

Magellan Behavioral Health of Nebraska, Inc.  
Collaborating for Kids

April 20, 2016, 2:30 pm – 4:00 pm  
Magellan Goldenrod Conference Room

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Committee Chair: Lisa Casullo  
Minutes prepared by: Amanda Stratman

| Participants     | Capacity/Affiliation                                                  |
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| Amanda Stratman  | Peer Support Specialist, Magellan Behavioral Health of Nebraska       |
| Kim Hill         | Advocacy/Stakeholder Representative                                   |
| Kristin Maag     | Family Advocate, S.P.E.A.K.O.U.T                                      |
| Lisa Casullo     | Director of Consumer Recovery, Magellan Behavioral Health of Nebraska |
| Lisa Christensen | V.P. of Quality Improvement, Magellan Behavioral Health of Nebraska   |

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**Prior Minutes****Lisa Casullo**

Discussion: It was asked that information regarding peer to peer & appeal process be clearer. Minutes will be revised and reviewed at June 2016 meeting.

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**Housekeeping****Lisa Casullo**

It has been agreed upon by committee members to continue to meet bi-monthly; the new schedule is listed on the agenda for April 2016.

A recommendation was made that members please RSVP before the meeting.

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**Cultural Competency Plan****Lisa Casullo**

There was discussion that the new plan will be shorter as we will not have the same opportunities as we did this year. For example: there will be no peer conference this year, Magellan's contract will be done before the 2017 Behavioral Health Conference, & there will be less outreach due to the need to help members transition to the new plans.

A suggestion was made for the new plan to make it more clear who is doing what and identify if items are complete, ongoing, or new to the plan. It was also recommended that Magellan's cultural competence mission plan be added to the plan. Lisa explained that we could use Magellan's principle of care for this.

It was explained that resiliency and recovery are part of Magellan's culture and therefore it has been included into the plan.

Another suggestion was made that we add into goal #3 something about Magellan's community reinvestment funds.

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**Consumer and Family Led Evaluation Teams****Lisa Casullo**

MHA-NE has been trying to get more focus groups scheduled and surveys out to populations that are un-served or under-served. Committee members came up with the following suggestions:

- Reaching out to schools
- Getting in contact with Education Service Units (ESU)
- Getting connected with PCP's in rural areas
- Family orgs will be having events throughout the week of June 1<sup>st</sup> for the Pony Express Riders
- People with legal issues and/or people transitioning out of prison
- Probation officers in rural areas

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**Next Meeting**

June 15, 2016

2:30 – 4:00

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**Respectfully Submitted,***Lisa Casullo*

04/21/2016