

Disability Services Advisory Council

Minutes

Monday, September 25, 2017, 12:30 pm - 2:30 pm Lincoln Bldg, Columbia Room, 421 SW Oak St, PDX

Facilitator: Michael Thurman

| Agenda Item | Purpose | Lead | Next Steps and Action Items |
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| Welcome & Ice Breaker activity | Joe Vanderveer (phone), Ashley Carroll, Barb Rainish, Felicia Eckstein, Grace E Reed, Michael Thurman, Robbie Noche, Steve Weiss, Patty Arviza, Michael Elston, Rai McKenzie. Rebecca Miller & Cheri Becerra - ADVSD staff | | |
| Approve September agenda and August minutes | Administrative | Michael Thurman | Motion to approve August minutes- approved. Motion to approve agenda-approved. |
| New member welcome Rai McKenzie Michael Elston | Welcome new applicants, ask questions, and vote | Rebecca Miller & Michael Thurman | Introductions were made. Vote for membership, Rai and Michael, all in favor - passed. |
| Activities Update | Inform & determine action | Barb - NEMT Steve/ADVSD - Advocacy | Barb - Non emergency medical transport (NEMT). No meeting since we last met. Next meeting Oct 4th 1-3 PM McCoy building. Any questions you may contact <u>Ashleys@gridworks.us</u> |

Next DSAC Meeting: Monday, October 23, 2017, 12:30-2:30pm Pine Room

 Steve- Need to advocate against the Repeal and Replace Affordable Care Act, there has been a recent revision. • Steve-IP301-Cuts to medicaid.Rep Julie Parrish is pushing this to become a ballot measure. • Steve-Bill in Congress trying to cut Social Security (SSI) payments. Disability Rights of OR is advocating against this. Please check https://droregon.org/ for more info. • As a group it was decided to draft a letter to our local senators and/or congressman about Single-Payer Medicare. Steve will shape letter, Grace will compose a personal story and they will get those to Rebecca to finalize and place on

| | | | letterhead. |
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| Advisory Council membership & training opps | Review current demographics of membership and identify gaps Review training opps & needs | Rebecca Miller with group | 3 Webinars available for members to take. Oct 3, 17 and Nov 14 all at 11AM. Justice in Aging Website New members will have someone in touch about completing background check. DSAC training - done with Rebecca in a group or individually. Rebecca sending out a Doodle poll to decide on time to have training. ADVSD new employee orientation - 4 hour training showing full array of our services. Advocacy training will be happening occasionally concerning different topics. Rebecca discussed demographics of membership in our group |

| | | | and next steps for recruitment: Neighborhood Assoc. in Mid County - Mike to help Rebecca with using Nextdoor app. Distribute recruitment brochures to all but West case managed client via case managers. Albina Community Center. |
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| Pilot Program for DSAC-driven Community Needs Assessment | Discussion/decision regarding possible Ad Hoc Committee | Michael/group | Table for next time Info will go out with next Agenda. |
| Public Comment, announcements, new business | Hold space for public to address DSAC or share other information | Michael Thurman | No public comment |
| October agenda and actions | Review items for clarity and accountability & determine projects | Cheri Becerra | Guest speaker: Elizabeth O'Neill, ADVSD Participant experience project Joint Office on Agenda Robbie info on Peer Specialist 55+ Arrange room for webinars and get info sent out. |

| A di avuta | Schedule time for Lee Girard or Joe Easton(confirmed for October) to present to the committee re: LTSS Request from SUA that advisory boards discuss and email responses to publichealth.policy@stat e.or.us concerning the following questions: What does well being mean to you? What does it take for your community to be healthy? |
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| Adjourn | Michael Thurman |