

# Familiar Faces Steering Committee

## Meeting Summary

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*November 2, 2017, 9:00 - 10:30 am, Chinook Room 121 401 5th Avenue, Seattle*

**Members Present:** Heather Aman, Jesse Benet, Jason Bragg, Siobhan Brown, Brook Buettner, Caedmon Cahill, Jeanne Camelio, Chris Cates, Todd Clark, Megan Condon, Michelle Conley, Lisa Daugaard, Leandra Ebreo, Brigitte Folz, Chloe Gale, John Gilvar, Turina James, Andrew Kashyap, Mikel Kowalczyk, Tricia Madden, Daniel Malone, Patty Noble-Desy, Erika Pablo, Sola Pulmacher, Natalie Walton-Anderson, Sidney Wilson

**Guests Present:** Lee Thornhill, Carol Bell

**Staff Present:** Ian Steele

### **Grounding In** **9:00 a.m.**

- Brook Buettner led a brief grounding exercise based on a Dr. Hackman training.

### **Welcome and Introductions** **9:05 a.m.**

- Brook Buettner welcomed guests. Committee members and guests introduced themselves.

### **Jail Transition Workgroup Report** **9:10 - 9:20 a.m.**

- Important to rely on the rich insight provided by the Advisors
- Additional Steering Committee members or other allies that should be participating in the jail transition discussion:
  - Health and human services (Brook to follow up)
  - Public health (Brook to follow up)
  - Health services and ED (Brigitte to identify a contact at HMC ED)
  - South King County High Utilizer Group service providers (Brook or Chloe to follow up)
  - Law Enforcement- Seattle Police Department community police team (Mikel may have contacts)
- This workgroup will be helping plan Waiver funding as it comes in
- Next Meeting: update landscape and service map

### **Scaling Pockets of Excellence** **9:20 -9:45 a.m.**

- Healthcare for the Homeless Network
  - Ongoing topic of consideration: How can the Steering Committee leverage existing webs in a systems way in order to provide comprehensive resources
  - Recent HCHN RFQ elicited a lot of great work and areas for expansion in the system
- The HCHN delivery model requires a strong relationship and communication between community providers

- Outreach roles are important to engage with community members who need resources
  - Working in conjunction with outreach, a warm-handoff remains of paramount importance
- It is becoming abundantly important to glean quantitative information from both outreach efforts and the practical knowledge of managers
- It is important for different working groups to share data- shared data infrastructure and shared care plan
- Better communication and data sharing will lead to proper care coordination
- Ongoing issue of “where people will go;” appropriate respite, shelter and housing options
- Ongoing topic of consideration: How can the Familiar Faces Steering Committee team influence the trajectory of King County behavioral health integration discussions

### **Familiar Faces Future Vision**

**9:50 - 10:25 a.m.**

- The scope of Familiar Faces and its initiatives needs to own a larger portion of public consciousness
- A lack of political pressure from the community to alter the criminal justice landscape
  - Moreover, the general public has a tenuous understanding of the criminal justice system and what happens when someone is booked. Messaging about individuals involved in CJ system.
- More data on homelessness and the criminal justice system and how they are fused → shift a larger spotlight on the issues Families Faces hopes to tackle
  - John reports HCHN has done training with JHS staff on how to ask about and record homeless status which should improve data quality

### **Strategizing Policy Advocacy**

- Policy and budgetary priorities based on Familiar Faces issues
- Invite more fiscal and budgetary stakeholders into Familiar Faces conversations
- Underscore to decision makers the fact that there is significant amounts of money trapped in the criminal justice system → politically savvy to tackle these cost saving issues
- Steering Committee largely in agreement on key issues, question of who presents these issues to decision-makers
- Brook to follow up on the role of County employees in advocacy.

### **Meeting Themes**

- Coordination of Health and Human Services resources, especially in the context of physical and behavioral health integration
- Advocacy

### **Community Announcements**

**10:25 a.m.**

None.

## **Wrap Up and Adjourn**

**10:25 a.m.**

Next Familiar Faces Steering Committee Meeting: December 7, 2017, 9:00 – 10:30am,  
Chinook 121

Next Jail Transition Workgroup Meeting: Monday, December 4, 2017, 11:00am –  
12:30pm, Location TBD

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