

COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS PARTNERSHIP PROGRAMS AND SERVICES WORKGROUP MEETING MINUTES

WHEN: MARCH 25, 2021 FROM 10:00AM – 12:00M

WHERE: MICROSOFT TEAMS VIRTUAL MEETING

PRESENT:

Janene Grigsby (Chair)	Esquivel, Ashley	Molleson, Daniel	Stewart, Darryl
Brewster, Jamie	French, Nancy	Moody, Denise	Turner, Charles
Brooks, Rodney	Guillory, Stacey	Moses, Jean	Zatcoff, Tyler
Conner, Shauna	Ibalio, Fidencio	Oddie, Sarah	Additional Guests: 3
Eady, Rashad	Johnson, Shemila	Reed, Angela	
Eaglin, Justin	Khan, Shereen	Reta, David	
Eddy, Charlie	Mason, Joey	Russel, Carolyn	

I. INTRODUCTIONS

II. REVIEW AND APPROVE MEETING MINUTES – Meeting minutes from February 25, 2021 were reviewed and approved as written

III. SANTA RITA JAIL TABLET PROJECT – Justin Eaglin, Acting Unit Supervisor, PRCS Adult Field Services

- A. Visitation has been suspended at Santa Rita due to COVID-19; to cover the gap in provider services, clients are being given tablets tied to the jail phones and can be used for 3 calls
- B. Flyers have been shared with the Probation clients, and if successful, will then go to non-Probation clients
- C. Service providers are being given Probation office space, and each provider will have a designated time and space to use for meeting with their clients via the tablets; service providers can contact Justin Eaglin (jeaglin@acgov.org) and Director Henzi (chenzi@acgov.org) to be added to the list for space and time
- D. There is still no word yet on when visitors will be allowed to enter the jail

IV. A SAFE PLACE REENTRY PROGRAM – Carolyn Russell, Executive Director and Denise Moody, Reentry Case Manager

- A. A Safe Place was initially established in downtown Oakland as a place for battered women; it also has a confidential emergency location
- B. The reentry program began because many women who are part of the reentry community are domestic abuse survivors; often domestic abuse survivors are arrested for defending themselves
- C. Most survivors have a need for mental health services; A Safe Place provides those services, taking them directly from Santa Rita, and focusing their work on reducing the client's trauma
- D. A Safe Place's hotline gets calls for shelter and other services, including mental health crisis; clients are housed in a motel program and their needs are assessed; there are resources for men and children
- E. Twice a year there is a 40-hour domestic violence training program for professionals and volunteers; Mental health services are located at the Community Center; serve both adults and children
- F. Deep East Oakland has the most cases of domestic violence in Alameda County; A Safe Place is working with youth on the issue

G. A Safe Place has connections to transitional housing, but housing is still a huge challenge; it's important for providers to work together on services, especially housing; Denise Moody can be reached at dmoody@asafeplace.org

V. PROGRAMS AND SERVICES WORKGROUP PURPOSE

- A. Goals of the Public Safety Realignment Act, AB 109: (1) reduce the prison population, (2) reduce recidivism, and (3) reduce corrections spending
- B. The Community Corrections Partnership (CCP) was tasked with developing a Realignment plan and the Community Corrections Partnership Executive Committee (CCPEC) was tasked with oversight, implementation and assessment of the plan
- C. CCPEC Workgroups:
 - 1. Data and information Management Workgroup: Design and develop a comprehensive, integrated data management system that allows tracking of individuals, outcomes, and costs
 - 2. Fiscal and Procurement Workgroup: Develop an annual Realignment allocation plan and procedures for effective and efficient procurement
 - 3. Process and Evaluation Workgroup: Define and develop the plan for, implementation, and evaluation of, Realignment activities in Alameda County
 - 4. Programs and Services Workgroup (P&SW): Ensure availability of, and access to, effective, results-oriented services for Realignment populations from the continuum of charging through successful reentry
 - 5. P&SW Objectives: Catalogue existing programs and services; Identify service barriers; Fill gaps and augment existing services; Increase effectiveness and enable reporting of county-wide EBP's by enhancing and supporting the use of EBP's across all agencies and providers; Expedite service delivery to improve outcomes and facilitate and support reentry and rehabilitation
- D. New Program Ideas: Evaluate current programs and needs to identify gaps; identify clear program goals and target population; ideas go from the P&SW to another CCPEC Workgroup (if needed), then to the Community Advisory Board, the CCPEC and Board of Supervisors; Project development, contracting and implementation begin after approval
- E. Discussion:
 - 1. There's a role for the P&SW to have an on-going agenda item around the work of the CCP and implementation of the Adult Reentry Strategic Plan; the P&SW can play a role in monitoring the implementation process since the CCP does not meet as regularly

VI. CURRENT AB-109 FUNDED ACTIVE PROGRAMS AND PROGRAMS IN DEVELOPMENT

VII. NEXT MEETING

A. Thursday, May 27, 2021 from 10 AM - 12PM

VIII. ANNOUNCEMENTS

- A. Current CAB Vacancies: District 1: (2), District 2: (0), District 3: (0), District 4: (1), and District 5: (0)
- B. If you have items you would like to submit for distribution, please refer to the [Communication Protocol](#) document for details and email: reentryinfo@acgov.org
- C. No public comment

IX. Meeting adjourned at 11:18 a.m.