled for April 7, 2021.
 - Los Angeles County will use SG/PRC as a vaccine site on April 8, 2021.
 - Staff are working with Albertson's Pharmacy for the possibility of hosting a vaccine clinic.
 - Staff are working with Western University; they will provide links a couple of days before being released to LA county.
 - Staff have asked Cal Poly for prioritization with vaccine links and have offered SG/PRC to be vaccination site.
- COVID -19 Report – Joe Alvarez provided individual stats on COVID-19; spoke about the trends of positive and negative cases.

ADJOURN

Chairperson Shannon Hines adjourned the meeting.

The next Client Services/Advisory Committee meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, April 28, 2021 via videoconference.