

**ALCOHOL & DRUG POLICY COUNCIL (ADPC)**  
**Criminal Justice Sub-Committee**  
Meeting of October 27, 2017  
Court Support Services Division

**PRESENT:** Dr. Kathleen Maurer, Julie Revaz, Katie Farrell, Michael Hines, Bryan Habif, Brian Austin, Det. Jenifer Yarsawich, Sharlene Croteau, Christopher Burke, Lisa Secondo, Lori Stanczyc, Amy Lefebvre, Loel Meckel, Inés Eaton

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<b>Introduction and Meeting Schedule</b>	<p>The group agreed to invite other agency representatives, such as DEA and DCP (for the Prescription Monitoring Program).</p> <p>The ITBD in New Britain was suggested as another meeting location. Most had no objections to meet at CSSD in Wethersfield.</p>	<p>Ines Eaton and Loel Meckel will discuss in the ADPC planning call and request that invitations be forwarded to additional representatives.</p>
<b>Participant Updates</b>	<p>CSSD will hold an opioid symposium on Friday November 3<sup>rd</sup> for CSSD staff. Members of the CJ sub-committee are invited to attend.</p> <p>The State Attorney's Office is piloting an early screening initiative in Bridgeport and Waterbury. Cases may be diverted or resolved within a few appearances. Restitution, referral to services, or charges being nolle are options. A resource coordinator and per diem prosecutors are available to screen and process cases. Certain charges are excluded from early screening. PA 17-205 will expand the pilot.</p> <p>Through a grant received by DCF, a new treatment model will be offered to adolescents and young adults. ASSERT Treatment Model (ATM) combines Multi-Dimensional Family Therapy, MAT, and Recovery Management Check-ups. The service will begin in February for the following DCF offices catchment areas: Norwich DCF (UCFS), Willimantic DCF (UCFS), Waterbury/Danbury/Torrington DCF (CJR), and New Britain/Meriden DCF (WC). ATM will be available to all that meet criteria including those being diverted or re-entering from the justice system.</p> <p>COPS grant is funding a clinician to be paired with state police in southeastern region.</p>	<p>Julie Revaz will forward details of event.</p> <p>Brian Austin will provide data on the pilot, especially data related to those with substance use problems.</p>

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PA 17-131/HB 7052 Workgroup Update	<p>The group has met a couple of times. A survey was developed and sent to police departments asking if there are diversions to treatment programs and who is the lead. For example, Enfield has a practice when there is an overdose. The police and ambulance respond. The police officer follows up a day or so later to find out if the person engaged in treatment.</p> <p>Other options to obtain information on diversion to treatment program were discussed. OPM suggested including questions specific to diversion in future Requests for Proposals (RFP).</p>	The workgroup will continue to meet and will draft the report.
DOC Projects and Initiatives	<p>An update was provided regarding the status of each area:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MAT in Bridgeport and New Haven jails-ongoing</li> <li>• Expansion of MAT in Hartford Correctional Center</li> <li>• Expansion of MAT in York</li> <li>• Expansion of MAT in Somers</li> <li>• Replicate and Expand Living Free program in New Britain-2017</li> </ul> <p>Recommendation: build a statewide re-entry MAT program for those involved with CSSD and DOC, both in facilities and in the community.</p>	
Overview of Sequential Intercept Model	A handout on the Sequential Intercept Model (SIM) was distributed. "SIM was developed to inform community based responses to the involvement of people with mental disorders in the criminal justice system.	
Justice System Inventory of Services	An inventory of services and pilot programs will be developed for both adults and juveniles. It was suggested that services offered through those in the sub-committee be included first, then add community services.	Loel Meckel will draft two Excel spreadsheets that reference SIM, for juvenile and criminal systems. Participants will begin to add programs and pilots to the spreadsheets.
Recommendations	Lisa Secondo suggested that the ADPC recommend that the state convene an Opioid Fatality Review Task Force to inform state policy regarding opioids. Maryland has such a task force.	Ines Eaton and Loel Meckel will discuss in the ADPC planning call. The recommendation may be better developed in a different subcommittee.
Next Sub-Committee Meeting	November 13, 2017 9 am at CSSD	
Next scheduled meeting of the ADPC	December 19 <sup>th</sup> 10 am Legislative Office Building Room 1D	