



**Multnomah County Behavioral Health Division
Bi-Weekly COVID Impact Provider Meeting**

Meeting Agenda/Notes: 1/27/2021

COVID-19 Vaccine Updates	
<p>Leticia Sainz, Behavioral Health Division Deputy Director, reiterated that BHD is following Public Health's lead on vaccine-related procedures and processes, and is able to pass along any questions to those who can best answer them. There are tracking systems in place for those who had received dose one and will be eligible to receive dose two, although there may be differences in how information regarding dose two is communicated, depending on what entity administered the first dose. Those in group 1A are still getting vaccinated, along with the newly eligible in group 1B. There are still categories of providers that may not yet be eligible, however, if providers have not heard back from about when vaccines may become available, they should reach out to the AD team at any time. Providers on the call noted that there may be opportunities available through other entities outside the county, including through Kaiser, Legacy, and OHSU.</p> <p>Please email the public health email inbox for any provider questions specific to vaccine roll out: covidvaccineinfo@multco.us</p>	
Provider Updates	
4D – Tony Vezina	Permits were issued for the opening of 4D's downtown Gresham recovery center. The center is expected to be open and operating in approximately a month. 4D is currently looking to establish local partnerships with the new center. Adrian will send out a form to Elizabeth if anyone is interested in filling that out.
Alano Club – Gina Helvie	Alano will be opening on February first for limited-sized in-person meetings. PPE needs are anticipated. There is currently one in person recovery gym cross fit class held each week, there will be a second starting the week of February 1. Class size is limited and sign up will be done online. Alano will maintain the seven daily online recovery meetings that are currently taking place. Tiffany will reach out to assist. Elizabeth will make sure that Gina is added to the google group of Multco Providers.
Christina Anderson - VOA	No changes to COVID protocols and no PPE needs. MRC is moving towards a new admission day of February first. There are currently two beds at Harry Watson and women's house. Thanked the county for the mobile vaccines that have been provided for residential clients
Eric Martin - MHACBO	Working with Tony of 4D to provide COVID training for the recovery community state wide. MAAPS has a half time employee that goes out to recovery meetings to distribute PPE and review COVID best

	practices at recovery meetings around the tri county. Currently outreach is focused on smaller meetings that have fewer resources. Anyone that knows of a center that needs support can reach out via email or phone: Eric@MHACBO.org, 503-231-8164
Mitch Doig – Bridges to Change	Club Hope is currently running some drop-in services at a limited capacity which includes: Showers (Mon, Wed, Fri) Laundry (Tue, and Thurs) Peer Support Resource Connection The peer support line (971-256-4135) continues to be the best point of contact for those that do have a phone but we have resumed some drop-in capabilities to serve those without that resource. Drop in hours for Monday-Friday are 9-3pm but with safety precautions in place, such as windows for certain services to allow sanitizing between services. 21440 SE Stark St, Gresham, OR 97030.
Kitty - VPGR	The Hope program is running and continuing with digital and some in person mentor services. One peer holds a smart recovery meeting at 4D on MLK. Smart is open to those with all types of compulsive behavior – between 5 and 7 pm. Hosted by the Young Adult Specialist.
Julia Mines – Miracles Club	Despite a scare two weeks ago, there have been no cases so far at Miracles Club. No PPE needs. Miracles is open and has added some meetings and will be making a currently temporary meeting permanent. The restaurant is open for takeout only. There is an opening in the men's transitional house. Any referrals need to have a PO or CM through another program, they have to be clean and sober, and have to be practicing some kind of recovery. 6 months to one year of rent is free, but the individual is expected to have a job after 3 months and save \$350 per month and need to be able to have a bank account or confirm that the money is added monthly. Email Julia for Men's Transition house referral email me julia@miraclesclub.org
Jerrod Murray – Painted Horse	Painted horse is continuing to assist with COVID best practices, including an informational COVID safety video for the native American community. Hoping to be open and running in 3 months.
Janie - MHAOO	MHAOO- Fully staffed Crisis Counselling FEMA program that provides culturally responsive peer support Black/AA and Native American community. Providing peer services and have some capacity to support basic needs like rent or utilities. Looking for places to conduct outreach and for resource connection with regards to COVID. Peerpocalypse is scheduled for May. To refer people, email program coordinator @ https://www.mhaoforegon.org/evolve
Valerie Warden - ABC TEAM	ABC team is taking referrals, meeting clients in the community as needed. ABC can also help clients transitioning between levels of care. Use this link for referrals to ABC: https://multco.us/behavioral-health/addictions-benefit-coordination