

OMHSAS Mental Health Planning Committee
May 28, 2019
Older Adult Committee Meeting

<u>Agenda Items</u>	<u>Major Discussion Points/Decisions</u>	<u>Follow-up Needed and Person(s) Responsible</u>
Welcome and Introductions	Arlene Prentis opened the meeting at 10 a.m. briefly reviewing busy agenda for the morning session.	
Planning Council Application Process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jill Stemple, OMHSAS, reviewed the Planning Council Application Process emphasizing the importance of member input into priorities. She reviewed established priorities under Table 1 including Supported Housing, Services to Older Adults and # of Certified Peer Specialists employed. • Jill invited 1-2 additional members to join the priorities workgroup in the month of June • OA committee members can review the priorities document and email their thoughts to Jill • Co-Chair Rachell Weiss talked with OA Committee members about recommending 3 priorities that would fit into the framework of the OA Committee 	
Behavioral Health Support and Response Team	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cathy Kromer from Northampton County facilitated a presentation offered by 2 staff members from Haven House providing an update on their Behavioral Health Response Team in a Skilled Nursing Setting. • The team mirrors a comprehensive approach much like that of an ACT team • The program opened in January of 2019 offering services to older adults in skilled nursing setting. Individuals that could end up in State Hospital unless adequate services were identified and provided by the team • The program has developed a series of forms to operate and track services offered. They also developed a Recovery Assessment Scale along with individualized service and safety plans. 	

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Deputy Secretary's Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OMHSAS Deputy Valerie Vicari started with discussion of future ideas and direction asking OA committee members to recommend 3 priorities that would fit into the larger OMHSAS framework of priorities. • Each of the OA committee members were requested introduce themselves and share initial thoughts on OA Committee priorities 	
General Business		
General Discussion and Public Comment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evaluation and Adjournment 12 noon 	