



WORKFORCE COMMITTEE: DEC. 9, 2019 9 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

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Committee Members: Chair, Don Erickson, Amber Ziring, Julie Scholz, Sarah Patto, Galli Murray, Jill Baker, Deborah Martin, Stephanie Willard, David Westbrook, Kirk Wolfe, Jill McAllister

Time	Topic/Who	How	Notes/Attachments
9:00	Welcome Approve previous minutes	Round robin Review Action Items	November Minutes
9:10	Continuing Education	Refer to SMART GOAL Update on Progress Review list of behavioral health licensing boards. Assign reviewers of papers	SMART GOALS (see below the table) Outreach Plan Draft (Attached) Licensing Boards (Attached) Assign for Review: Interviews: Don Erickson, Julie Scholz, Galli Murray Making the Case: Workplace Training
10:00	Committee Description	Review/Revise if needed	Current: The Workforce Development Committee is responsible for researching and recommending programs to improve the skills of physical health providers, those serving people with mental health and substance use challenges, and school staff.
10:15	Set next agenda		
10:30	Adjourn		



SMART GOALS BELOW

YSIPP Element: Objective 6.2 Provide training to mental health and substance abuse providers on recognition, assessment and management of at-risk behavior, and the delivery of effective clinical care for those with suicide risk. (See also Objective 6.2c re requiring training)				
Strategic Priority	Action Steps	Who (Specific names will be added as tasks assigned)	Completed By	Measurable
By the end of June 2021, get legislation passed requiring the behavioral health workforce to take continuing education units on suicide assessment, intervention and management.	Review legislative concept submitted in 2019 session and revise if necessary	Workforce Committee	January 1, 2020	Legislative concept complete. Approval by Alliance members.
	Meet with key behavioral health providers and their organizations to gain support for legislation and address concerns.	Workforce Committee	September 30, 2020	Documentation of meetings and number of contacts
	Meet with legislators (starting with Alliance members) to present the concept and find sponsor(s) for the bill	Workforce Committee	June 30, 2020	Bill sponsor obtained.



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	Work with legislative counsel on drafting the bill	Workforce Committee	September 30, 2020	Bill drafted
	Bill introduced.	Workforce Committee	February 1, 2021	
<p>YSIPP Element Goal 2 and Objective 2.1 a Develop, implement and evaluate communication efforts designed to prevent suicide by changing knowledge, attitude and behaviors. And Objective 4.2 Encourage community-based setting to implement effective programs and provide education to promote wellness and prevent suicide.</p>				
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Develop resource papers and case studies as a resource to employers (especially employers of youth in higher risk industries) to use in developing workforce suicide prevention training.	Research and write the papers	AOCMHP	Sept. 30, 2019	Papers completed and reviewed.



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	Post papers on the Alliance website	AOCMHP	Nov. 15, 2019	Papers posted on Alliance website.
	Disseminate as resource to regional coalitions	AOCMHP/Committee Members	June 30, 2020	Documentation of outreach and dissemination to coalitions.
	Share with employers in industries that employ young people and are known to be higher risk for suicide.	AOCMHP/Committee Members	June 30, 2020	Documentation of outreach and dissemination to employers and business associations.