

Agenda CJPAC Research Workgroup

March 11th, 2009
10:00 AM to 12:00 Noon
Connecticut Valley Hospital (CVH), Merritt Hall, Sid Finkelstein Room
Middletown, CT 06457

1. Acceptance of the February Minutes

2. Agency Updates:

IMPORTANT: To assist with the Minutes of these meetings, **please bring at least two (2) hardcopies of your agency update and email final agency reports** after the meeting. Thank you.

DPS	CSSD
Court Operations	DOC
DMHAS	BOPP

3. Monthly Indicators Report

Update on the 6-Month Forecasting and this month's report

4. Connecticut Correctional Population Forecasting Model

Follow-up with Dr. Pablo Martinez on the development of the Connecticut Forecasting Model CTMODEL 1.0; Dr. Martinez plans to be in Connecticut next week. Missing data components.

5. Annual 2009 Reports Published On Time

Congratulations Everyone! The 2009 Connecticut Recidivism Study and the 2009 Annual Correctional Population Forecast Report were published **on time** (February 15, 2009). OPM/CJPPD Research staff provided a brief presentation on these Annual Reports and the valuable efforts of the CJPAC Research Workgroup at the February 19th Criminal Justice Policy Advisory Commission (CJPAC) meeting.

6. BOPP Monthly Report: Training and Documentation

Jerry Stowell's contract will be ending June 30, 2009. During this transition, Jerry is working with OPM to document the step by step process for producing these BOPP/DOC Monthly reports so that staff at both DOC and/or BOPP can maintain their information going forward. OPM is also scanning all available past documents to preserve the historical data for future use see DRAFT webpage at <http://www.ct.gov/opm/cwp/view.asp?a=2976&Q=433798&PM=1>.

7. Reentry in Connecticut: Partners in Progress

Congratulations to the Department of Correction and the Board of Pardons and Paroles for their success in hosting this event on February 24-26, 2009 at the Cheshire Maloney Center. Cheryl Cepelak will provide a brief overview. Pat Hynes will share his thoughts on assessments tools.

8. Other Information Sharing

DRAFT Collaborative Research Projects
Collaborative Data Requests for Research Purposes
DOC Mitigation Measures/Earner Credit Risk Reduction Program – Fred Levesque
CJIS project; Coordination efforts with the Executive Director Sean Thakkar
JRSA/BJs Computerized Criminal History (CCH) RFP and Re-entry Studies for OPM

Meeting Schedule –

- Apr 08, 2009 – Court Operations, 225 Spring St., Rm. 204, Wethersfield
- May 13, 2009 – CVH, Page Hall, Middletown
- Jun 10, 2009 – CSSD, 4th Floor Conference Rm., Wethersfield
- Jul 08, 2009 – CVH, Page Hall, Middletown
- Aug 12, 2009 – DPS, 1111 Country Club Rd, Rm. 252, Middletown
- Sep 09, 2009 – DOC, MacDougall-Walker, 1153 East St. South, Suffield