

**ALCOHOL & DRUG POLICY COUNCIL (ADPC)**

**Criminal Justice Sub-Committee**

Meeting of December 2, 2020

Virtual TEAMS Meeting

PRESENT: Barbara Lanza, Katie Farrell, Sandra Violette, Bethany LaPierre, Bryan Habif, Christopher Burke, David Rentler, Ece Tek, John Doyle, Jenifer Jarsawich, Joseph Murgo, LaRue McNish, Lisa Blanchard, Lynn Madden, Michael Hines, Olga Castellanos, Rebecca Allen, Renee Dominguez, Rick Attice, Robert Lawlor, Sharlene Croteau, Danielle Ebrahimi, Inés Eaton

| <b>Topic</b>                   | <b>Discussion</b>  | <b>Action</b> |
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| <b>Introductions</b>           |  | Completed     |
| <b>Review of Minutes</b>       |  | Approved      |
| <b>Project MOHRE</b>           | <p>Project MOHRE is a collaboration between Yale and the APT Foundation to explore and suggest legal changes to improve the delivery of medication assisted treatment. It integrates HIV prevention and opioid use disorder treatment through medication assisted treatment.</p> <p>Project MOHRE completed a gap analysis, created a stakeholder group, identified priorities (criminal justice, harm reduction), and developed promising practices through learning collaboratives.</p> <p>Project MOHRE is looking to increase MAT options at DOC, focus on screening and treatment upon entry, and increase connections/communication to treatment providers at release.</p> |               |
| <b>Police Workgroup Update</b> | <p>DMHAS applied for a one year \$150,000 grant to enhance/develop a diversion program. BH Cares is a partner and has agreed to enhance their clinical mobile crisis from 5 pm to 8:30 am, add a peer navigator through telehealth, and do data collection. The partnership with local police departments and BH Cares will increase the availability for police to connect people with substance use problems to an entity that can screen and connect them to</p>  |               |

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|   | treatment as appropriate. The outcome of the grant will be decided in January 2021.   |  |
| <b>ATM Recommendation Update</b>          |   | Recommendation will be presented at the next ADPC meeting. |
| <b>Next Sub-Committee Meetings</b>        | 1 <sup>st</sup> Wednesdays of the month 1-2:30 pm TEAMS<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• January 6<sup>th</sup></li> </ul> |  |
| <b>Next scheduled meeting of the ADPC</b> | Tuesday December 15, 2020 at 10 am  |  |