

Bernalillo County Behavioral Health
Crisis Services Committee Meeting Minutes

October 26, 2016

1. Call to order

Committee Chair, Rick Miera called to order the regular meeting of the Crisis Services Committee at 3:33 p.m. on October 26, 2016 at The South Valley Multi-Purpose Center.

2. Roll Call

The following committee members were present: Rick Miera, Jim Ogle, J. Rocky Romero (by phone), Jane Keeports, Ann Taylor Trujillo (by phone), Caroline Monie and Betty Whiton.

Bernalillo County staff member Margarita Chavez present. Technical advisor Richard Pugh, additional community members and staff from UNM ISR also present.

3. Agenda review and Adoption

Approved by Betty Whiton; second by Jane Keeports- All in favor

4. Approval of October 12, 2016 meeting minutes

Approved by Committee vice chair, Jim Ogle; second by Jane Keeports – All in favor

5. Old business

- a. Final review of Mobile Crisis Team Proposal: Update given by chair Miera related to minor changes in proposal. Chair also outlined an increase in the budget to \$500,000 made by steering committee. MCT proposal to be presented before next ABCGC meeting on November 17. All committee members are welcome to attend.

6. New Business

- a. Introduction of the Resource/ Reentry Center concept
 - i. Presentations by Lisa Simpson and Gabe Nims: PowerPoint presentation provided by Gabe Nims. Questions and comments brought up related to the proposal/ presentation are listed below:

- 1. What if someone is released in the middle of the night? - This will create a safe place for them to stay until the

morning when they can choose to leave or be connected to services.

2. Need to let client's attorneys know about release date/time and/or reach out to attorneys who may have release information to assist with assuring discharge planning
3. Suggestion to incorporate a 24-hr hotline where clients can call and get information related to previously created discharge plan and connection to resources.
4. Can clients come back to the facility if their plan falls through? – Plan originally created to serve individuals being discharged from MDC and not the community at large.
5. Committee members request a walkthrough of the facility in question.
6. Will these services be outsourced or provided by Bernalillo County?
7. Committee members are asked to submit any additional feedback or questions to Margarita Chavez by November 15 in order to have time to make changes prior to the next meeting on November 30.

7. Public Comment: No public comment requested

8. Upcoming Meetings

- a) Next meeting November 30, 2016: 2016 3:30-5:00pm at South Valley Multipurpose Senior Center-2008 Larrazolo Rd SW, Albuquerque, NM 87105.
- b) Next ABCGC Meeting: November 17, 2016; 5:00 p.m.

8. Adjourn

Committee Chair Rick Miera adjourned meeting at 5:10