

King County Community Collaborative- KC3

Voices of Change and Empowerment

March 28th, 2023

Virtual meeting

VISION

Together families, youth, communities, and systems will support opportunities to improve the resilience and recovery for all individuals who experience behavioral health challenges. Using an equity lens, we strive to acknowledge and address the disparities within all marginalized communities.

MISSION

Our mission is to create an inclusive space for our community to be heard. In sharing stories of lived experiences, we bring forward the needs, strengths, and opportunities of the current behavioral health system. By taking the challenges and addressing them collectively, we create system change and resolution.

Agenda

Welcome & Introductions: Cole

Invite you to share your name and your role in the chat

If this is your first time and would like to share who you are please feel free too.

Community Input and Concerns: CLIP approvals & Service Gaps

**Sara Waters spoke about the lack of options in our community and state for co-occurring disorders such as MH/SUD and MH/DD. With the gaps in these services, CLIP is the only placement.*

**Insurance companies will not pay for case aid in the home prior to clip.*

**Conversation with all-Many people are slipping through the cracks*

**Challenge and solution form was talked about.*

**Lack of respite in our community was also talked about by the group.*

Presentation: KC3 – Women's History Month

**LeChez gave a wonderful presentation. Followed by an open conversation*

Sharing Announcements, Updates: All are welcome to share

Update:

GPS

**Patty, spoke about the transition for the FYSPRT from King County to GPS.*

WSCC

**Karen, Open registration for the Child Behavioral Health Summit in Pasco May 1st 9-5*

**Parents and caregivers May 2nd 9-3 also in pasco / Register to apply for both on line*

**WSCC is hiring*



*Marcell and Antwaun from Inter Cultural Children and Families Service//Young Bulls Father's Academy, Program. Works with ages 18-24 fathers with mental health needs. Fathers must pass a UA to receive services.

*Antwaun Pines Case Manager 425-981-0590

Workgroups:

Needs Assessment / Workplan

Youth Engagement

*meets once a month

KC3 engagement Activity Time; Black History Jeopardy

Thank you for attending. Be safe, stay well. Next meeting April 25th, 2023



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Comfort Agreement

Stay on task

No side conversations

Cell phones on silent

Safe learning environment

Be willing to give and receive feedback

Lease your agency hat at the door. Bring your experience expertise and commitment.

Remember we all bring the best intentions to our work

Value everyone's opinion

Ask questions and check out your assumptions and thinking

Listen carefully

Let your voice be heard

Provide space to hear about immediate concerns

Seek common ground and action

Identify areas of continued debate and defer to another day

If dissenting, offer an alternative

Be clear about discussion versus decision-making

Start meetings on time

Observe time frames



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Regional FYSPRT

Safety Plan

If anyone during the meeting begins to feel uneasy or frustrated:

- First take a break, Leave the room if needed, and use the coping skills that are familiar to you
- Second reach out to support people in the room
- Third, Tri-leads will offer support to anyone who signals distress-emotionally or otherwise.
- Lastly, reach out to those in the room who have background n de-escalation (all Tri-leads, Convener, Mental Health Provider

KC3 Tri-leads will identify exits for members and attends will know how to safely exit the room if needed

KC3 members and attendees agree to be present, aware and know who in the room (i.e. Tri-leads, Metal Health Providers individuals trained in de-escalation).

KC3 Tri-leads and welcome committee will offer breaks to the group and individuals if conversations get heated or someone is signaling discomfort or distressed,

If Aggressive behavior is present and you have no experience with de-escalation techniques, please find an exit and leave the room.

- IF you do have de-escalation experience you may provide support if you feel comfortable with this. If you feel unsafe or prefer to not engage with an aggressive individual, please find safe space and/or exit the room.

Sharing Resources and information for Families
