

Missouri Eating Disorders Council Minutes

January 25, 2021

Council Members Present:

Annie Seal
 Heidi Strickler
 Valerie Huhn
 Paul Polychronis
 Stephanie Bagby-Stone
 Rebecca Lester
 Jenny Copeland
 Rachel Jones
 Carla O'Connor
 Del Camp
 Senator Bill White

Council Members Absent:

Kim McCallum
 Ginny Ramseyer-Winter
 Marjorie Cole
 Eric Martin
 Beth Harrell
 Janet Clevenger
 Denise Wilfley
 Stephanie Flynn

Department of Mental Health Staff:

Rosie Anderson-Harper
 Lori Franklin
 Connie Hardin

Guests:

Ellen Fitzsimmons-Craft
 Marie-Laure Firebaugh
 Vicki Schollmeyer
 Amy Jones

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION/FOLLOW-UP NEEDED
Welcome/Introductions	Welcome by A. Seal. L. Franklin mentioned to everyone to email C. Hardin if on the call for attendance purposes.	
Approval of Minutes	Members reviewed November 25 th minutes. Motion to approve minutes by S. Bagby-Stone approved and C. O'Connor seconded the motion. Members approved minutes.	
Upcoming Training	A. Seal would like to put a task force together to discuss a new Council project that would identify the treatment team and training required for healthcare professionals if we were to get EDs reclassified as serious mental illnesses. D. Camp will lead this team. Email A. Seal if interested in joining. Monthly trainings will continue to be virtual. S. Bagby-Stone is working with the Missouri Telehealth Network (MTN) on planning an Eating Disorder Extension for Community Healthcare Outcomes (ECHO). MTN operates Show-Me ECHO, which connects community providers with experts, building virtual learning and mentoring collaborative efforts to increase capacity for care. A tentative start is sometime in the Spring/Fall of 2021. S. Bagby-Stone will keep the Council updated at future meetings.	

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<p>Funding</p> <p>Next Meeting</p>	<p>Previously cut funds for the EDC have been re-instated. We need to get DMH final approval for the budget and will have discussions with DMH fiscal staff V. Schollmeyer and A. Jones.</p> <p>The next meeting will be a conference call on Monday, March 22, 2021, from 11:00 am to 11:30 am.</p>	