

Winona Navigator Network

A Workgroup of the CJCC Early Intervention & Prevention Committee
Teams
6/13/23

Introductions:

Attendance: Rachel Stoll, Jackie Henderson, Bill Moe, Rebecca Lundeen, Stacy Shones (presenter), Kalene Engel, Katie Schild, Chris Meyer, Shannon Sullivan, Susan Henry, Marissa Gerke, Allyssa Passel, Veronica (ACW)

Summary of Workgroup context and purpose:

A Sequential Intercept Map (SIM) Workshop was held in March 2021 which identified criminal justice system gaps for persons with mental health and/or substance abuse issues. The Navigator Network and six other workgroups were formed to address some of these gaps. This workgroup reports to the Early Intervention and Prevention (EIP) Committee which reports to the CJCC Main Council. The purpose of the Navigator Network is to bring together people who assist others in “navigating” services or supports so that they can share experiences and information and serve as a resource and support to each other.

Organizational Announcements:

- HUB: Coordinator is hired- Rachel is staying on as manager (part-time), new Coordinator Jackie Henderson will be doing daily operations work once she is trained in.
- Career Force: will begin to do drop-in resume and job search services Thursdays starting on 6/22/23 from 1-4 on the second floor of the Library for resume help
- WRAP+ grant has been granted a no cost 1 year extension (now can continue until September 30th 2024)
- Advocacy Center of Winona: ARPA grant that paid for Veronica’s position has also been granted an extension and Veronica's position has been fully funded going forward.
- Starting on June first, everyone on Felony probation or supervised release will be eligible to vote

Guest Speaker:

PossAbilities: Individualized Home Support and Respite: IHSR (also offered by HCO and Legacies also offer in Winona but both have waitlists right now). This is offered for persons with disabilities to pay a parent to be a caregiver or can work with PossAbilities to find a caretaker to pay to come in and help. Persons who need services organize their own program and PossAbilities organizes the institutional support like payroll etc.