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## **CICS Children's Advisory Committee Meeting**

**10/6/2021**

**Present:** Karie Foster, Kendra Alexander, Lori Price, Emilea Lundberg, Shirley Faircloth, Dr. Jack Swanson, Matthew Benson, Lisa Heddens. CICS Staff: Robin McKee, Patti Leeds, Aimee Lenth. Others: Cindy Duhrkopf, Debra Schrader.

**Welcome and Introductions:** The meeting was called to order at 12:00 pm.

**Approval of the 10/6/2020 agenda:** Motion to approve the agenda made by Lisa Heddens, seconded by Karie Foster. All ayes, motion carried.

**Approval of the 4/7/2020 minutes:** Motion to approve the minutes by Lisa Heddens, seconded by Karie Foster. All ayes, motion carried.

Robin McKee gave an update on the four new counties that joined CICS on July 1, 2021. These counties included Cerro Gordo, Hancock, Webster and Wright.

Patti Leeds talked about the YSS projects and gave an update on mobile crisis in the new counties. She spoke about the grant agreement with YSS – Youth Recovery Campus. The campus is in a nature setting and will be used for crisis stabilization, emergency shelter, residential, education and substance abuse recovery. The campus will be located in Cambridge, Iowa. YSS made a request for a \$10 million grant to CICS. They have also secured other funding as well and will be open by May 2023. Lisa Heddens mentioned that YSS is meeting with the county Planning and Zoning today. Dr. Jack Swanson asked if there would be outpatient services at the YSS campus in Cambridge.

Leeds stated that Performance Based Contracting is beginning January 1, 2022. CICS is working with DHS for requirements with Regions and DHS. Service plans are being submitted to DHS to make sure CICS is only paying for what we need and billing insurance and Title IX otherwise for emergency services and mobile crisis. CICS is working closely with providers to have measurable outcomes and fidelity.

Leeds also stated there are nine Evidenced Based Practice( EBP's) that are mandated by DHS. There will be a learning community set up for each of the EBP's. These include: ACT, Strength Based Case Management, Integrated Subacute and Mental Health, IPS, Family Psycho Education, Illness Management and Recovery, Permanent Supportive Housing, Positive Behavior Support for Adults/Positive Behavior Incentive Support, and Peer Support Self-help (Drop In).

From January 1, 2022 to June 30, 2022 – Training Resource Expertise. We will be working closely with providers to provide meaningful participation with the EBP's within all Regions. In January 2022 we will be reaching out to providers to partner with Regions to do Evidence Based Practice to Fidelity. This will then assist with drawing down state dollars.

Next meeting is scheduled for April 6, 2022.